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| <i>Abr. Ca.</i> | Abridgement of Cafes in Equity. |
| <i>Acc. or Ag. or Agr.</i> | Accord, or, Agrees. |
| <i>Adj.</i> | Adjudged: Sometimes, Adjourned. |
| <i>Adm.</i> | Admitted. |
| <i>Ante and Post.</i> | References to Divisions and Subdivisions of the same Title. |
| <i>Arg. i Ch. R.</i> | Argument in i Chancery Reports on the Jurisdiction of the Chancery. |
| <i>Aff.</i> | Liber Affisarum. The Reference by Placita. |
| <i>Aft. Ent.</i> | Afton's Entries. |
| <i>Ayl. Int.</i> | Ayliffe's Introduction to his Parergon. Edit. 1726. |

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| <i>Bend.</i> | Benloe's Reports; Sometimes referred to by <i>Placitum</i> , sometimes by <i>Page</i> ; when the former it has <i>pl.</i> before the Figure. |
| <i>Bl.</i> | Blount's Law Dictionary. |
| <i>Bo. R. Act.</i> | Booth of Real Actions. |
| <i>Br. Jud.</i> | Brownlow's Brevia Judicialia. |
| <i>Bro.</i> | Brooke's Abridgement. |
| <i>Bro. Ent. or Brow. Ent.</i> | Brown's Entries. |
| <i>Bro. R.</i> | Brownlow Redivivus. |
| <i>Bro. V. M.</i> | Brown's Vade Mecum. |
| <i>Brownl. or i & 2 Brow.</i> | Brownlow's Reports. |
| <i>Brownl. Ent.</i> | Brownlow's Entries. |
| <i>B. R. H.</i> | Cafes in the King's Bench in the Time of Lord <i>Hardwicke</i> . |
| <i>B. M.</i> | <i>Burrow's</i> Reports in the Time of Lord <i>Mansfield</i> . |
| <i>B. S. C.</i> | <i>Burrow's</i> Settlement Cafes. |

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| <i>Ca. Ch.</i> | Cafes in Chancery. Edit. 1735. |
| <i>3 Ca. Ch.</i> | 3d Vol. of Cafes in Chancery, or, Select Cafes in Chancery: Contains the <i>D. of Norf.</i> Cafe. |
| <i>Cal.</i> | Callis on Sewers. 4 ^{to} . 1686. |
| <i>Ca. P. or Ca. Parl.</i> | Cafes in Parliament. |
| <i>Cart.</i> | Carter's Reports. |
| <i>Carth.</i> | Carthew's Reports. |

Ch. R.

1, 2, & 3 *Cb. R.*

Reports of Cases in Chancery in the Reigns of *K. Charles 1st, &c.* examined with the 3d Edit. Folio 1736, by the Pages of the *Octavo* Edit. which are there preserved in the Margin. [Note 1 *Cb. R.* contains the *Earl of Oxford's* Case, and the *Argument on the Jurisdiction of the Chancery*, which last is described by *Arg. 1 Cb. R.*]

Cb. R. without a preceding Figure.

Chancery Reports *tempore* Finch.*Cl. Ass.*

Clerk's Assistant.

Clift.

Clift's Entries.

Comp. Att. or C. Att.

Compleat Attorney. 1st Edition 1676.

Cont.

Contra.

Crompt. Off. of Sheriff.

Fitzherbert's Offices of Justices of Peace, &c. enlarged by Richard Crompton.

C. t. T.

Cases in the Time of Lord Talbot.

D. Adjudged: sometimes, Adjoined.*Dal.*

Dictum.—Sometimes a Letter of Reference to a Book.

D. of Norf.

Duke of Norfolk's Case in 3 Cases in Chancery, or, Select Cases in Chancery.

Dal.

Dallison's Reports.

Dan.

Danvers's Abridgment.

Dub.

Dubitatum.

Dugd. Or. J. or Jud.

Dugdale's Origines Juridicales.

Dugd. Sum.

Dugdale's Summons to Parliament.

Dy.

Dyer's Reports. Edit. 1688.

E. Sometimes refers to by Page.*Eq. Ab. or Eq. Abr. or*

Abridgment of Cases in Equity.

*Eq. Ca. Ab.**Eq. Ca. or Eq. R.*

Gilbert's Reports of Cases in Equity, 2d Edition.

*Eq. Ca.*Sometimes Gilbert's as above.—Sometimes the Second or Equity Part of 2 *Mod. Ca.* (Modern Cases in Law and Equity;) but when the latter is meant, it is marked in the Margin.*E. of Cov.*

Earl of Coventry's Case at the End of Francis's Maxims of Equity.

*E. of Oxford.*Earl of Oxford's Case, 1 *Cb. R.**F.**F. N. B.*Fitzherbert's *Natura Brevium*. The Pages according to the old Editions.*F. g. or Fitzg.*

Fitz-Gibbon's Reports.

Fl.

Fleta.

*Finch Cb. R.*Chancery Reports *tempore* Finch.*Fitz.*

Fitzherbert's Abridgment.

Fran. or Fra.

Francis's Maxims of Equity.

Fra. E. of Cov.

Earl of Coventry's Case at the End of Francis's Maxims of Equity.

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G.

- G. 2. with a Figure preceding, or, *Temp. G. 2.* Reports of Cases in Chancery and the King's Bench in the 4th, 5th, 6th and 7th Years of K. Geo. 2d.
Godb. Godbolt's Reports.
Gro. de j. b. & p. Grotius de Jure Belli & Pacis.

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- H. P. C. or H.* Hale's Pleas of the Crown. 8^{vo}.
Han. Ent. Hanford's Entries.
Hanf^d. Introd. or Int. Hanford's Introduction to his Book of Entries.
Hard. Hardres.

J.

- Jan. (Sr. L.)* Sir Leoline Jenkins. (The References are to his Argument on the Jurisdiction of the Admiralty, and his Charges at the Admiralty Sessions.)
Jenk. Jenkins's Centuries.
Infra and Supra. References to the same Division or Subdivision.
Jon. Sir William Jones's Reports
2 Jon. Sir Thomas Jones's Reports.

K.

- Kel.* Keilway's Reports.
Kely. Kelynge's Reports.
Ken. Imp. Kennet of Improvements.
Kit. Kitchin of Courts. French Edition 1623.

L.

- Lut. Ent.* Lutchwyche's Entries.
Lind. Lyndwood's Provinciale. Edition 1679.
Lit. Littleton's Reports.
Lit. with S. Littleton's Tenures; S. for Section.

M.

- Mad.* Madox's History of the Exchequer.
Manw. Manwood's Forest Law. 3d Edition.
Mar. March's Reports. When the Reference is mark't *pl.* it is to the Placita; without that, to the Page.
Mills. Rules and Orders of C. B. by Milles, printed 1732.
Mod. Ca. 6th Modern Reports.
2 Mod. Ca. Modern Cases in Law and Equity. 1st Part.
Mod. Int. Brown's Modus Intrandi.
2 Mod. Int. Same Book. 2d Part.
Moll. de Jur. M. Molloy de Jure Maritimo. 3d Edition 1682, or 5th Edition 1701.

Off. Br.
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Wentworth's Office of an Executor. Edition
1689.

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Perk.

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Perkins's profitable Book treating of the Laws of
England.

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Precedents in Chancery.

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Rastal's Entries.

Reg.

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Rob. Ent.

Robinson's Entries.

Roll. with l. or a Letter
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Roll's Reports.

Rules and Orders of the
Court of Chancery.

Edit. 1739.

Rush. or Rushw.

Rushworth's Collections. Edit. 1680.

S.

Sand.

Saunders's Reports.

Seld.

Selden. Edit. 1726.

Seld. J. P.

Selden's Judicature of Parliament.

Seld. Off. Ch. or, Canc.

Selden's Discourse on the Office of Chancellor.
Edit. 1726.

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Tbo. or Tbo. Ent.

Thompson's Entries.

Tot.

Tothills Transactions of the High Court of Chan-
cery. Edit. 1671.

Tr. Eq.

Treatise of Equity.

V.

Vad. M. or Bro. V. M.

Brown's Vade Mecum.

Vid. Ent.

Vidian's Entries.

Vid. Introd.

Vidian's Introduction to his Book of Entries.

W.

W. 1.—W. 2.

The Statutes of Westminster 1st and 2d.

Wat.

Watson's Clergyman's Law. 8vo.

Went. Off. Ex.

Wentworth's Office of an Executor. Edition
1689.

*West or West Chan. or }
West Symb.*

West's Symboleography of the Chancery, &c.

Winch.

Winch's Reports.

Win. Ent.

Winch's Entries. Edition 1680.

Y.

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CALENDAR.

C A N O N I C A L L A W

C A N O N S.

(A.) What is the Use of the Civil Law.

IN England Use is sometimes made of the Civil, and of the Ecclesiastical, or Canon Law. Co. L. 11. b.

Tempore Romanorum, viz. ab anno Christi 50, cum Claudius subjugavit Britanniam partem, usque annum circiter 410, cum Alaricus tempore Honorii Romam cepit, (annos circiter 360) the Civil, or Imperial Law was in Use in Britain. Seld. Diff. ad Fl. 479, 480.

And afterwards it was used, for Direction, where the Law of England was silent; or for Confirmation, where it was consonant. Seld. Diff. 464, 472.

(B. 1.) The Use of the Canon Law.

TEmpore Regis Stephani Anno Dom. 1150, Decretals were published for the Government of the Clergy. Dav. 70. a.

Afterwards the Pope attempted to impose Rogations, viz. Ordinances for Days of Abstinence of the Laity, as well as of the Clergy. Dav. 70. a.

Anno 1230 tempore Hen. 3. other Decretals for the Laity, as well as the Clergy, were published. Dav. 70. a.

Decretals were first introduced in England, Anno 25 Ed. 1. Dav. 71. b.

(B. 2.) What shall be so called.

Jus Canonicum est, quod ab Ecclesia, aut Viris Ecclesiasticis institutum est. Lind. 76. v. Jus Canonicum.

These were collected in a Book, viz. Codex Canonum, which at first contained 138 Canons, afterwards 207, made by several Councils to which afterwards were added 85 Apostolical Canons and several by other Councils, with Canonical Epistles by divers Popes. Afterwards the Church of Rome made one Codex Canonum which contained the Apostolical Canons, the Canons of the 12 Councils, and the Decrees of 14 Popes. Ayl. Int. 9, 10, &c.

The Body of the Canon Law now used, being confirmed by Pope Gregory 13th, comprehends the Decretum, the Decretals, the 6th Book of Decretals, the Clementines, the Extravagants, and Common Decretals, and the 7th Book of Decretals. Ayl. Int. 9. 19. 21. 25. 26, &c.

(C.) What Canons bind.

AS to the Power of making Canons, Vide in Convocation (E.)

All Canons allowed and used in England, become Part of the Ecclesiastical Laws of England. Dav. 70. b. Vide in Prærogative (D, 10.)

So, all Canons or Constitutions made in a Convocation, or Provincial Synod within the Realm. Dav. 72. b. R. Mo. 783.



By the St. 25 H. 8. 19. Repealed by the St. 1 & 2 Ph. & M. 8. and afterwards revived by the St. 1 Eliz. 1. it was provided, that such Canons, Constitutions, Ordinances, and Synodals Provincial already made, which be not contrariant to the Laws, Statutes, and Customs of the Realm, nor to the Hurt of the King's Prærogative, shall be used as before the said Act, till otherwise ordered by 32 Persons to be appointed according to the said Act.

And by the same Statute, the King may nominate and assign at his Pleasure 32 Persons of his Subjects, 16 of the Clergy and 16 of the Temporality of Upper and Nether House of Parliament, who shall have Power to examine Canons, &c. before made, and such as the King and the major Part of them shall deem worthy to be continued shall be obeyed, so that the King's Assent under the Great Seal be first had to the same, and the Residue shall be void.

And such Nomination was allowed by the St. 27 H. 8. 15. the St. 3 H. 8. 16. and the St. 3 Ed. 6. 11.

But there never was any such Nomination by H. 8. or Ed. 6. and therefore, all Canons and Constitutions here received and allowed before that time, are now the Ecclesiastical Laws of the Realm. *Wat. 22.*

And all Persons are bound by them; for they are Part of the Constitution. *Wat. 23.*

And the Common Law Courts will take Notice of them as such. *Wat. 23.* Canons made 3 Jac. by the Convocation with the King's Licence, and confirmed by the King, bind without Confirmation by Parliament. *2 Kent. 44.*

They bind the Clergy, but not the Laity, unless they are confirmed by Parliament. *Carib. 485.*

Yet it was resolved in the House of Commons 15th December 1640. *Nemine contradicente*, That the Convocation, &c. hath no Power to make Canons to bind the Clergy, or Laity without the common Consent of Parliament. *3 Rusb. 1365.*

But a Canon shall not be allowed, contrary to the Common Law. *2 Inst. 599. 647. 653. R. 12 Co. 72. per Vau. 2 Vent. 44.*

Or, contrary to the King's Prærogative, or the Custom of the Realm. *2 Inst. 653. 658. R. 12 Co. 72.*

Or, contrary to an Act of Parliament. *2 Inst. 658. R. 12 Co. 72.*

And therefore, by the St. 25 H. 8. 19. it is declared that a Canon contrary to the King's Prærogative, the Law, Statutes, or Custom of the Realm is of no Force; and this was only declaratory of the Common Law. *2 Inst. 658.*

So Canons established in Convocation by the King's Licence, do not bind Lay-Men, but only Ecclesiastical Persons; for the Laity are not represented in a Convocation. *Sal. 412. D. that they bind the whole Kingdom, Mo. 783. They do not bind the Temporality. 12 Co. 73.*

So they bind only in Ecclesiastical Matters. *Semb. Mo. 783. 12 Co. 73.*

So Canons established, &c. do not bind the Laity. *Per Tyrrell, 2 Vent. 43. But per Vau. in Ecclesiastical Matters they bind Laicks and Ecclesiasticks, 2 Vent. 44.*

Lay Persons are not within the Words of the 62, 101, 102, 103, and 104th. Canons of 1603.

The Canons of 1603, *proprio vigore*, (for some are only Declaratory of the Ancient Canon Law) do not bind the Laity. *Per Hardwicke C. J. et tot. cur. on great consideration. Middleton v. Croft, M. 10 G. 2. Str. 1056. B. R. H. 326.*

So a Canon that has never been received in England, is not Part of the Law Ecclesiastical. *Kel. 181. b. 184. Lat. 191. 2 Inst. 653.*

And by the St. 25 H. 8. 21. it is recited, that England is free from Subjection to any Man's Laws but such as have been made within the same; or by Sufferance of the King, the People by their own Consent, and long Use, have bound themselves to the Observance of, not as to foreign Laws, but as to the ancient Laws of this Realm originally established within the same, by such Sufferance, Consent, and Custom, and not otherwise,

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So this Interpretation, Execution, and Dispensation of all Canons allowed within England belong to the King, and his Ministers. *Dav. 70. b. Vide Prærogative, (D. 11.)*

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(A) Who have Capacity to Purchase.

(A. 1.) Persons Natural.

PERSONS capable to purchase are Natural, or Politick. *Co. L. 2. a.*

All Persons Natural have a Capacity to take by Purchase.

Persons Deformed, if they have human Shape. *Co. L. 3. b.*

A Deaf, Dumb, and Blind Person. *Co. L. 3. b.*

An Idiot, or a Man of non-sane Memory may purchase, without the Consent of any other. *Co. L. 2. b. 3. b.*

(And he himself can never avoid the Purchase. *Co. L. 2. b.*)

So, if he recover his Sanity and afterwards agree to the Purchase, his Heir shall never avoid it. *Co. L. 2. b.*

But if he dies in his Insanity, or recovers, and dies before Agreement to the Purchase, his Heir may agree to, or waive the Estate, without cause alledged *Co. L. 2. b.*

A Leper may purchase. *Co. L. 3. b.*

So, an Hermaphrodite, according to the prevailing Sex. *Co. L. 3. a.*

A Bastard, by his Name of Reputation. *Co. L. 3. b.---Vide Bastard (E.)*

A Man convicted, or attained of Treason, or Felony may purchase for the Benefit of the King. *Co. L. 2. b.*

So a Feme Covert may take by Purchase, till her Husband disagree, or she after her Husband's Death waive it. *Vide Baron and Feme, (P. 2.---R.)*

So a Villein may purchase, but the Lord afterwards may enter. *Co. L. 2. b.*

So an Alien may purchase for the Benefit of the King, or an House for his Habitation. *Co. L. 2. b. Vide in Alien, (C. 2, 3.)*

So an Infant may purchase without the Consent of another; for it shall be intended for his Benefit. *Co. L. 2. b.*

But after his full Age, he may agree to it, or waive it at his Pleasure. *Co. L. 2. b.*

And if he die before Agreement, after his full Age, his Heir may agree to, or waive it. *Co. L. 2. b.*

So now, a Monk, Nun, &c. may purchase; for they were not disabled by the Common Law, and the Canon Law, whereby their Disability incurs, is here abolished. *1 Sal. 162.*

(A. 2.) Politick.

A Body Politick is Sole, or Aggregate. *Co. L. 2. a. Vide Franchises, (F. 1, &c.)*

A Corporation Aggregate consists of many Persons, all capable of purchasing, or one capable and the others incapable. *Co. L. 2. a.*

A Corporation Sole, as the King, a Bishop, a Parson, &c. may purchase, to him and his Successors. *Co. L. 250. a.*

So, a Corporation Aggregate, where all are capable; as a Mayor and Commonalty. *Vide Co. L. 250. a.*

Dean and Chapter.

So, where one is capable, and others incapable; as, an Abbot may purchase without the Consent of the Convent, and cannot afterwards avoid it. *Co. L. 2. b.*

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But his Successor for good Cause, and not otherwise, may waive the Purchase. *Co. L. 21 b.*
 As, if the Rent reserved exceed the Value of the Estate. *Co. L. 21 b.*

(B. 1.) Who not.

BUT a Monster, who has not an human Form cannot purchase. *Co. L. 3. b.*

Nor a Man professed in Religion, for he is dead in Law; as a Monk, Fryer, Nun, &c. except when they are Sovereigns of an House of Religion. *Co. L. 3. b. 132. b.*

So a Community not incorporated cannot purchase; as, the Parishioners, or Inhabitants of *D. Co. L. 3. a.*

The Commoners in such a Wast, cannot take by Grant of the Lord. *Co. L. 3. a.*

So Churchwardens cannot purchase Lands, (but Goods only.) *Co. L. 3. a.*

(B.) By the Statute of Mortmain.

(B. 2)
 What is Mort-
 main.

By the St. 7 Ed. 1. *de Religiosis. Si quis Religiosus, vel alius,* (for *Magna Charta*, 9 H. 3. 36. extends only to a Religious House which purchases, 2 *Inst.* 75.) purchase Lands or Tenements in Fee, the Lord of whom the Lands are holden may enter within a Year; or, if he be negligent, the next Lord within half a Year; or if he neglect, the King may enter.

So by the St. *W. 2. 13 Ed. 1. 32.* If he obtain a Recovery by Collusion. 2 *Inst.* 429.

And by the St. *W. 15 R. 2. 5.* If there be a Feoffment to the Use of such an one.

And these Statutes extend to every Corporation Sole, or Aggregate, Ecclesiastical, or Temporal. *Co. L. 2. b. 2 Inst.* 75.

If Lands are granted to them upon an Exchange. *Kit. 39. b. F. N. B. 223. E. F.*

If an Advowson be appropriated to them. *F. N. B. 223. H. Kit. 39. a.*

Or, a Rent-Charge granted. *F. N. B. 223. B. Kit. 38. b. 139. b.*

So, if Lands are devised to them. *F. N. B. 224. F.*

So, if a Bishop enter upon Land purchased by his Villein, it is Mortmain. *F. N. B. 224. b. Kit. 38. b.*

If a Bishop or other Corporation alien to another and his Successors. *F. N. B. 222. D. Kit. 38. b.*

By the S. 23 H. 8. 10. Feoffments, Fines, Wills, &c. to the Use of the Parish Church, Chapel, Guilds, Commonalties, &c. or to find Obits, Priests, &c. which are to have Continuance above 20 Years, shall be void.

If there be an Alienation in Mortmain of Things not held, as of a Villein, Rent-Charge, Common, Advowson &c. the King shall have them presently. *Co. L. 2. b.*

If a Man by Will gives 500*l.* out of his personal Estate to Trustees in trust, to lay out part in building a School-House, and School Master's House, and directs that the Purchase of the Ground, and the Expence of Building shall not exceed 200*l.* and the remaining 300*l.* to be laid out in Land or real Security, for the Master's Maintainance; the last is void by *stat. 9 G. 2. c. 36.* and ground may not be purchased with the 200*l.* but if the Parish has Lands, it may be laid out in building on them. *Attorney-General v. Bowles T. 1754. 3 Atkyns 806. 2 Vezey 547.*

If a man gives a Legacy to his Executors, and then devises a Copyhold to A. he paying his Executors 1000*l.* and gives the Residue of his Estate to a Charity, this 1000*l.* is a Charge on real Estate, and the Devise of it void by the Statute.

Arnold v. Chapman, T. 1748. 1 Vezey 108.

If a Man gives his real Estate to Trustees to sell, and with the Produce and his personal Estate to pay Debts and Legacies, and (*inter alia*) to purchase Freehold Land for a Fund for an Annuity to preach a Sermon, to keep a Tombstone in

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Repair, and for Management of this; it is within 9 G. 2. and void. *Durour v. Motteux, M. 1749. 1 Vezey 320.*

If mortgagee, in possession under *habere facias*, devises all Money due on the Mortgage to a Charity; though the Heir at Law of Mortgagor insists to redeem, yet it is within 9 Geo. 2. *Attorney-Generol v. Meyrick, M. 1750. 2 Vezey 44.*

But if an Annuity be granted to a Corporation, it is not *Mortmain*; for that charges the Person only. *Co. L. 2. b.* (B. 3.) What is not mortmain.

So, if Goods and Chattels are granted. *Kit. 139. b.*

So, a Grant of a Distress in other Lands for an antient Rent. *2 F. N. B. 224. G. Kit. 39. b.*

A Release of Rent to the Tenant, *Kit. 39. a.*

Recovery in Value upon *Voucher*. *Kit. 39. b.*

So, the King by his License may dispense with an Alienation in *Mortmain*; *Kit. 39. b.*

And before such License an *Ad quod damnum* antiently issued; but it is not now used. *F. N. B. 222. D. Vide St. 27. Ed. 1.*

But such Licence does not bind the other Lords. *Vide F. N. B. 222. D. Kit. 139. a, b.*

And therefore, it was enacted by the St. 7 & 8 W. 3. 37. That the King may license to alien, or take in *Mortmain*.

So a Devise to a Charitable Use within the St. 43 Eliz. is not *Mortmain*.

Tho' the Devise be to a College. *R. 1 Lev. 284.*

[If A. by his will before 9 G. 2. c. 36. devises Lands to Trustees for a Charity, and by Codicil made after the Act devises the same and other Land to the same and other Trustees, on the same Trusts; makes Alterations in other Parts of his Will, and confirms the Rest; the Lands devised by the Will are not within the Statute. *Willet v. Sandford, M. 1748. 1 Vezey 178, 186.*]

[If a Man devises the Residue of his real and personal Estates to A. for Life, &c. and then to Trustees to erect an Hospital; as to his real Estate it is void, but not as to the personal; tho' he had Mortgages, and *erect* means to *found*, as well as to *build*. *Vaughan v. Farrer, H. 1750. 2 Vezey 182.*]

(B. 4.) By What Names they shall purchase.

A Man regularly ought to purchase by his Name of Baptism, and his Surname. *Co. L. 3. a.* (B. 4.) Persons Natural

But if he purchase by his Name of Confirmation, it is sufficient. *Co. L. 3. a.* and that ought to be used. *1 Brownl. 47.*

So, if there be a certain Description of the Person who purchases, altho' his Christian and Surname are omitted, it is sufficient. *Co. L. 3. a.*

As if a Grant be *to the Earl of Pembroke, the Bishop of London, &c.* by his Name of Dignity; for the Person is certain. *Co. L. 3. a.*

To the Chester Herald, &c. *R. 2 Rol. 44. l. 15.*

To the Wife of B. *Co. L. 3. a.*

Primo aut secundo filio, Seniori Puero, natu minimo, omnibus Filiis, Filiabus, Liberis, Exitibus, aut rectis Hæredibus de B. *Co. L. 3. a. R. Mo. 104.*

And *Primo Puero*, may be to the first Child tho' it be a Female, if it be so explained by any other Writing. *R. Mo. 104.*

If it be, *to the Issue Male*, his first Issue Male shall take. *R. 3 Lev. 433.*

So, tho' his Christian Name be added, and mistaken. *Co. L. 3. a.*

So, if there be a Limitation *to the Heir Male of the Body of his Grandfather*, the Heir Male shall take, though there be an Heir General alive; for the Description is sufficient to make him take by Descent, and therefore it shall be well by Purchase. *R. 2 Ver. 730.*

But, if there be a Description of a Person certain *in esse*, and there is no such one *in Rerum Natura*, a Person who afterwards answers to the Description cannot take; as, if a Remainder be limited *to B. the Wife of A. though A.* afterwards marry B. before the particular Estate ends, she cannot take. *Mo. 104.*

Vide Fait, (E. 3.)

(B. 2.)
Political.

So a Corporation, regularly, bought to purchase by its Name of Incorporation; and therefore, a Grant by or to the Master and Wardens of Cooks in London, whereas they are named Masters and Governors, will be void. R. Pl. Com. 537. b.

The Master of St. Peter's, where the Name is, The Master of St. Peter's and St. Paul's. Bro. Corporation 8.

The Provost, &c. of the House of N. where it is a Chauntry. Bro. Corporation 21, 22.

The Dean and Chapter Cathedralis Ecclesie Sancte & individue Trinitatis N. omitting, ex Fundatione Reg. Ed. 6. Adm. 3 Co. 75. 2 And. 166, 167. Jon. 170.

Collegium Regale de Eton, where the Name is, Collegium beate Mariæ de Eton. Dy. 150. a. 1 And. 23. Mo. 13.

The Dean and Canons libera Capellæ de W. where the Name is, The Dean and Canons Capellæ St. Geo. Martyr de W. 1 Leo. 162.

The Master Collegii de Merton in Oxonia, where the Name is, Collegium Scholarium de M. in Universitate Oxonia. 1 Leo. 162. Cont. Mo. 266.

The Presbiters and Chaplains of St. Stephens, where the Name is, The Dean, Canons, and Vicars of St. Stephens. 2 And. 166.

The Provost and Scholars of Queen's College in the University of Oxford, where the Name is, The Provost and Scholars Aula Reginae de Oxford. Dub. Lane 15. 33.

Yet an Addition to a Name does not avoid the Purchase, but shall be rejected: As, if the Master and Brethren are named, The Master and Brethren five Socii. R. 11 Co. 20. a. Bro. Corporation 8. 62.

If the Master, &c. of the Mystery of Cooks, are named, of the Craft and Mystery. Pl. Com. 537. b.

If the Hospital H. 7. Regis Angliæ be named, The Hospital H. 7. nuper Regis. 1. R. Leo. 159.

If Collegium Christi in Oxonia be named Collegium Christi in Academia Oxonia R. Mo. 361. Vide Mo. 865. Sav. 129. R. Popb. 56.

If any Ornament to a Name be added, or omitted. Popb. 156, 7.

Nor an immaterial Variation; as a Lease by the Dean and Chapter of Exeter, instead of, in Exeter. R. 2. Leo. 97. 2 Rol. 42. l. 45.

By the Master Domus five Collegii, instead of, Domus five Hospitalis; for a College and Hospital are the same. Semb. 1 Leo. 215.

Collegii Trinitatis, instead of, Collegii Sancte & individue Trinitatis. 1 Leo. 161.

The Dean and Chapter Ecclesie de Peterborough, instead of, Ecclesie Petriburgensis. 1 Leo. 159. Cont. 1 And. 23.

Magister Collegii, instead of Magister Aulae, &c. R. 11 Co. 22. b.

Magister Hospitalis H. 7. de Savoy & Cappellanus prædicti Hospitalis, instead of, Magister & Capellanus Hospitalis H. 7. de Savoy. R. 1 Leo. 159. Acc. Dy. 278. Mo. 865.

The Minister of God of the Poor House of D. instead of, The Minister of the Poor's House of God of D. Dub. 2 And. 117. R. Mo. 865.

Major & Ballivi Villæ de D. & Burgenses ejusdem Villæ, where the Name is, Major & Burgenses Villæ de D. R. 1. Rol. 119.

The Dean and Chapter Ecclesie Petriburgensis, instead of, Sancti Petriburgensis. Mo. 14. Cont. 1 And. 23.

So if a Statute, or Testament give a certain Description it is sufficient, tho' the Name be not observed: As, if Advowsons of Recufants are given to the University of Cambridge. R. 10 Co. 57. b. 11 Co. 21. b. 2 Leo. 165.

So in Grants and Conveyances, it is sufficient, if the same Name in Re & Sensu be used, tho' not in verbis. R. 10 Co. 124.

So, by a Verdict, or an Averment, a Misnomer may be aided. 10 Co. 125. b.

So, if an ancient Corporation be incorporated de novo, with an Addition to the Name; a Lease, &c. by the ancient Name will be good. R. Jon. 167.

(C.) Who have Capacity to Grant.

EVERY Person being a natural and lawful Subject, of sane Memory, and full Age, may make a Feoffment, Grant, Lease, &c. *Co. L. 42 b. Vide Grant, (A. 1.)*

Tho' he be a Bastard. *Co. L. 42. b.*

Convict of Heresy. *Co. L. 42. b.*

A Leper removed by the King's Writ *& Societate Hominum.* *Co. L. 42. b.*

Tho' he be deaf, dumb, or blind, if he has good Sanity, and Discretion. *Co. L. 42. b.*

(D.) Who not:

(D. 1.) A Man professed.

BUT a Person professed in Religion; (who is *civiliter mortuus*;) as a Monk, Fryar, Canon, &c. cannot make a Grant; for his Grant shall be void.

Yet the Sovereign of an House of Religion, as an Abbot, Prior, &c. may make a Grant, &c. *Vide Co. L. 132. b.*

So may a Monk, Fryar, &c. in the Name, and by the Assent of his Sovereign.

Or, as a Farmer of the King, in respect of his Farm. *Vide Co. L. 132. b.*

Vide Abatement. (E. 5.)

(D. 2.) A Feme Covert.

So a Grant by a Feme Covert, without the Assent of her Husband, will be void. *Vide Baron and Feme, (Q.)*

Yet a Fine, or Common Recovery of her own Land, will be good, 'till it be avoided by her Husband. *Vide Baron and Feme, (P. 1.)*

So, a Grant *en autre Droit*, as Executrix. *Vide Baron and Feme, (P. 3.)*

So, if a Woman make a Grant when Sole, and deliver the Deed as an Escrow, to be her Deed upon Conditions performed, and before the Conditions performed she takes Husband, and then the Conditions are performed, it will be good; for after Performance it has Relation to the Delivery. *Per. Grant 9.*

So, if a Feme Covert deliver a Deed when Covert, and after the Death of her Husband deliver it *de novo*; it shall be good by the second Delivery; for the first Delivery was intirely void. *2. Rol. 26. l. 3.*

Vide Fait, (A. 3.—B. 5.)

(D. 3.) An Infant.

So a Grant by an Infant by Deed will be void, if it seems to his Prejudice. *Vide Infant, (C. 2.)*

So, if the Grant takes Effect by Livery from his Hand, or seems to his Advantage, yet it is voidable, and may be avoided by him or his Heirs. *Vide Infant. (C. 3, &c.)*

(D. 4.) A Man Insensible.

So a Man, who has no Understanding, as if he be Dumb, Deaf, and Blind from his Birth, has not a Capacity to grant, but his Grant will be void. *Per. Grant. 25.*

(D. 5.) A

(D. 5.) A Man Non-sane.

So a Man of non-sane Memory, has not a Capacity to make a Grant, that shall bind his Heir, or any other, besides himself. *Vide Idiot, (C.—D. 1, &c.)*

And therefore if an Idiot, Lunatick, &c. make a Feoffment, Grant, or Gift, &c. his Heir shall avoid it. *Vide Per. Grant. 21.*

So if he make a Feoffment with a Letter of Attorney to make Livery when Non-sane, and afterwards he comes to a good Memory, and then Livery is made without any other Assent; his Heir shall avoid it. *Per. Grant. 23.*

But a Man Non-sane cannot avoid his Grant, &c. during his Life; for he cannot disable himself. *Per. Grant 21.*

So if the Grant be by Matter of Record, as, by Fine, &c. his Heir shall not avoid it. *Per. Grant. 24.*

(D. 6.) Attainted.

So a Person attainted of Treason or Felony has not a Capacity to make a Grant, that shall bind the King, or the Lord of whom the Lands are held. *Vide Per. Grant. 26.*

But a Grant by a Person attainted binds himself and his Heirs. *Vide Per. Grant. 26.*

(D. 7.) Head of a Corporation.

So the Head of a Corporation Aggregate has not a Capacity to bind the Corporation by his Grant, without Assent of the Community under the Common Seal: As if a Mayor make a Feoffment, or Grant of Land, or a Grant of a Rent, &c. out of Land, without Assent of the Commonalty under the Common Seal, it will be void. *Vide Per. Grant. 31.*

So the Master of an Hospital, or College, without Assent of the Brethren. *Vide Per. Grant. 31.*

So a Grant by the Head of a Corporation Sole binds only himself, but not his Successor: As, a Grant by an Abbot, Prior, &c. without Assent of the Convent. *Vide Per. Grant. 31.*

By a Bishop without Assent of the Dean and Chapter.

By a Dean, without the Assent of the Chapter. *Vide Per. Grant 31, 32.*

Who may Sue, and be Sued, and Who not,

Vide Action, (B. 1, &c.—C. 1, &c.)—Abatement, (E. 1, &c.—F. 1, &c.)

Who may Devise, and take by Devise, and Who not,

Vide Devise, (G.—H. 1, &c.—I.—K.)

Who may marry, and who not,

Vide Baron and Feme, (B. 1, &c.)

C A P E.

Grand Cape. *Vide Process, (D. 4.)*

Petit Cape. *Vide Process, (D. 5.)*

C A P I A S.

Vide Pleader, (2. W. 3)

Capias ad Satisfaciendum.

Vide Execution, (C. 9, &c.)—Bail, (R. 4.)

Capias pro Fine.

Vide Execution, (B. 1, 2.)

Capias si Latus.

Vide Statute Staple, (D. 4.)

Capias Utlagarum.

Vide Pleader, (2 W. 6.)—Utlagary—Wales, (B. 2.)

Testatum Capias.

Vide Process, (E. 7.)

C A P I A T U R.

Vide Leet, (O. 7, 8.)

C A R R I E R.

Vide Action upon the Case for Negligence, (C. 1. &c.)

C A S E.

Vide Action upon the Case.

C A S T L E.

(A) **Castle-guard.**

A ID for the Keeping of a Castle continues, tho' the Castle be destroyed.
R. Mo. 1.

C A S U P R O V I S O.

Writ of Entry in Casu Proviso.

Vide Dum fuit infra Ætatem, (D.)

C A S U C O N S I M I L I.

Writ of Entry in Consimili Casu.

Vide Dum fuit infra Ætatem, (E.)

CASUAL PROFITS:

Vide Prærogative, (D. 49, 50.)

CATHEDRAL:

Vide Cemetery, (A. 3.)—Esglise, (B.)

CATTLE:

Vide Dismes, (H. 5, &c.)

CAUSE OF ACTION:

Vide Abatement, (G. 4, &c.—H. 24.)—Action, (E.—F.—G.—I.)

CAUTION:

Vide Admiralty, (E. 19.)—Bail, (D.)

CEMETERY

(A. 1.) Church-Yard.

THE Church-Yard is, *Totus Fundus, qui infra Clausuram ipsius continetur.*
Lind. 267. v. Cæmeteriis.

The Church-Yard, *circa Ecclesiam majorem 40 Passus continere debet, circa minorem 30 Passus.* *Lind. 253. ver. Claus. Cæmet.*

(A. 2.) To whom the Profits belong.

The Soil and Profits of the Church and Church-Yard, belong to the Parson.
Vide Esglise, (G. 1.)

Or, to the Vicar. *Vide Ecclesiastical Persons, (C. 14.)*

And the Parson may make a Lease of the Church-Yard.

If he lease his Parsonage, the Church and Church-Yard pass.

If any cut Corn or Trees there growing, Trespass lies by the Parson, or his Lessee.

By Usage in London, the Churchwardens take the Money for burying in the Church or Church-Yard, and the Parson has nothing but in the Chancel.
2 Sho. 184.

So the Inclosure of the Church-Yard belongs to the Parishioners.

Vide Prohibition, (G. 3.)

(A. 3.) What Privileges belong to the Church-Yard.

Cæmeterium gaudet eodem Privilegio, quæ Ecclesia. *Lind. 256. v. Cæmeterio. 270.*

And therefore, before Sanctuary was taken away, Churches and Church-Yards had the Privilege of Sanctuary. *Vide St. 32 H. 8. 12.*

By the St. of Wint. 13 Ed. 1. 6. Fairs and Markets shall not be kept in Church-Yards for the Honour of the Church.

By a Constitution at Oxford Anno Lind. 270. *Judicium sanguinis, (i. e. Causa per Judices sæculares de Effusione sanguinis, aut Corporali Pœnâ) ne tractetur in Ecclesia, aut Cæmeterio.*

So by the 88th Canon, Anno 1603. The Church Wardens and their Assistants shall suffer no Plays, Feasts, Banquets, Drinkings, Temporal Courts, or Leets, Lay-Juries, Musters, or other profane Usage in the Church or Church-Yard.

So by the St. 5 Ed. 6. 4. If any by Words only quarrel, chide, or brawl in the Church or Church-Yard, the Ordinary on Proof by two Witnesses may suspend him, if Lay, *ab Ingressu Ecclesiæ*, if Clerk, *ab Officio*, as long as he thinks meet.

If any smite, or lay violent Hands on another, he shall be *ipso facto* excommunicate.

If any maliciously strike with a Weapon, or draw a Weapon to strike in the Church or Church-Yard, and be convicted by Verdict, Confession, or two Witnesses before the Justices of Assize, Oyer and Terminer, or the Peace, he shall lose one of his Ears, or if none, be stigmatized on the Cheek with an hot Iron with the Letter F. and besides stand *ipso facto* excommunicate.

The Ecclesiastical Court has Jurisdiction to give Sentence of Excommunication and there must be a Sentence declaratory at least, for striking in a Church-Yard. *Bilson v. Chapman, H. 9. G. 2. B. R. H. 190.*

And this may be done without any prior Conviction. *Ibid.*

Unless on the third Clause of striking with, or drawing a Weapon, and there a temporal Punishment (the Loss of an Ear) being inflicted, and the Excommunication an accumulated Punishment, a prior Sentence is requisite. *Ibid.*

Cathedral Churches are within this Statute, and Church-Yards which belong to them. *R. Cro. El. 224. 1 Leq. 248.*

So it shall be within the Statute, if any smite or draw a Weapon to smite, &c. in his own Defence. *Vide Noy 171.*

But the Indictment must say, *quod malitiose percussit, or extraxit cum Intentione ad percutiendum.* *R. Noy 171, 2.*

So he shall not be excommunicated, 'till the Conviction transmitted to the Ordinary, and Sentence upon it, tho' the Statute says, he shall be *ipso facto* excommunicated. *Dub. Dy. 275, b. But acc. in Marg. R. Cro. El. 919.*

'Till the Conviction transmitted, but that is sufficient without Sentence upon it. *R. 1 Vent. 146.*

(B.) Burial.

In What Place it shall be.

BURIAL was the usual Character of a Parochial Church. *Seld. de Dec. c. 9. sect. 4. Vide Esglise, (C.)*

And therefore, every Person, (who may have Christian Burial,) may have Burial in the Church-Yard where he dies, by the general Custom of England.

And that, without any Fee for breaking up the Soil. *R. 1 Sal. 334.*

Tho' the Church-Yard be in a City, where anciently no Burial was allowed without the King's Licence.

So by the Canon, *Ne cui pro Pecunia denegetur sepultura, sed si quid devotione fidelium consuetum fuerit erogari, volumus per ordinarium loci Ecclesiis Justitiam fieri.* *Lind. 278, 279.*

And therefore, in *Ecclesia vel Cæmeterio, pro sepulturâ nihil exigere debet, nec pro Officio sepulturæ.* *Lind. 278.*

So, tho' by the Canon, *Laicus non sepeliatur in Ecclesia, nisi in Cæmeterio;*

Yet by the Custom of England, every one, (who shall have Christian Burial,) may have Burial in the common Part of the Church, or Chancel, paying the usual Fee to the Parson for breaking up the Soil. *Vide Esglise, (G. 1.)*

The usual Fee is 3s. 4d. in the Church: 6s. 8d. in the Chancel.

Or, by Custom, it may be more. *1 Sal. 334. 2 Keb. 778. 3 Keb. 523*

So,

So, by Custom the Fee shall be paid to the Churchwardens, tho' of Common Right it belongs to the Parson.

So a Man may prescribe, that he is Tenant of an ancient Messuage, and ought to have separate Burial in such a Vault within the Church.

Or, in such an Isle, or the Quire.

And if he be disturbed, he may have an Action upon the Case. 2. Cro. 606.

But a Custom, that every Parishioner has a Right to bury his dead Relations in the Church-Yard, as near to their Ancestors as possible, is bad. *Fryer v. Johnson*, M. 29 G. 2. 2 Wils. 28.

So, tho' by the Canon, a Man shall be intombed, *ubi decimas persolvebat vivus*;

Yet he may by his Will appoint his Burial at such a Monastery, &c. as he pleases *Seld. de Dec. c. 9. sect. 4.*

And if the Burial be out of the Parish where he died, the Parson of the Parish where he died cannot prescribe for a Fee for his Funeral, unless he was a Parishioner there. *R. Hob. 175.*

So altho' he was a Parishioner; for he ought not to have a Fee, where nothing is done. *Semb. Sal. 332.*

But by the Canon a *Felo de se* shall not have Burial in the Church, or Church Yard, without a Licence from the Bishop or Ordinary.

Nor, a Man excommunicated.

(C.) Tomb, Monument, &c.

SO an Heir, or Executor may erect, or set up a Tomb-stone, or other Monument in a convenient Place within the Church or Church-Yard, for the Honour of his Ancestor there buried.

And, if any one pull down or deface such Tomb-stone or Monument, the Heir may have an Action for it. *Co. L. 18. b.*

So, if any deface the Arms, Pennons, &c. put up in a Window, or elsewhere, in Honour of his Ancestor. *Co. L. 18. b.*

Tho' they are defaced by the Parson, Ordinary or Churchwardens, as well as by a Stranger. *R. 2. Cro. 367.*

So the Wife or Executors, who set them up, may have an Action for defacing them in their Time. *Co. L. 18. b.*

But a Monument, Tomb, &c. cannot be erected to the Hindrance of Divine Service. 3 *Inst. 202.*

C E N S U R E S:

Ecclesiastical Censures.

Vide Prærogative, (D. 12.)

C E R T A I N T Y:

Vide Abatement, (H. 5.)—Action upon the Case upon Assumpsit, (A. 3. &c.—H. 3.)—Action upon the Case upon Trover, (G. 2, &c.—Appeal, (G. 6.)—Arbitrament, (E. 11.)—Copyhold, (S. 19.)—Grant, (E. 14.—G. 5, 6.)—Indictment, G. 1, &c.) Information, (D. 2.)—Mandamus, (D. 5.)—Obligation, (B. 2.)—Pleader, (C. 17, &c. 48.—E. 5, &c.—F. 17.—S. 21, 41, 42.—2 W. 7.—2 Z. 1.—3 M. 5.)—Præscription, (E. 3.)—Rent, (B. 7.)—Retorn, (E. 1, 2.)

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CERTIFICATE.

(A.) Trial by Certificate of the Bishop.

(A. 1.) When it shall be.

IF there be Issue upon general Bastardy, it shall be tried by the Certificate of the Bishop, *Vide in Bastard*, (D. 2.)

So, if the Issue be, *an unques accouple en loyal Matrimony*. 2 Rol. 584. l. 52. *Vide in Pleader*, (2 Y. 10.)

If the Issue be, *whether there was a Divorce*. 2 Rol. 585. l. 47.

Whether there was Bigamy. 2 Rol. 587. l. 7.

Whether a Man was professed in Religion. 2 Rol. 584. l. 12. 586. l. 51.

So, *whether he was professed of such an Order*. 2 Rol. 584. l. 10. 586. l. 53.

So, where the Issue is, *whether a Prior was Dative, or Perpetual*. 2 Rol. 587. l. 10. 584. l. 20.

So, where the Issue is, *whether a Clerk were instituted, or not*, it shall be tried by the Ordinary. 2 Rol. 584. l. 3. Dy. 78. b.

So, *full or not full*; for the Church is full by Institution. 2 Rol. 583. l. 52.

So an Issue *whether a Clerk was able or not*, when the Clerk is alive. 2 Rol. 583. l. 40.

Whether a Clerk resigned, or was deprived. 2 Rol. 583. l. 45, 6.

Whether a Church be void by Deprivation. 2 Rol. 583. l. 45.

Whether a Bishop be consecrated, or not. 2 Rol. 588. l. 30.

Tho' the Issue be upon the Time of the Consecration. 2 Rol. 588. l. 35.

So, if the Issue be, *whether the Dean or another is Guardian of the Spiritualities*. 2 Rol. 588. l. 26.

Whether a Clerk was infra sacros Ordines. *Adm.* 2 Lev. 250.

Or was so at the Time of his Institution; for the Time here refers to the Institution, which shall be tried by the Ordinary. *Semb.* 2 Lev. 250.

So an Issue, *whether excommunicated or not*, shall be tried by the Ordinary. *Co.* L. 134. a.

Whether an Executor refused to make Probate of a Will. *Semb.* 1. Leo. 205.

So by the St. 1 Jac. 4. *Whether a Recusant conformed*. *Hard.* 62.

(A. 2.) When not.

But if a Matter of Spiritual Cognizance is not directly in Issue, it shall be tried by the Country: As, where Bastardy is not directly in Issue. *Vide Bastard*. (D. 2.)

If the Issue be, *Wife or not Wife, espoused or not, &c.* 2 Roll. 585. l. 10. 17. *Sto.* 50. *Sti.* 10. 1. *Leo.* 53.

Whether Feme Sole, or Covert. 2 Rol. 585. l. 7, 12, 15, 20.

Whether A. be her Husband, or not. 2 Rol. 585. l. 21.

If the Issue be, *that she was married before her Age of Consent to B. and afterwards to the Demandant, and so his Wife, and not the Wife of B.* 2 Rol. 585. l. 25.

So, *Marriage or not*; for the Marriage in Fact, and not the Legality of the Marriage, is in Question. R. 2 Rol. 585. l. 50. 2 Cro. 102.

So in a Personal Action, if the Issue be, *whether lawfully married*; for the Marriage is the Substance of the Issue, and lawfully ought not to have been added. R. 1 Lev. 41.

So, if a Matter of Spiritual Cognizance concerns Persons dead, or Strangers to the Action: As, if the Bastardy of B. be alledged, who is dead or a Stranger. *Vide Bastard*, (D. 2.)

So, if *ne unques accouple*, Profession &c. be alledged between Strangers. 2 Rol. 584. l. 15. 585. l. 37, 40.

If a Clerk be dead, when the Issue is, *whether he was able, or not.* 2 Rol. 583. l. 42.

So, if a Matter of Spiritual Cognizance is coupled and entangled with a Matter of Temporal Cognizance, it shall be tried by the Country: As *Special Bastardy.* *Vide in Bastard, (D. 2.)*

Marriage within Age of Consent, and afterwards a Dissent, and so not his Wife, shall be tried by the Country. 2 Rol. 585. l. 25.

So by the St. 12 Car. 2. 33. Bastardy, or Marriage according to an Ordinance of Parliament after 1 May, 1642, before 1660.

So, if the Issue be, *Prior or not Prior,* it shall be tried by the Country. 2 Rol. 584. l. 21.

Avoidance of a Church, &c. by being a Bishop in Ireland. Pal. 459.

So, *Parson or not,* upon special Matter. 2 Rol. 585. l. 30.

So, *infra sacros Ordines,* where it relates to Avoidance of a Church by the Act of Uniformity, D. 2 Lev. 250.

So, if there be Issue upon Institution and Induction. 2 Rol. 584. l. 7. 585. l. 30.

Whether a Church be void or not. 2 Rol. 584. l. 1. 588. l. 32.

Whether void by Resignation. 2 Rol. 583. l. 47.

If Issue be, *whether excommunicated after a Prohibition,* it shall be tried by the Country. 2 Rol. 585. l. 45.

Whether professed before a Feoffment; for the Question is upon the Time. 2 Rol. 588. l. 20.

So in the Case of Infancy, a Matter of Spiritual Cognizance shall be tried by the Country: As, Bastardy alledged in him. 2 Rol. 586. l. 40. *Vide Bastard, (D. 2.)*

A Divorce for Pra-contract of his Father and Mother, in an Affise by him. 2 Rol. 586. l. 37.

So, where it is pleaded only in Abatement. *Vide in Bastard, (D. 2.)*

As, if Profession, or Coverture be pleaded in Abatement. 2 Rol. 588. S.

So, where a Matter of Spiritual Cognizance comes in Question in a collateral Action. 2 Rol. 585. l. 40, 50. 586. l. 25. Hob. 179. *Vide supra,* where it is not directly in Issue.

So if the Bishop return, *that the Party is exempted out of his Jurisdiction,* it shall be tried by the Country; as, Profession, where the Bishop returns, *that he is exempted.* 2 Rol. 587. l. 2.

So, if the Power of the Bishop to make a Certificate be taken away by Act of Parliament. Semb. Hard. 65.

(A. 3.) By whom the Certificate shall be.

(A. 3.)
If the Bishop
be a Party.

So, if the Bishop be a Party to the Suit, the Trial shall not be by his Certificate: As, in a Real Action against a Bishop, if he plead, *that the Demandant is a Bastard,* it shall not be tried by himself, but by the Metropolitan. 2 Rol. 587. l. 45.

So in a *Quare Impedit,* where the Bishop appears to be the Disturber; if the Issue be triable by the Ordinary, a Writ goes to the Metropolitan. Dyer 353. b.

As, if a Bishop alledge Refusal, because the Clerk was *inhabilis.* 2 Rol. 587. l. 25. Dyer 327. b.

So, if the Issue be, *whether the Bishop be consecrated,* it shall be tried by the Metropolitan. 2 Rol. 590. l. 10.

So, if the Archbishop of York be Party, it shall be by the Archbishop of Canterbury. 2 Rol. 589. l. 30, 40. Dy. 328. a.

But if the Bishop is not the Disturber, a Writ to certify may be directed to him: As in a *Quare Impedit,* where the Bishop claims nothing, but as Ordinary. 2 Rol. 587. l. 30.

Yet, if the Bishop is a Party, tho' he is not the Disturber, the Writ may be to him, or to the Metropolitan at Election. R. 2 Rol. 587. l. 40. 1 Rol. 364. 398.

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So if he be the Disturber, the Writ may be to him, at the Election of the Party. *Semb.* 1 *Rol.* 364. 397.

If there should be a Writ to the Metropolitan, and the See become void, (A. 4.) the Certificate shall be by the Guardian of the Spiritualties. 2 *Rol.* 587. If the See be vacant.

And the Writ shall be, to the Guardian of the Spiritualties, *Sede vacante.* 2 *Rol.* 589. l. 3, 5. *Dy.* 77. a.

And if any one by Composition be Guardian of the Spiritualties, it shall be directed to him. 2 *Rol.* 588. l. 53.

So in the Vacancy of a Bishoprick, it shall be directed to the Guardian of the Spiritualties of the Bishop. 2 *Rol.* 590. l. 25. *Dy.* 350. a.

Tho' the See of the Bishop, or Archbishop, become vacant after Issue, or Judgment, and before the Writ awarded. 2 *Rol.* 590. l. 30.

So, by Custom, the Writ shall be to the Archdeacon of *Chester*, as immediate Ordinary, for all Things within the County of *Chester*. 2 *Rol.* 588. l. 45.

And to the Archdeacon of *Richmond*, for all Things within

So Excommunication may be certified by the Delegates. 2 *Rol.* 590. l. 34. *R. Dy.* 371. b.

But, generally, the Writ shall be directed to the Bishop, tho' he be absent out of the Realm. 2 *Rol.* 589. l. 10.

Tho' his Vicar in his Absence refuse the Writ. 2 *Rol.* 589. l. 15.

Tho' the Temporalities are seized into the King's Hands. 2 *Rol.* 590. l. 20.

Tho' the Bishop be only elected, and not consecrated. 2 *Rol.* 590. l. 51.

Yet, if the King by his Writ certify the Absence of the Bishop, before the Writ awarded, or before the Return of it, the Writ shall be directed to the Bishop, or his Vicar-General. 2 *Rol.* 589. l. 20, 25.

If the Writ be directed to the Guardian of the Spiritualties, and before Execution a Bishop is created, there shall be a new Writ to him. 2 *Rol.* 590. l. 35. *Dy.* 350. a.

(A. 5.) Upon what Foundation, and at what Time.

None can write to the Bishop to make a Certificate, except the King's Courts. *Co. L.* 134. a. 2 *Rol.* 589. l. 50.

As, B. R. or C. B. *Co. L.* 134. a. 2 *Rol.* 589. l. 50.

The Justices of Goal Delivery. *Co. L.* 134. a. 2 *Rol.* 589. l. 50.

But the Courts of *London*, *Norwich*, *York*, &c. cannot write to the Ordinary. 2 *Rol.* 589. l. 50.

And therefore, if a Plea be there of a Matter triable by the Certificate of the Ordinary, after Issue joined, there shall be a *Mittimus* to remove it in B. &c. and after a Writ to the Bishop, and a Certificate upon it, there shall be a *Procedendo*. 2 *Rol.* 589. l. 50.

A Certificate by the Bishop of Bastardy, &c. is of no Avail, except upon the King's Writ to him directed.

And the Writ shall always be to the Bishop, not to his Commissary, &c. *R.* 1 *Leo.* 205.

If there be a Writ to the Bishop to certify Bastardy, &c. and afterwards the Affise discontinues by the Justices not coming, and a Re-attachment is sued, the Bishop may afterwards make a Certificate without a new Writ. 2 *Rol.* 590. l. 50.

(A. 6.) How it shall be made.

The Certificate of the Ordinary must be positive, and express. *Vide Bastard*, (D. 2.)—*Pleader*, (2 Y. 10.)

The Certificate of the Bishop shall be conclusive; for no Averment lies against it. *R.* 1 *Leo.* 205.

But

But an Action upon the Case lies for a false Certificate, as for a false Return.
Semb. 1 Leo. 205.

Vide Excomengement, (B. 2, &c.)

(B) Trial by Certificate of the Recorder of London.

IF Issue be joined, whether there be such a Custom of London, it shall be tried by the Mayor and Aldermen, by the Mouth of the Recorder. 2 Rol. 579. l. 10. 580. l. 5. to 25, 35, 40. 2 Inst. 126. Confirmed by Charter 2 Ed. 4.

And the Recorder may make his Certificate *ore tenus*. Cro. Car. 361. 516.

The Custom to be tried does not concern Lands, or a Devise of them, but a collateral Thing. R. 2 Rol. 579. l. 35. Cro. Car. 517. Jon. 412.

That it be in an Action by *Quidam*, &c. which concerns the King. R. 2 Rol. 579. l. 30.

And upon such Issue, there shall be a Surmise by the Plaintiff, that it ought to be certified by the Recorder. 2 Rol. 581. l. 5. Cro. Car. 516.

But if there be a Custom for the Profit of the City, it shall be tried by the Country, and not by the Mouth of the Recorder: As, whether there be a Custom, that every Freeman shall be quit of Payment, &c. R. 2 Rol. 579. l. 15. Hob. 86.

That such a Thing shall be forfeited to the Mayor, Citizens, and Commonalty, &c. R. 2 Rol. 581. l. 10.

So if the Custom is not directly in Issue, it shall be tried by the Country: As, if a Custom be alledged for a Market in London every Day in the Week, &c. and the Issue is, that there is no such Market. R. 2 Rol. 580. l. 30. Hob. 87.

(C) Trial by Certificate of the Marshal, &c.

IF upon a *Distringas* for Escuage, the Issue be, whether the Tenant was in Scotland with the King for 40 Days, it shall be tried by the Certificate of the Marshal of the King's Host under his Seal. 2 Rol. 583. l. 30. Lit. Sect. 102.

So, if Issue be, whether a Man outlawed was in Prison at Bourdeaux at the Time of the Outlawry, it shall be tried by the Certificate of the Mayor of Bourdeaux. Co. Lit. 74. d.

Certificate of Affise.

Vide Affise, (B. 27, 28.)

Bankrupt's Certificate.

Vide Bankrupt, (D. 37.)

Vide Enquest, (A. 2, 3.)—Statute Staple, (D. 2.)

C E R T I O R A R I.

(A. 1.) **When it lies.**

THE Writ of *Certiorari*, is an Original Writ issuing out of the Chancery, or B. R. when the King would be certified of any Record in any other Court of Record. F. N. B. 245. A.

On the King may command the Tenor of the Record, at his Election. *F. N. B. 245. B.*

So, if *Nul tiel Record* be pleaded in *C. B.* the Court may award a *Certiorari*. *1 Rol. 394. l. 15. Hob. 135. R. Cro. Car. 297.*

[If a *Certiorari* issues to use the Record as Evidence, then the Tenor, if returned, is sufficient, and countervails the Plea of *Nul tiel Record*; but if the Record is to be procted upon, the Record itself must be removed, and this, whether it is before Judgment or after; and in this Case, the Writ must be superseded, and not quashed, which can only be done on a View of the Record itself. *Woodcroft v. Kinaston, T. 1742. 2 Atkyns 317.*]

And therefore, the King may command the Justices of *C. B.* to certify him of any Record before them in his *Chancery*. *F. N. B. 244.*

Or, to send all Records depending in *C. B.* before the Justices in *Eyre* to be determined by them. *F. N. B. 243. K.*

And if the Justices in *Eyre* cannot determine during their Stay in the same County, they shall be removed by *Certiorari* into *C. B.* again. *F. N. B. 243. K.*

So a *Certiorari* lies to the Chief Justice of *B. R.* to certify a Condemnation there for the King's Fine, or other Record, to the Intent to have a Pardon, &c. *F. N. B. 245. G. 246. C.*

So there may be a *Certiorari* to Justices of Assise, to certify a Record before them into *Chancery*. *F. N. B. 244. C.*

Or, to remove all Proceedings before them, before the new Justices of Assise. *F. N. B. 242. D. 243. C. D.*

Or, before other Justices, to the Intent to have an Attaint. *F. N. B. 242. E.*

[*Certiorari* to the Justices of Assise, shall be granted to the Crown or Prosecutor, without special Reason alledged; *secus* to the Defendant. *Garland v. Barton, M. 11 G. 2. Andr. 27.*]

It lies to remove an Information before Justices of Assise, against a Parson for Non-residence, for they have no Jurisdiction in the Cause. *Ibid.*]

So, to Justices in *Eyre* to remove a Record, or Proceedings before them. *F. N. B. 242. E. 243. K. 1 Sid. 296.*

So, if a Record be removed into the *Exchequer*, there may be a *Certiorari* to the Treasurer and Chamberlains of the *Exchequer*. *F. N. B. 242. F. G. 243. A. 246. O.*

So a *Certiorari* lies to the Treasurer and Barons to certify the Debt of *B.* or his Ancestor to the King, without saying, into *B. R.* or into *Chancery*. *F. N. B. 246. G.*

So a *Certiorari* lies to the Justices of Goal-Delivery. *F. N. B. 246. A. H.*

So a *Certiorari* lies to the Justices of Oyer and Terminer to certify a Record into *B. R.* in order to have Execution upon it. *F. N. B. 246. B.*

So, after Conviction, in order to have Judgment. *1 Sal. 149. Mod. Ca. 17.*

To the Mayor and Sheriffs of *London*, to remove a Record before them to be determined in *B. R.* *F. N. B. 245. E. 246. L.*

To the Steward and Marshal of the King's House. *F. N. B. 246. F. K.*

To Justices of Peace, to remove an Indictment before them. *Mod. Ca. 17.*

[To remove an Indictment, for not doing Statute-Labour in the Highway. *Rex v. Eachard, 12 G. Rex v. Greenhaw, M. 3 G. 2. Str. 849.*]

To remove an Indictment at Sessions against private Persons, for not repairing a Bridge. *Rex v. Hamworth, P. 4 G. 2. Str. 900.*

To the Quarter Sessions of a Corporation to remove an Indictment, on Affidavit that Defendant could not have a fair Trial. *Rex v. Fawle, M. 13 G. Ld. Raym. 1452.*]

Or, to them, to remove an Outlawry, and Process transmitted to them. *F. N. B. 246. I.*

So it lies to Justices of Peace, to remove any Order made by them. *R. 3 Mod. 95.*

To the Sessions, to remove an Order of two Justices. *Rex v. Warminster, M. 8 G. Str. 470.*

To remove Order of Justices before Appeal, where only one Party has a Right to appeal, for he may waive it; or where no Time is limited for appealing, for then a *Certiorari* might never lie; but where two Parties have a Right to

appeal, and the Time of appealing is fixed, there it shall not be granted till after Appeal, or after the Time for it. *Rex v. Harman, H. 12 G. 2. Andr. 343.*

One *Certiorari* lies to remove several Orders and Convictions, if they relate to the same Persons and the same Matter: *Ibid.*

It lies to remove Orders of Conviction on the Conventicle Act, 22 C. 2. c. 1. after appeal to Quarter Sessions, Trial, Verdict and Judgment; for the Jurisdiction of B. R. is not taken away without expresse Words. *Rex v. Moreley, T. 33 & 34 G. 2. 2 B. M. 1040.*

To remove Order of Quarter Sessions, on Appeal from a Scavenger's Rate, altho' 2 W. & M. ft. 2. c. 8. says their Order shall be final without any Appeal to any Court. *Rex v. St. Andrew's Holbourn, H. 4 G. 3. 3 B. M. 1458.]*

Or, to a particular Justice of Peace, for a Conviction, or Order by him. [But by 13 G. 2. c. 18. ff. 5. no *Certiorari* shall issue to remove any Proceedings before Justices or Quarter Sessions, unless applied for within six Calendar Months, and Proof on Oath of six Days Notice in Writing to the Justice, or two of them, if so many.]

Certiorari to remove Order of Bastardy, shall not be granted, if not applied for in six Months, tho' it was made before *stat. 13 G. 2. Rex v. Howlett, M. 17 G. 2. Wils. 35.]*

So, to Commissioners of Sewers, for all Orders or Proceedings before them. *F. N. B. 247. A. 1 Sal. 145. Vide Sewers, (I. 1.)*

[To Commissioners of Sewers, for their Order to remove their Clerk, it is of common Right; but in other Cases, where Danger of Inundation may be, it is discretionary. *Commissioners of Sewers in Yorkshire, M. 11 G. Str. 609.*

On the Clerk of Commissioners of Sewers being removed, and another appointed, B. R. will not, on the Rule to shew Cause, suffer them to make out their Titles by Affidavits, but will grant *Certiorari*. *Rex v. Banks, M. 11 G. Fort. 374.]*

To a Bishop to certify Admission, Institution, and Induction to a Church. *F. N. B. 246. M.*

To an Escheator. *F. N. B. 247. H.*

To the *Custos Brevium* of C. B. to certify a Writ Original, or Judicial. *F. N. B. 246. N.*

To the Mayor of the Staple, to certify a Statute before him. *F. N. B. 244. D. Vide Statute Staple, (D. 2.)*

To a Sheriff, for the Record of a *Re-disseisin*, or *Post Disseisin* before him. *F. N. B. 242. B.*

And that, to the Intent to have Execution out of B. R. *F. N. B. 242. B.*

[It lies to remove Inquisition taken by the Sheriff under a private Act of Parliament, and the Verdict and Judgment thereon. *Rex v. Mayor of Liverpool, T. 8 G. 3. 4 B. M. 2244.]*

To Sheriffs and Coroners, to certify an Outlawry in the County. *F. N. B. 245. G.*

So it lies to the Mayor, Bailiffs, or other Judge of a Court in a City or Town, to remove a Record into B. R. to have Execution there. *F. N. B. 243. B.*

So, to the Censors of the College of Physicians, to remove a Judgment by them for male Practice. *R. 1 Sal. 144.*

So, to every inferior Jurisdiction of Record. *1 Sal. 144.*

Tho' it be within a County Palatine, or in Wales, &c. *R. 1 Sal. 146. 148. R. 2 Sal. 29. Vide Franchises, (D. 1, &c.)*

[To remove Indictment from Quarter Sessions in Wales, without stopping at the Grand Sessions. *Rex v. Lewis, T. 9 G. 3. 4 B. M. 2456.]*

[To the Grand Sessions in Wales, on an Indictment for Misdemeanor. *Rex v. Lewis, T. 12 G. Str. 704. B. R. H. 163.]*

Or, the Cinque Ports. 2 Lev. 86. *Vide Franchises, (E. 1, &c.)*

Vide Pleader, (3 K. 7.)

[The King's Attorney General has a Right to demand it, when the Right of the Crown is concerned; even to move it on the Part of the Defendant. *R. v. Tindal, P. 27 G. 2. R. v. Burgefs, P. 27 G. 2.*

But where there is a private Prosecutor, it is discretionary, yet 'tis of Course for Prosecutor; but Defendant must shew special Ground, or to obtain *Procedendo*. *Ibid. Rex v. Lewis, T. 9 G. 3. 4 B. M. 2456.]*

(A. 2.) When a *Mittimus* thereupon.

After a Record removed by *Certiorari* to the *Chancery* out of *C. B.* or other Court, it may by *Mittimus* be transmitted to *B. R.* *F. N. B. 244. A. B.*

Or, when removed by *Certiorari* from the Justices of Assize, or other Justices to the *Chancery*, it may be transmitted to *C. B.* *F. N. B. 244. C.*

So a Record, removed by *Certiorari* to another Court, or Justices, may afterwards be transmitted to *B. R.* or other Justices at the King's Election. *F. N. B. 245. F.*

Or, it may be removed by *Certiorari* to *B. R.* immediately, without a *Mittimus*. *R. 1 Lev. 312.*

But if there be a material Variance between the *Certiorari* and the Order, &c. the Record shall not be removed thereby: As, if there be a *Certiorari* for an Order concerning *foreign Salt*, and the Order is for *Salt*, generally. *R. 1 Sal. 145.*

If it be for an Indictment only, and the Indictment and Conviction also are returned. *1 Sal. 150.*

If the Indictment be after the *Certiorari* granted. *1 Sid. 317.*

If a Record be removed by *Certiorari* after Conviction in another Court, the Party must waive the Issue, and it shall be tried *de novo*; otherwise *B. R.* will not give Judgment upon a Conviction in another Court. *R. Carth. 6.*

[The Recognizance of a Receiver of an Infant's Estate in *Ireland*, cannot be transmitted to the *Exchequer* in *Ireland* by *Mittimus*, but a Bill must be filed there, and the Certificate of the Recognizance here will be Evidence. *Lord Castlemain v. Lady Castlemain, H. 1727. Bunb. 249.*]

(B) How a *Certiorari* shall be prosecuted.

[THE Affidavits for a *Certiorari* shall be intitled by the Name of the Cause in the Court below. *Rex v. Lewis, T. 12 G. Str. 704.*]

By the St. 1 & 2 Pb. & M. 13. A *Certiorari* to remove a Prisoner out of Gaol, or a Recognizance shall be signed by the Chief Justice, or in his Absence by the other Justices of the Court whence it issues, on Pain of 5*l.* against the Prosecutor.

By the St. 5 & 6 W. & M. 11. No *Certiorari* shall be granted to remove an Indictment for a Trespass, or a Misdemeanor from the Quarter Sessions in Term, but on a Rule in *B. R.* on Motion of Counsel in open Court, nor in Vacation, but on Allowance of a Judge, who shall indorse his Name, and the Name of him who demands it.

In Vacation there must be a *Fiat* signed by a Judge for a *Certiorari* for Orders of Justices. *1 Sal. 150.*

And the *Fiat* and the Writ also must be signed by a Judge in a *Certiorari* for an Indictment. *1 Sal. 150.*

And a *Fiat* after the *Effoin* Day of the Term, for a *Certiorari*, which was tested in the preceding Term, will be irregular. *R. 1 Sal. 150.*

So by the St. 21 Jac. 8. A *Certiorari* to remove an Indictment of Riot, forcible Entry, or Assault and Battery from the Quarter Sessions, shall be delivered in open Court, and not allowed unless the Indicttee be bound in Sureties in 10*l.* to the Prosecutor, to pay Costs, which the Justices in the Quarter-Sessions shall assess, within a Month after Conviction.

So by the St. 13 & 14 Car. 2. 6. It shall not be allowed to remove Proceedings about Highways, unless bound, &c. in 40*l.* to pay Costs to be ascertained upon Oath.

[*Certiorari pro Rege* lies in case of Highways, tho' no Affidavit nor Recognizance; for the St. 13 & 14 C. 2. c. 6. 3 W. & M. and 5 W. & M. c. 11. relate only to *Certiorari*'s applied for by Defendants. *Rex v. Forewell, P. 17 G. 2. Str. 1209.*]

Nor,

Nor, by the St. 5 & 6 W. & M. 11. To remove an Indictment for a Trespass or Misdemeanor before Trial, unless bound, &c. (in a Recognizance of 20*l.* before Justices of Peace (or by the St. 8 & 9 W. 3. 33. before a Judge of B. R.) to appear, plead, and try it the next Assizes, or if in London or Middlesex, the next Term, or Sitting after Term.

And if he be convicted, B. R. shall give Costs, and upon Oath of Refusal for ten Days after Demand, send an Attachment. [The Stat. 5 & 6 W. & M. 11. as to Defendant's paying Costs to Prosecutor, extends only to Officers and Persons really injured; therefore Defendant indicted for an Attempt to commit Felony, where no Damage is done to the Prosecutor, shall not pay Costs. *Rex v. Ingleton*, M. 10 G. 2. *Wils.* 139.

But it is sufficient if Prosecutor is proved to be a Civil Officer (as by Affidavit) tho' it is not inserted on the Indictment. *Rex v. Smith*, Mich. 30 G. 2. 1 B. M. 54.

If, on removing Indictment from Sessions of Oyer and Terminer, Defendant enters into Recognizance of 50*l.* to plead, go to Trial, and appear on the Return of the Verdict, this is not a Recognizance on Stat. 5 & 6 W. & M. c. 11. but at Common Law, and Defendant shall not pay Costs. *Rex v. Sidney*, P. 15 G. 2. *Str.* 1165. *Rex v. Fonseca*, M. 30 G. 2. 1 B. M. 10.]

And if Bail be not found before a Judge since the St. 8 & 9 W. 3. 33. a *Certiorari* ought not to be allowed. *1 Str.* 149.

So by the St. 3 & 4 W. & M. 10. s. 6. There shall be no *Certiorari* to remove a Conviction or Proceeding on that Act, against destroying Deer, unless bound by Recognizance with Sureties, as the Justices of Peace before whom he is convicted shall approve, in 50*l.* conditioned to pay the Prosecutor his full Costs, to be ascertained by Oath.

So by Rule in B. R. Mich. 3 W. & M. On a *Certiorari* to remove any Indictment, or Presentment from any County or Corporation, except London or Middlesex, the Prosecutor at the Return shall procure two Men to give a Recognizance before a Judge of the Court to plead, and if Issue be joined, to try it on Notice to the Prosecutor or his Clerk at the next Assizes, and in Default thereof, before the End of the Term a *Procedendo* shall go. *Sho.* 336.

So by the St. 5 G. 15. No *Certiorari* shall be to remove a Conviction for Deer-stealing, till Security to pay the Forfeiture as well as Costs, and render the Party to Justice in a Month after the Conviction confirmed.

But a Recognizance is not forfeited for not trying, unless the Prosecutor gives a Rule for it. *1 Sal.* 370.

If the Sureties are worth as much as the Statute requires, the Justices of Peace cannot refuse them as insufficient. *R. Mar.* 27.

If a Recognizance be given upon a *Certiorari* for Costs; the Prosecutor shall have only Costs upon the Writ, and after it. *R. 1 Sal.* 55.

[On *Certiorari* to remove Indictment for Perjury, if Defendant makes up the Record, carries it down toittings, with a *Distingas*, and Attorney-General's Warrant for a *Tales*, there being special Jury, and Eleven only appear, and the Warrant is given Prosecutor's Counsel, and they will not pray a *Tales*, and Defendant does not, and Cause is made a *Remanet pro defectu Jurator*, Defendant shall not pay Costs. *Rex v. Lowfield*, T. 5 & 6 G. 2. *Str.* 937.

If Prosecutor has obtained a third Part of the Fine, it shall be deducted out of the Costs taxed on the Recognizance. *R. v. Osborne*, T. 7 G. 3. 4 B. M. 2125.]

And the Prosecutor, after the Costs paid, ought not to move for an Aggravation of the Fine. *R. 1 Sal.* 55.

[On Indictment on 5 Eliz. c. 4. for exercising a Trade, &c. removed by Defendant after Conviction; he may, on Motion, pay the Penalty without Costs, and have his Recognizance discharged. *Rex v. Strong*, M. 31 G. 2. 1 B. M. 431.

If A. convicts B. on the Game Laws before a Justice, and he pays the Penalty, and then A. brings Action for the same Offence, the Justice refuses Copy of Conviction, and B. brings *Certiorari* merely to have the Conviction to plead; A. gets it affirmed, and then becomes non-suited in the Action: the Court

Court will not give Costs on the *Certiorari*, but order the Bond to be delivered up. *Rex v. Midlam*, T. 5 G. 3. 3 B. M. 1720.]

If a Recognizance be taken for 40*l.* not for 20*l.* as a Statute speaks, it will be a good Recognizance, tho' no *Supersedeas*. *R. Sal.* 564.

If he, who sues a *Certiorari*, does not appear in Court within the Term, when the Writ is returned, he shall forfeit his Recognizance. *Mod. Ca.* 220.

If, upon a *Certiorari*, the Party gives a Recognizance, and does not prosecute with Effect, viz. does not quash or traverse the Indictment, an Attachment lies against him. *R. Mar. Pl.* 118.

[If Defendant, convicted on Penal Statute, brings *Certiorari*, and dies before Argument, the Court will go on. *Rex v. Roberts*, T. 5 & 6 G. 2. *Str.* 937.

If no Proceedings in two or three Terms, Order shall be affirmed. *Rex v. Oulton*, H. 9 G. 2. B. R. H. 206.

If Defendant has paid Costs for not going on to Trial, Prosecutor shall not quash, but on Payment of Costs. *Rex v. Moore*, H. 6 G. 2. *Str.* 946.

If the Prosecutor enlarges the Rule to shew Cause why an Order should not be quashed, he shall not afterwards object to the issuing the *Certiorari*. *Rex v. Hartshorn*, H. 32 G. 2. 2 B. M. 745.

Proceedings being removed from inferior Court of Record, where Parties were at Issue, Plaintiff must declare *de novo*. *Barnes* 345.]

(C) How it shall be returned.

A *Certiorari* shall be returned by the Justices, to whom it is directed, with the Record, &c. annexed, not by the Clerk of the Peace. *R. Sal.* 479.

By a Rule in B. R. *Mich.* 3 W. & M. It shall be returned the first Return of the next Term. *Sbo.* 336.

Justices of Peace must return, tho' Bail be not found according to the Stat. *D. 1 Sid.* 70.

Justices of Peace ought to return all Indictments against him who procures it, found before the Return, tho' not indicted at the Time of the awarding of the Writ, or Delivery to the Officer. *R. 1 Rol.* 395. l. 30.

If it be for Indictments against six named in the Writ, if four of them only are indicted, the Indictments shall be removed. *R. 1 Rol.* 395. l. 35.

The Names of the Indictors ought to be returned upon every Indictment removed. *St. P. C.* 71. a.

If there be a *Certiorari* for a Conviction, &c. it must be drawn in Form; for a Return of Affidavits and Warrants is not sufficient. *1 Sal.* 146.

So, if the Return be, *Tenor cujus Ordinis sequitur*; for it ought to say, *quidem Ordo*, &c. *1 Sal.* 147.

So, if there be a Return of a Transcript, the Record itself is removed. *Sal.* 565.

But if a *Certiorari* be for Indictments, in which A. B. and C. are indicted; an Indictment against A. alone, or against A. and B. shall not be returned. *1 Sal.* 146. 151.

If, for an Order of Settlement at N. M. an Order which settles at N. only shall not be returned. *R. Sal.* 452.

So in some Cases, the Return may be in *English*; as, in Orders by Justices, &c. *1 Sal.* 149.

If the Justices do not make a Return, an *Alias* and *Pluries* go, and if they do not return the *Pluries*, vel *Causam*, an Attachment goes. *F. N. B.* 245. A.

But Justices of Peace need not subscribe their Names; for *Responsio Justiciariorum Dominae Reginae*, is sufficient. *Mod. Ca.* 43.

So a *Certiorari* to remove an Order of Discharge of an Apprentice, need not return the Discharge itself under the Hands and Seals of the four Justices; for it is sufficient to say, that there was an Order under their Hands and Seals. *R. Sal.* 470.

[A *Certiorari*, being directed to the *Custos Brevium* of C. B. to return Original, he shall return the Original, and not that there is such Original in his Office,

but not filed, because Plaintiff had entered *ne recipiatur*; if otherwise, B. R. will commit him. *Cork v. Baker, M. 4 G. Str. 63.*

If a *Certiorari* is directed to the *Custos Brevium* of C. B. to certify an Original in London, and he returns there is none in the City of London, it is good; for the Court will take Notice that London is a City, it being mentioned to be so in several Acts of Parliament. *Withers v. Warner, P. 6 G. Str. 309.*

If, in a Return it is said, that a Man took a Lease for seven Years, the Court will presume it was by Deed. *Rex v. Little Dean, T. 9 G. Str. 555.*

The Return must be on Parchment; if on Paper, it shall be quashed. *Rex v. Stow Bardon, M. 9 G. 2. B. R. H. 173.]*

(D) When a Certiorari does not lie.

BUT a *Certiorari* lies only for the Tenor of a Record, when the Court, to which the Record by the *Certiorari* is removed, has no Jurisdiction to hold Plea upon the Record: As, if to an Information for Recusancy in C. B. it be pleaded, that he is a Recusant Convict before Justices of Peace, and upon *Nul tiel Record* a *Certiorari* goes to the Justices of Peace, the Tenor only of the Conviction shall be returned; for C. B. cannot hold Plea upon the Conviction, if it should be removed. *R. 1 Rol. 395. l. 50. Hob. 135.*

So, if a Judgment in an inferior Court be pleaded; upon *Nul tiel Record* pleaded, if a *Certiorari* goes, only the Tenor of the Record shall be certified. *Dy. 187. a.*

So by Charter, the City of London certifies only the Tenor of the Record. *1 Sid. 155. 230.*

By the St. 22 Car. 2. 12. It does not lie to remove Indictments for Repair of Causeys, Highways, or Bridges before Judgment.—But now by the St. 5 & 6 W. & M. 11. it shall be allowed upon an *Affidavit* that the Right of Repair is in Question.

So by the St. 7 & 8 W. 3. 6. No *Certiorari* shall remove or supersede the Proceedings or Judgment on that Act, unless the Title of the Tithes, &c. come in Question.

So it shall not be granted, to remove a Commitment for Felony, till an Indictment found. *1 Vent. 63.*

So a *Certiorari* shall not be granted, to remove an Indictment from the Old Bailey, or any Justices of Goal-Delivery, without special Cause. *1 Sal. 144, 150, 151. [Rex v. Gunston, P. 10 G. Str. 583. Rex v. Ferguson, P. 10 G. 2. B. R. H. 369.]*

[*Certiorari* granted to the Old Bailey, to remove Indictment for Forgery, Defendant being of good Repute, and Prosecution on slight Grounds. *Rex v. Wills, P. 9 G. Str. 549.*

Certiorari refused to a Colonel indicted for Perjury. And the Court declared they must make no Distinction of Persons, and that they cannot grant a *Certiorari* without Consent of the Prosecutor. *Rex v. Pusey, M. 13 G. Str. 717.*

The Court will grant *Certiorari* to remove Indictment of Perjury from the Old Bailey, if Defendant has twice paid Costs for not going on to Trial, the Judges being gone. *Rex v. Morgan, T. 9 G. 2. Str. 1049.*

Or, if Prosecutor's Attorney is Under-Sheriff of Middlesex, and attended the Grand Jury on finding the Bill. *Rex v. Webb, H. 10 G. 2. Str. 1068.]*

And if the Cause afterwards appears to be false, a *Procedendo* shall go. *1 Sal. 144.*

So it shall not be granted to remove a Conviction of Recusancy, in not taking the Oaths, &c. for thereby the Conviction would be made ineffectual. *R. 1 Sal. 145.*

[It does not lie, to remove a Poor's Rate itself. *Rex v. Uttoxeter, P. 5 G. 2. Str. 933. Rex v. Sbrewsbury, P. 7 G. 2. Str. 975.*

Nor on an Order on 7 & 8 W. 3. c. 29. for the Parish at large to repair the Highways, in aid of the Inship. *Rex v. Eckershall, M. 6 G. 2. Str. 944.]*

Nor, for an Order of Justices, upon which an Appeal lies, before an Appeal, the Time for an Appeal elapsed. 1 Sal. 147.

Yet, if no Objection is made till the Return filed, it will be too late. Sal. 147.

[Nor on an Appointment of Overseers, after an Appeal lodged till the Sessions have made a Determination. *Warwick's Case*, Mich. 8 G. 2. Str. 991.

But on Appointment of Overseers before Appeal, it lies. *Ibid*.

And if on Appeal from a Poor's Rate, Sessions order Books to be produced at an adjourned Day, *Certiorari* lies to remove that Order, notwithstanding the Appeal. *Ibid*.

To the Quarter-Sessions, to fetch up any Proceedings but their Orders; as their Refusal of a Certificate of the Loss of Malt burnt after Duty paid. *Case of Mayo and Parsons*, M. 7 G. Str. 391.]

So it shall not be granted regularly, after a Conviction upon an Indictment, before Judgment. 1 Sal. 149. Mod. Ca. 17. 61.

[A Verdict cannot be removed from Sessions, before Judgment; and *Certiorari*, if granted, shall be quashed. *Rex v. Nicolls*, P. 18 G. 2. Str. 1227.]

And if granted before Conviction, and not served till after, or Jury sworn, it shall be quashed. Mod. Ca. 61.

[Before *Certiorari* issues to remove Order for Quaker's Tithes, it ought to be determined, whether the Title is really in Question or not. *Rex v. Wakefield*, 31 G. 2. 1 B. M. 485.]

If *Certiorari* has issued, and the Return filed, yet, if it appears that the Title is not really in Question, the Court will order it to be superseded, *quia Improvide*, and the Return taken off the File. *Ibid*.

So if it issues, where it is taken away by Act of Parliament, (tho' Order of Sessions refers it to the Court by Consent of Parties) *Supersedeas quia improvide*. *R. v. Micklethwayte*, H. 10 G. 3. 4 B. M. 2522.]

So it is not usually granted, to remove an Indictment for Forgery, Perjury, or other great Offence. 1 Sid. 54.

[If an Attorney is indicted at the Assizes for Forgery, in altering a Fault in a Writ under Seal, the Court will not grant *Certiorari*. *Rex v. Elford*, M. 4 G. 2. Str. 877. *Rex v. Bastland*, H. 17 G. 2. Str. 1202.

Or, a Presentment before Justices in Eyre, before Conviction. 1 Sid. 296.

Nor, to a new Jurisdiction erected by Statute, which has a final Authority; if it proceeds according to the Statute. 1 Sid. 296.]

Nor, usually to a County Palatine. 2 Bul. 158.

So it shall not be granted, to remove a Record in which the King is concerned, without the Consent of the Attorney General. *R. Hard*. 409. *Sti*. 295.

[It lies not to remove Ejectment from Mayor's Court, but *Hab. Corp.* and Plaintiff declares *de novo*. In Replevin it lies, and Parties do not begin *de novo*. *Barnes* 421.]

And it seems to be in the Discretion of the Court, to grant it, or not. *Sti*. 126. 211.

(E) When it shall be a Supersedeas.

IF a *Certiorari* be delivered to a Justice of Peace, or other Justice to whom it is directed, it shall be a *Supersedeas*, and every Proceeding afterwards is a Contempt. *R. Yel*. 32. 1 Sal. 148.

And every Proceeding afterwards is void. *Per Kable. Attorney-General*, Cont. 6 H. 7. 16. *R. Mar*. 27.

And Error lies for it. *R. 1 Sal*. 148.

If it be delivered to one Justice only, it shall be a *Supersedeas* to all. *Yelv*. 32.

Tho' the Party does not sue for a Removal of the Record. *Yelv*. 32.

Tho' the Indictment be after the *Teste* of the *Certiorari*. *Yel*. 32. *R. 1 Sal*. 149.

So,

So, if several are indicted, and one of them only brings a *Certiorari*, it shall be a *Supersedeas* to all of them. *Dub. Mar. 112.*

So, if one only tenders a Surety according to the Statute, and the others refuse. *R. Mar. 27.*

So a *Certiorari* shall be a *Supersedeas* to the Justices, tho' delivered after the Return passed. *Yel. 32. R. Dy. 245.*

When a *Certiorari* is granted, the Party may have a *Supersedeas* out of *Chancery* to the Sheriff. *F. N. B. 237. E.*

So the Justices of Peace ought to award a *Supersedeas* to the Sheriff *ex Officio*. *2y. F. N. B. 237. E.*

(F) *When not.*

BUT a *Certiorari* will not be a *Supersedeas*, if no Sureties are found, when required by Statute. *Mod. Ca. 33, 43.*

Or, if the Party does not try the Indictment afterwards, according to the Condition of the Recognizance given. *Mod. Ca. 43.*

So a *Certiorari* delivered after the Jury are impanelled, and sworn, will not be a *Supersedeas* to the Taking of the Verdict. *R. 1 Sal. 144.*

Or, after a Warrant for Execution executed by Distress, the Officer may proceed in the Execution. *R. 1 Sal. 147.*

So, after a *Certiorari* for an Inquisition for a Forcible Detainer, if there be a new Forcible Detainer, the Justices may record the Force, tho' they cannot make Restitution. *1 Sal. 151.*

So a *Certiorari* in *Chancery* to remove the Tenor of a Record, will be no *Supersedeas*. *Semb. Skin. 419.*

(G) *Procedendo.*

IF Defendant is convicted on Confession, and then Prosecutor brings *Certiorari*, Defendant shall have *Procedendo*. *Rex v. Gwynne, H. 32 G. 2. 2 B. M. 749.*

After a *Certiorari* returned and filed in *B. R.* no *Procedendo* goes. *Mod. Ca. 33, 43. Semb. 1 Sal. 145.—D. cont.* where the Cause suggested for the *Certiorari* appears false. *1 Sal. 144.*

When *Certiorari* is filed, there must be a Motion to take it off the File, previous to Motion for *Procedendo*. *R. v. Lewis, T. 9 G. 3. 4 B. M. 2456.*

(H. 1.) *Supersedeas to Process.*

SO after a *Supersedeas* to any Process, all subsequent Proceedings are void. As, after an *Habeas Corpora Juratorum*, if a *Supersedeas* be delivered to the Sheriff for staying the Return of the Writ, and he afterwards return it at the Affises, and the Trial is had, and Judgment upon it; it will be Error. *R. 2 Cro. 43.*

(H. 2.) *When it shall be granted.*

A *Supersedeas* to Process shall be granted, when the Party finds Surety to appear, and answer to the Law: As, in Term, it shall be granted out of *C. B.* to a *Capias* or Exigent, upon Surety taken by the Sheriff for his Appearance at the Day. *F. N. B. 236. A.*

So it shall be granted in the Vacation out of *Chancery*, upon Surety found there, or to the Sheriff. *F. N. B. 236. A. Vide in Chancery, (4 2.)*

If the Sheriff, &c. do not cease upon a *Supersedeas* delivered to him, an *Alias*, *Pluries*, and Attachment go against him. *F. N. B. 236. C. 239. A. 240. B.*

But a *Superfedeas*, in Respect of Privilege to be sued in another Court, shall not be allowed, after he has acknowledged the Jurisdiction of the Court: As, after an *Impar lance*. *R. 9 Ed. 4. 53. b.*

Nor, a *Superfedeas* to an *Exigent quia improvide*; for that recites an *Appearance*. *R. Dy. 33. b.*

Certiorari Bill.

Vide Chancery, (2 O. 1.)

C E S S A V I T.

(A) **When it lies.**

BY the St. of *Glocester*, 6 Ed. 1. 4. If a Man lease Land to Farm, or to find *Estovers*, &c. to a fourth Part of the Value, and he who holds the Land lets it lie fresh, so that a Distress cannot be found for two Years: After the two Years the Lessor may have an Action to demand the Land in *Demesne*, by a Writ which he shall have out of *Chancery*: And if, before Judgment, the *Arrearages* and *Damages* are rendered, and *Surety* found to render thereafter, he shall retain his Land, &c.

This was the first Statute which gave a *Cessavit*. 2 *Inst.* 295.

By the St. *W. 2.* 13 Ed. 1. 21. *Concordatum est eodem modo, si quis detineat Domino suo servitium debitum, & consuetum per biennium.*

A Writ of *Cessavit* lies in the *Per*, *Cui*, and *Post*. *Vide F. N. B. 208. H.*

C E S S I O N.

Vide Esglise, (N. 1.)

C E S T U Y Q U E T R U S T.

Vide Chancery, (4 S. 3, 4.—4 W. 32.)

C E S T U Y Q U E U S E.

Vide Uses, (I.)

C H A I R M A N of a Committee.

Vide Parliament, (E. 7.)

CHALLENGE.

(A) Trial by Jury.

(A.) 1. The Antiquity of it.

Vide Inquest. **T**RIAL by a Jury was before the Conquest.

(A. 2.) The Number of Jurors.

The usual Number of Jurors is 12, for the Trial of a Cause.

But in an Attaint, except where the Issue is upon a collateral Point, there ought to be 24. 2 Rol. 673. l. 50.

In a Grand Assise 16. viz. 4 Knights and 12 others; so 20 or 12 only. 2 Rol. 674. l. 5.

In Inquests of Office there may be more, or less than 12. As in an Inquiry of Writ. R. 2 Rol. 673. l. 53. Cro. Car. 414. F. N. B. 107. C.

(A. 3.) The Qualifications.

Jurors must be *probi & legales homines*. Vide post (C. 2.)

By the St. *Articuli super Chartas* 28 Ed. 1. 9. The Sheriff shall put in Juries, such as be next Neighbours, the most sufficient and least suspicious, on pain of double Damages.

And by the St. 34 Ed. 3. 4. The next People not suspected, nor procured.

(A. 4.) Who are exempted.

But by the St. *West.* 2. 13 Ed. 1. 38. *Senes ultra 70 Annos, perpetuo languidi vel tempore Summonitionis infirmi, vel in Patria non commorantes, non ponantur in Juratis, aut Assisis.*

And if these are returned, though it is not a Cause of Challenge, they may have an Action against the Sheriff, without Notice of the Age, Sicknes, or Non-Commorancy; but it is more usual to have a Writ *de non ponendis in Assisis* 2 Inst. 447. Reg. 179. b.

And if the Sheriff does not obey, an Attachment. Reg. 181. a.

[Officers on the Cheque-roll (as Gentlemen Pensioners, &c.) have an ancient Privilege not to be sworn on Juries. *Blagney's Case*, H. 9 G. 2. B. R. H. 202.]

(B) Challenge to the Array.

THERE may be a Challenge to the Array, if there be a Default or Partiality in the Sheriff. Co. L. 156.

It will be a Principal Challenge, if the Sheriff does not return a Knight upon the Pannel, where a Peer appears upon the Record to be Plaintiff, or Defendant. Co. L. 156. 2 Rol. 636. l. 53. 2 Mod. 182.

Though others join with the Peer in the Action. Co. L. 156.

[A Knight need not be returned on the Pannel in Ejectment, on the Demise of a Peer. *Goodtitle v. Thrustout*, M. 9 G. 2. Str. 1023.

By stat. 24 G. 2. c. 18. Challenge to the Pannel for want of a Knight, when a Peer is Party, is taken away.]

So, if the Sheriff does not return a Knight upon the Pannel in an Attaint. Co. L. 156.

For

For more concerning Challenge to the Array, Principal and for Favour, *Vide* Co. L. 156, &c.

[After entering into the common Rule for a special Jury, if one of the Parties strikes out Hundredors, and at the Trial challenges the Array for want of Hundredors; it is a Contempt and Attachment shall issue. *Rex v. Burridge*, P. 10 G. 2 *Ld. Raym.* 1364. *Str.* 593.

But if the Defendant in a an Information obtain Rule for special Jury, tho' Prosecutor takes the *venire* to the Sheriff, the Defendant may challenge the Array if the Sheriff has an Interest in the Cause, and it shall not be Contempt. *Rex v. Johnson*, M. 8 G 2. *Str.* 1000.

The Party to whom the Sheriff is related cannot challenge the Array for that Reason. *Semb.* But if he does, and there is a Demurrur *instante* to that Challenge, and before it is determined, the other Party, for the sake of Expedition, moves to quash the Array, the Court will do it without the Consent of the Party challenging. *Kynaston v. Mayor of Shrewsbury*, H. 11 G. 2. *Andr.* 85, 104.

In an Action on a By-law, that none but Freemen shall keep Shop in a City, is good Challenge that the Sheriff is a Freeman. *Hesketh v. Braddock*, H. G. 3. 3 B. M. 1847.]

(C.) Challenge to the Jolls.

(C. 1.) Peremptory.

[N High Treason, the Defendant by the Common Law, and now by the St. 1 & 2 Pb. & M. 10. (which repeals the St. 33 H. 8. 23. to the contrary) may challenge 35 of the Jury, peremptorily without Cause shewn. Co. L. 156. b.

Though he be outlawed for Treason, and the Issue be upon a Collateral Point. Co. L. 157. b.

So, if he at first challenge for Cause, and the Juror be tried and found indifferent, he may afterwards challenge peremptorily. Co. L. 158. a.

So in *Petit Treason*, or Felony by the Common Law he might challenge 35, which is now restrained by the St. 22 H. 8. to 20, without Cause shewn. Co. L. 156. b.

So, in an Appeal. *Bendl. Pl.* 77. *Mo.* 12.

So the King by the Common Law might challenge without Cause shewn, when he pleased; but he is now restrained by the St. 33 Ed. 1. *Ord. de Inq.* Co. L. 156. b.

And therefore, if he challenge without Cause, and others sufficient do not appear, he must shew his Cause of Challenge. *R. Ray.* 473, 4.

[On an Issue on a collateral Point, to reverse an Outlawry, or avoid an Act of Attainder, or on any Inquest of Office, the Prisoner has no peremptory Challenge. 2 *Hale* 267, 278. *Barkstead's Case.* 1 *Lev.* 62. *Rex v. Johnson*, *Str.* 824. *Ratcliffe's Case*, 1746. *Foster* 40.]

(C. 2.) For Cause.

Challenge for Cause is Principal, or to the Favour.

A Principal Challenge is, 1st in respect to his Dignity, that he is a Peer. Co. L. 156. b.

And if the Party do not challenge him, the Peer may challenge himself. Co. L. 156. b.

2^{dly} *Propter Defectum*; That he is a Villein, or an Infant. Co. L. 156. b. 157. a. 2 *Rol.* 657. l. 10.

That he is an Alien. Co. L. 156. b.

But by the St. 27 Ed. 3. 8. An Inquest taken before the Mayor of the Staple, if the Parties be Strangers, shall be tried by Strangers; if Denizens, by Denizens; if one Party be Denizen the other Alien, one half of the Inquest shall be Denizens, the other Aliens. *Vide Alien.* (C. 8.)

So, by the St. 28 Ed. 3. 13. In all Inquests before the Mayor of the Staple, or other Justice between Merchants or others, though the King be Party, if there be so many Aliens or Denizens in the Place where the Trial is, not Parties to the Matter; if there are not so many Aliens, so many as are there, the Rest Denizens, good Men, and not suspicious to either Party. *Confirmed by the St. 9 H. 6. 29.*

And therefore an Alien, Plaintiff or Defendant may pray a *Venire per Medietatem Linguae*, except in a Trial for High Treason. *R. Dy. 144. b.*

So an Executor, or Administrator of an Alien, though he himself be *Indigena*. *Dy. 28. a. in Marg.*

And if a full Inquest does not appear, the Tales shall be *per Medietatem Linguae*. *R. Popb. 36. Dy. 28. a. in Marg.*

Yet if an Alien be joined in a Suit with an Englishman, or sue as Executor, or Administrator to such an one, he shall not have a *Venire per Medietatem Linguae*. *Mo. 557. Gro. El. 275. Dy. 28. a.*

And if he does not pray such a *Venire* a Challenge for Default of Aliens is not allowed *Vide Dy. 28. 144. b.*

So if the Alien does not pray it, the other Party may, but he need not. *Dy. 28. a. 144.*

So if they are returned upon the *Venire* as Aliens, they cannot be challenged, though they are not so. *Dy. 28. a. in Marg.*

And a Trial *per Medietatem Linguae*, where it ought not to be, is not good, though by Consent; for that shall not alter the Law. *Dy. 28. a. in Marg.*

Nor by the St. West. 2. 13 Ed. 1. 38. *ponantur in Affisis vel Juratis licet in proprio comitatu qui 20 s. per Annum non habeant, nec extra Comitatu qui 40 s.*

By the St. *de non ponendis in Affisis*, 21 Ed. 1. The Sheriff shall not put in Recognizances that pass out of the County, any who have not 100 s. *per Annum*. And in the County none shall be impanelled to serve before the King's Justices on Inquests, Juries, or other Recognizances, who have not 40 s. *per Annum*. save that in Eyre, Cities, Boroughs, or Towns, where Juries pass on Matters touching the said Cities, &c. it shall be done as before.

By the St. 2 H. 5. 3. St. 2. No Person shall be admitted in any Inquest on a Trial of the Death of a Man, or in a Plea Real or Personal, where the Debt or Damages are laid to 40 Marks, if he have not Lands or Tenements of 40 s. *per Annum* above Reprizes, so it be challenged, &c. *Vide 35 H. 8. 6.*

Nor by the St. 27 El. 6. If he have not Freehold of 4 l. *per Annum*, unless in Wales, Cities, or Towns, &c.

Nor by the St. 4 & 5 W. & M. 24. (Continued by 7 & 8 W. 3. 32. 1 Ann. 13. 10 Ann. 14. & 9 G. 8.) if he have not 10 l. *per Annum* in his own Name, or in Trust in England, and 6 l. *per Annum* in Wales in the same County, Freehold, Copyhold, or *Antient Demesne* in Fee, Tail, or for Life of himself or some other, in Issues tried before the Justices in B. R. C. B. Exchequer, Affise, *Nisi Prius*, Oyer and Terminer, Goal-Delivery, or General Quarter Sessions of the Peace, &c.

Provided, that the Tales need have but 5 l. *per Annum*, and in Wales 3 l. and in Cities, Boroughs, and Towns Corporate, as formerly used.

And any not having so, may be challenged, and on his Oath discharged.

Jurors since the St. 2 H. 5. 3. must have 40 s. *per Annum* Freehold out of *Antient Demesne*. *Co. L. 156. b. 9 H. 7. 1. b.*

And it is sufficient, if they have it as *Cestuy que Use*. *Co. L. 272. a. b.*

If the Debt and Damages together amount to 40 Marks, it is within the St. 2 H. 5. 3. for it is in equal Mischief. *R. 9 H. 5. 4. b. Vide Co. L. 272. a.*

So in an Avowry, where the Issue was *hors de son Fee*, tho' the Damages are not 40 s. *R. per Just. de B. R. & C. B. 9 H. 7. 1. b. 16 H. 7. 14. b. 10 H. 6. 8. a.*

In an Action upon the St. 8 H. 6. 10 H. 7. 14. a.

So by the St. 8 H. 6. 9. None shall be upon Inquests to try a Forcible Entry, or Detainer before Justices of Peace, unless he hath 40 s. *per Annum*.

Nor, by the St. 15 H. 6. 5. To try an Attaint on a Verdict to 40*l.* Value, who hath not 20*l.* Or by the St. 23 H. 8. 3. 20 Marks *per Annum*, or on a Verdict to a less Value, who hath not 5 Marks *per Annum*, or 100*l.* in Goods, except in Cities, or Boroughs, &c.

Nor, by the St. 1 R. 3. 4. Upon an Inquest in the Sheriff's Turn, or by the St. 19 H. 7. 13. To try Riots or Routts before Justices of Peace, unless he hath 20*s.* *per Annum* Freehold, or 26*s.* 8*d.* *per Annum* Copyhold.

Nor, by the St. 11 H. 7. 21. Upon a Jury in any of the Courts in London, except he hath Lands or Goods to the Value of 40 Marks, or of 100 Marks, if the Suit be for Lands, or for a Debt and Damages to 40 Marks Value, or more.

But where the Debt and Damages do not amount to 40 Marks, he shall not be challenged, if he has any Freehold. Co. L. 156, 7. 2. Whether he must not have 20*s.* *per Annum*. 2 H. 7. 13. b.

So before the St. 2 H. 5. 3. In Personal Actions, where Land was not demanded, it was no Challenge, that a Juror had no Freehold; for the St. 17 V. 2. 28. was made for the Ease of Jurors of small Estate only. 17 Aff. 15. Vide Ray. 486. Semb. 10 H. 7. 14. a.

So in an Information in the Nature of a *Quo Warranto*, it is no Challenge, that a Juror has not a Freehold; for it is out of 2 H. 5. 3. which provides for a Plea between Party and Party only. R. per 4 J. in B. R. to whom 3 J. in C. B. acc. But a Bill of Exceptions was filed for it. Ray. 486.

So the Exception for Cities, &c. in the St. 15 H. 6. 5. extends to Cities, &c. which are Counties. R. 12 Ed. 4. 13. a.

So by the St. 11 H. 7. 21. In an Attaint in London, the Challenge shall not be for want of Sufficiency of Lands or Goods in the Jury impannelled, the Jury being to be returned, by each Alderman 4, each in Substance worth 100*l.* or more. So by the St. 37 H. 8. 5. if each Juror be worth 400 Marks in Goods.

So in a Jury for a Trial for High Treason, a Challenge for Defect of Freehold is not allowed in London; for Freehold was not required by the Common Law, and tho' the St. 2 H. 5. 3. requires 40*s.* *per Annum* in an Inquest for the Death of a Man, (which seems to be intended in all capital Cases,) yet, by the St. 1 & 2 Ph. & M. the Trial in High Treason was reduced to the Common Law. R. per 4 J. in Lord Russell's Case, 3 Trials 138.

But by the St. 7 W. 3. 3. The Trial ought to be by a Jury of Freeholders. [If a Jurymen in Treason, brought to the Book, says he has no Freehold in the County, he shall be sworn upon a *voire dire* to that Matter, and if he answers, he has none, he shall be set aside. Townley's Case, 1746. Foster 7.

If a Jurymen has Freehold and Copyhold, amounting to 10*l.* *per Ann.* it is a good Qualification, tho' the Freehold alone is under 10*l.* *per Ann.* Ibid.

So by the St. 4 Geo. 2. 7. In Middlesex, Leaseholders having 50*l.* *per Ann.* above Ground Rents, or other Reservations, shall be obliged to serve on Juries, when summoned.

["That a Juror is a Freeman," is good Cause of Challenge in an Action on a By-Law, that none but Freemen shall keep Shop in a City. Hesketh v. Graddock, H. 6 G. 3. 3 B. M. 1847.]

For more concerning Challenge to the Polls, Principal and for Favour. Vide Co. L. 156. b. &c.

CHANCERY.

CHAMBERLAIN.

High Chamberlain.

Vide Officer, (E. 7.)

Chamberlain of Chester.

Vide Franchises, (D. 5.)

Chamberlains of the Exchequer.

Vide Courts, (D. 11.)

Chamberlain of London.

Vide London, (I.)

CHAMPERTY.

Vide Maintenance, (A. 2, 3.)

CHANCELLOR.

Chancellor.

Vide Chancery, (B. 1.)—Justices, (K. 8.)—Parliament, (L. 32.)—Visitor, (A. 2.)

Chancellor of the Exchequer.

Vide Courts, (D. 9.)

CHANCE-MEDLEY.

(Vide Justices, (M. 19.))

CHANCERY.

(A) The Antiquity of the Chancery.

(A. 1) As to the Court of Pleas.

THE Court of *Chancery* is an Original, and Fundamental Court, as ancient as the Kingdom itself. *Per Hob. 63.*

The *British* and *Saxon* Kings had their Chancellors and Courts of *Chancery*.

• Argument on Jurisdiction of Chancery. 4 *Inst.* 78. Arg. 1 *Ch. R.* 5. *. *Wilsint* was Chancellor to *Athelstan*. 1 *Ch. R.* Arg. 5.

The first authentic Mention of a Chancellor was *Anno 920, Temp. Edw. Senioris, qui fecit Turketil Abbatum Croiland Cancellarium suum. Seld. Off. Canc. S. 1. 1 Cb. R. Arg. 5.*

And many Kings of the Saxon Lineage before the Conquest had their Chancellors. *Seld. Off. Canc. S. 1. 4 Inst. 78.*—As Edmund, Edred, Edgar, Ethelred, and Alfred. *1 Cb. R. Arg. 5, 6.*

Rembald was Chancellor to Edward the Confessor; and several are cited before him. *1 Rol. 384. l. 10. Maurice was Chancellor to William the Conqueror. 1 Rol. 384. l. 15. 4 Inst. 78. Seld. Off. Chanc. S. 3.*

(A. 2.) As to the Court of Equity.

But tho' the Court of Chancery, as to the ordinary Jurisdiction, which is governed by the Rules of the Common Law, is so antient, (for to that the antient Authors and the *St. 36 Ed. 3. 9.* refer,) yet the Court of Equity is of later Date, and seems to have its Commencement upon the Introduction of Uses: The first Decree there was *17 R. 2.* which are frequent in the Time of *H. 4.* encrease in the Time of *H. 5.* and *H. 6.* under the Cardinals Beauford, Son of John of Gaunt, and Kemp, and are more numerous in the Time of *H. 8.* under Cardinal Wolfey. *2 Inst. 552, 3. 4 Inst. 82, 3.*

Yet the Court of Equity there is said to be as antient as the Kingdom. *Hob. 63.*

And by the *St. 14 Ed. 3. Rot. Parl. nu. 33.* If nothing be done upon the Ordinance then made, it is provided, that the Chancellor of England hear the Complaint by Bill, and proceed as he uses to do in Writs of *Subpœna* in Chancery. *1 Rol. 372. E.*

And *Rot. Parl. 45 Ed. 3. nu. 24.* The Commons pray, That none who proceed there by Bill be delayed, as they have been. *1 Rol. 372. l. 25.*

And the Court of Equity seems Co-eval with the other Courts of Westminster. *1 Cb. R. Arg. 10. 12 Co. 114. Eq. Abr. 129.*

The King cannot grant a Court of Conscience, as *tenere Placita*; for a Court of Pleas is directed by the ordinary Rules of Law, a Court of Conscience not, but is uncertain and unlimited, and therefore cannot be erected but by Act of Parliament, or Præscription. *R. Perrot's Case, 36 [26] El. B. R. 4 Inst. 87, 97. Vide Prærogative, (D. 28.)*

(A. 3.)
It cannot
now be
erected.

And *dub.* whether it be good by Præscription; for that pre-supposes a Grant; and the Court of Chancery, which is held by Præscription, is a Fundamental Court. *Hob. 63. 2 Rol. 109. R.* that it is not good by Præscription for York, or other small Corporation. *2 Rol. 266. l. 20.*

But London may claim it by Præscription. *R. 2 Rol 266. l. 15.*

So the King cannot by Commission appoint any one to determine Matter of Equity; for it ought to be determined in Chancery, and such Commission would be illegal and void. *R. 12 Co. 114.*

So, if the King constitutes a Chancellor of a Dutchy, or other Præinct, that does not give him Authority to hold a Court of Equity. *2 Lev. 24.*

(A. 4.) Where held.

The Court of Chancery was usually held in *Curia Regis*; and therefore the Process there is returnable *coram Rege in Cancellariâ suâ. Mad. 131. 2 Inst. 316.*

(B) Officers

(B) Officers of the Chancery.

(B. 1.) Lord Chancellor.

THE principal Officer of the Chancery is the Lord Chancellor.

Temp. Ethelberti dicitur Referendarius; Ego Referendarius subscripsi.
Seld. Off. Ch. S. 1.

The Chancellor is created by the Delivery of the Seal, and taking his Oath.
4 Inst. 87.

Sometimes by Letters Patent. *4 Inst. 87.*

This Office may be granted for Life, or *durante bene placito.* *Mad. 43.*—
 Not for Life. *4 Inst. 87.*

But not in Succession. *4 Inst. 78.*

Cancellarii Dignitas est ut secundus a Rege in regno habeatur. *Seld. Off. Ch.*
S. 3. Dict. in vita Tho. Becket. — 4 Inst. 78.

By the St. 31 H. 8. 10. The Chancellor, or Keeper hath Precedence of all Nobility, except the Royal Blood. [2, As to Archbishop of Canterbury?] *1 Ch. R.*

The Chancellor is superior to all the Judges of the Kingdom. *1 Ch. R.*
Arg. 13.

Cancellarius dicitur a cancellando; because upon a *Scire Facias* he cancels the Patents of the King. *4 Inst. 88.*

The Chancellor and *Custos Sigilli* antiently were one Officer.

Sigillum Regium ad ejus pertinet Custodiam. *Dict. in vita Tho. Becket. Seld.*
Off. Ch. S. 3. 4 Inst. 78.

And tho' they have been sometimes divided since the Time of H. 2. *Seld.*
Off. C. S. 4. 1 Rol. 385. l. 25, &c.

Yet, by the St. 28 H. 3. it was enacted, *Si Rex abstulerit Sigillum a Cancellario, quicquid fuit interim sigillatum irritum habeatur.* *Seld. Off. Ch. S. 4.*

By the St. 5 El. 18. The Lord Keeper ever had, and shall have like Place, Authority, Jurisdiction, and Advantages, as the Lord Chancellor. *Semb. by*
most of the Judges. 3 Inst. 113, 114.

By the St. 1 W. & M. 21. Commissioners of the Great Seal shall exercise like Authority, Jurisdiction, and use the like Customs, Privileges, and Advantages as the Lord Chancellor, and Keeper; and have Precedence after Peers, and the Speaker of the House of Commons, or, if a Peer, according to Peerage.

And now there cannot be a Lord Chancellor and Lord Keeper at the same Time; for, by the St. 5 El. 18. they are declared to be the same Office.
4 Inst. 88.

The Chancellor, or Keeper is made by the Delivery of the Great Seal to him by the King, and taking his Oath. *4 Inst. 87.*

The Lord Chancellor, or Keeper, cannot make a Deputy. *4 Inst. 88;* but this was allowed, when the Office was granted for Life. *Mad. 44.*

By the St. Art. super Chart. 28 Ed. 1. 5. The Lord Chancellor and the Justices of the King's Bench shall follow the King, so that he may have at all Times near him some Sages of the Law able to order all Matters which shall come to the Court.

Cancellaria Dignitas est ut omnibus Regis adsit Conciliis, etiam non vocatus.
Seld. Off. Canc. S. 3.

So the Chancellor may hear Causes in B. R. or C. B. *2 Inst. 352, 3.*

[A Person may be Lord Chancellor and Lord Chief Justice of B. R. at the same Time, and Lord Hardwicke continued so from 20th Feb. to 7th June.]

When the King's Charters and Pleas in the King's Courts encreased, and the Power of the Chief Justicier declined, the Office of Chancellor rose to great Eminence. *Mod. 42, 3.*

(B. 2.)
 His Oath.

The Chancellor was sworn that he should not sell, deny, or delay a remedial Writ, or Right. *1 Rol. 384. l. 35.*

And

And the usual Oath requires, That he shall well and truly serve the King and his People in the Office of Chancellor; That he shall do Right to all People, Poor and Rich, after the Laws and Usages of the Realm; That he shall truly counsel the King, and his Counsel laine (*i. e.* hide) and keep; That he shall not suffer the Hurt or Disherison of the King, or that the Rights of the Crown be decreased, as far as he can lett it: And if he cannot lett it, shall make it expressly known to the King, with his Advice and Counsel; That he shall do the King's Profit in all he reasonably may. 4 *Inst.* 88. 3 *Rush.* 1102.

And therefore, if a Chancellor sell a Writ remedial, it is a great Abuse, (B. 3.)
1 *Rol.* 384. l. 30. And Duty.

A Chancellor, upon the Removal of a Record before him by *Certiorari*, when any one is found guilty of Homicide by Misadventure, or *se Defendendo*, shall grant him a Pardon, without a Warrant from the King, or Communication with him. 2 *Inst.* 316.

Vide Post, (C. 1, 2.)

(B. 4.) Master of the Rolls.

Ad Cancellarium pertinet Rotuli qui est de Cancellaria Custodia per suppositam personam. Seld. Off. Chan. S. 3.

And his Office is as antient as the Court itself.

In the 23 *Ed.* 1. a Grant was made *Adæ de Osgodby*, by the Chancellor *ex parte Regis*. *Dugd. Orig. Jud. Chronica Series.* 33.

And such Grant was, *ita quod Custodiam habeat eodem modo, quo alii Custodes habere consueverunt.*

It is said, that the Master of the Rolls by his Commission cannot make a Decree, without the Assistance of two Masters; 1 *Ver.* 274.; but this does not appear by the Decretal Order there recited.

[By St. 23 G. 2. 1200*l.* *per Annum* is settled on him.]

[St. 17 G. 3. c. 59. regulates Leases to be made of his Estate.]

(B. 5.) Masters of Chancery.

There are twelve Masters of *Chancery*, Assistant to the Chancellor, or Keeper. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 236.

Cancellario associantur Clerici honesti, &c. Regi Jurati, qui in Legibus & Consuetudinibus Anglicanis noticiam habent plenior, quorum officium sit querelas, &c. audire & examinare & debitum Remedium exhibere per brevia Regis. Fleta, l. 2. c. 13. 2 Inst. 407.

And by Commission a Judge frequently hears Causes in *Chancery*.

But if the Masters in *Chancery* disagree to the Opinion of the Judge, there shall be no Decree; for they are equal in Commission. *Semb.* 1 *Ver.* 265.; but it is said, that this does not appear by the Decree.

A Master in *Chancery* shall not be answerable for a Security approved by him, if there was no Corruption in him, altho' it prove defective. R. 2 *Ver.* 90.

[By the 12 G. 2. c. 24. the Sums of 35,000*l.* of the Cash of the Suitors in *Chancery*, lying unemployed in the Bank, was to be laid out in Government Securities, to raise Salaries of 650*l.* 250*l.* and 120*l.* for the Accountant-General and his two Clerks, in lieu of all Fees. This Officer was created by St. 12 G. 2. c. 32. to take care of and manage the Suitors Money, instead of the Masters in *Chancery*, and is usually one of them.]

[By 4 G. 3. c. 32. a further Sum of 5000*l.* is to be laid out for the same Purpose, for a third Clerk.]

[By the 5 G. 3. c. 28. 80,000*l.* of said general Cash to be vested in Securities to pay 200*l.* *per Annum* to each of the said Masters.]

[By St. 9 G. 3. c. 19. 20,000*l.* is to be laid out to pay Accountant-General 250*l.* first Clerk 50*l.* second Clerk 40*l.* and to a fourth Clerk 120*l.* *per Ann.*]

[By St. 14 G. 3. c. . and 15 G. 3. c. 22. & c. 56. New Offices for the Accountant-General, Registers, and Six Clerks, are to be built in Part of Lincoln's-Inn Gardens.]

(B. 6.) The Register.

The Register is an Officer of Note, who has many Deputies, who take Notice of all Orders and Decrees made by the Court. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 254. 310.

These Orders he ought to draw up, enter in his Office, sign, and deliver to the Parties. *Ibid.* 254, &c.

He ought to take the Orders as the Court pronounces them. *Ibid.* 255.

He ought to recite the first Order, (if there be such,) in the subsequent one. *Ibid.* 257.

If the Order be out of a General Rule, he ought to recite the Reasons for making it. *Ibid.* 257.

If the Order be for a Reference to Arbitrators after the Hearing, he ought to mention the Opinion of the Court, unless the Court otherwise directs. *Ibid.* 260.

(B. 7.) The Six Clerks.

The Six Clerks are the only Attornies to the Court of Chancery, and the others are Under Clerks to them. *Ord. per Clarendon. Rules and Orders of Chancery* 110. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 60.

All the Proceedings, upon Bill and Answer, to the Decree, and sometimes after the Decree, belong to their Office. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 60.

Copies of the Bill, Answer, Depositions, or other Record, which belong to the Six Clerks to make, ought to contain 15 Lines in every Sheet, written plainly and fully. *Ord. per Cla. Rules and Orders of Chancery* 104. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 113.

And no such Copy shall be delivered out of the Office, till signed by the Six Clerk, or his Deputy. *Ord. per Cla. Rules and Orders of Chancery* 104. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 64. 113.

Nor shall it be used in Court, or before a Master. *Ord. per Cla. Rules and Orders of Chancery* 104. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 113.

All Pleadings, Commissions, and Certificates which belong to them, shall be immediately delivered to the Six Clerk, who is the Attorney in the Cause, or to his Deputy; nor shall they before that be opened by any Under Clerk. *Ord. per Cla. Rules and Orders of Chancery* 107.

No Bill, Pleading, Commission or Decree, shall be carried by any Under Clerk out of the Office, to be ingrossed, copied or inrolled: And after the Ingrossment, &c. the Original shall be remitted to the Six Clerk, to whose Custody it belongs. *Ord. per Cla. Rules and Orders of Chancery* 107.

[A Clerk in Court, who lends Money to a Solicitor, cannot retain a Client's Papers as a Pledge for it. *Grey v. Cockeril, M. 1740. 2 Atkyns* 114.]

[A Six Clerk is not obliged to deliver up Papers till he is satisfied his Fees, tho' the Client has paid them to the Solicitor, and he to the Sixty Clerk who absconds. *Taylor v. Lewis, M. 1750. 3 Atkyns* 727.]

[A Clerk in Court has a Lien on the Duty recovered by him, which extends to collateral Proceedings, as well as to Decree; and this shall not be defeated by a voluntary Release from his Client, tho' a Release for Consideration shall defeat him. *Anon. T. 1750. 2 Vezey* 25.]

[A Sixty Clerk cannot be changed at Pleasure. *Taylor v. Lewis, M. 1750. 2 Vezey* 111.]

(B. 8.) Warden

(B. 8.) Warden of the Fleet.

The Warden of the Fleet is an Officer of this Court, and attends to receive all Persons it shall commit to his Custody.

Vide Imprisonment. (D.)

(B. 9.) Other Officers.

As to the Examiners, *Vide Post, (P. 1, &c.)*

As to the Curfitors, and other Officers, *Vide 4 Inst. 82.*

(C) The Jurisdiction of The Chancery.

(C. 1.) Ordinary, according to the Common Law.

IN the Chancery there are two Courts; The Ordinary, where the Chancellor or Keeper proceeds according to the Common Law. *4 Inst. 79. Eq. Abr. 127.*

The Stile of this Court is, *coram Domino Rege in Cancellariâ. 4 Inst. 80. 2 Inst. 552.*

Out of this Court issue all original Writs. *4 Inst. 80. Eq. Abr. 128.*

All Commissions that pass the Great Seal. *4 Inst. 80.*

Deeds are there inrolled. *1 Rol. 372. H.*

Statutes, which empower the Chancellor to hear and determine Offences, intend this Court. *4 Inst. 81, 2.*

This Court holds Plea upon Attachment of Privilege, for the Clerks and Officers of the Chancery. *4 Inst. 79, 80. 1 Rol. 371. l. 30.*

In an *Auditâ Querelâ*, or *Scire Facias* in the Nature of an *Auditâ Querelâ*, to avoid Executions of the Court of Chancery. *4 Inst. 79. Eq. Abr. 128.*

In Petitions, and *Monstrans de Droit. 4 Inst. 79. Eq. Abr. 128.*

In a *Scire Facias* to annul Patents. *4 Inst. 79. 88. 2 Vent. 344.*

In a *Scire Facias* upon a Recognizance in this Court. *4 Inst. 79. Eq. Abr. 128.*

Upon a Statute Staple, or Recognizance upon the Statute 23 H. 8. *4 Inst. 79. 1 Rol. 371. l. 30.*

In a *Scire Facias* upon Letters of Reprisal. *1 Ver. 54.*

In Dowments made in Chancery. *4 Inst. 79. Eq. Abr. 128.*

In Partitions. *4 Inst. 79.*

In Traverses of Office. *4 Inst. 79. Eq. Abr. 128.*

In Debt, or Trespas against the Officers of the Court. *D. 20. H. 6. 32. b. 1 Rol. 371. l. 30.*

And in all Personal Actions for, or against such Officers, and Ministers of the Chancery. *4 Inst. 80. Eq. Abr. 128.*

But this Court does not hold Plea of Land. *D. 20 H. 6. 32. b. Eq. Abr. 128.*

And therefore, where a Woman sued for a Jointure in the Chancery of Chester, a Prohibition was granted. *1 Sid. 189.*

The Chancellor is the sole Judge in this Court. *4 Inst. 80.*

The Proceedings there are in *Latin. Eq. Abr. 128.*

And are not inrolled, but remain in *Filaciis*, filed in the Office of the Petty Bag. *4 Inst. 80.*

If there be a Demurrer in this Court, it shall be determined by the Chancellor. *4 Inst. 80.*

If Issue be joined, the Chancellor, &c. delivers the Record with his own Hand to B. R. to be there tried: But after Trial, it shall be remanded, and Judgment given in Chancery. *4 Inst. 80. Vide 1 Rol. 372. l. 35. Vide Lat. 3. Vide infra.*

And

And both Courts are but one for this Purpose. 4 *Inst.* 80.
After Issue, a *Venire* out of Chancery, *Quorum quilibet babeat 4 Libratas Terræ*, will be well. *Al.* 14.

And the *Venire* shall be awarded in Chancery returnable in B. R. *Al.* 14.
If the Issue arises in a County Palatine, Ireland, &c. the Chancellor ought to deliver the Record to B. R. and they write to the County Palatine, Ireland, &c. to try, and return it to B. R. *Lat.* 3. *R. per 3 J. Jon.* 82. *Vide 3 Bul.* 305.

But the Chancellor cannot write to the County Palatine, Ireland, &c. to try the Issue. *R. Lat.* 3.

Nor can he transmit the Record to be tried in C. B. *Lat.* 3.

Yet, if the Issue is to be tried by Certificate, the Chancellor may write to the Bishop, &c. *Lat.* 3. *Vide Jon.* 83.

After Issue tried in B. R., or in a County Palatine, &c. and thither returned, B. R. shall give Judgment upon it, and it shall not be remanded to the Chancery. *Lat.* 3. *Eq. Abr.* 128. *Vide supra.*

So, tho' only the Tenor of the Record, upon which the Issue was, be removed into B. R. and a Trial upon it. *R. Al.* 17.

So if there be a Demurrer for Part, and Issue for other Part, in Chancery, the whole Record shall be delivered to B. R. and Judgment there upon the Demurrer, as well as upon the Issue. *R. 2 Sand.* 23. *Eq. Abr.* 128. *R. in Cha. Eq. Abr.* 129.

If the Record be delivered by the Clerk of the Petty-Bag, it will be well removed; for that may be said to be *propria Manu* of the Chancellor, which is done by his Officer. *R. Mich.* 1700. *Eq. Abr.* 128, 9.

Upon a Judgment in Chancery, Error lies in B. R. 4 *Inst.* 80. *Dy.* 315.

But the Lord Keeper said, he would award an Injunction upon such a Writ of Error. 1 *Ver.* 131.

But a Mispleading in Form there will not be prejudicial in any Case, altho' it be in a Matter where the Court of Chancery holds Plea according to the Common Law. 1 *Rol.* 372. l. 45.

(C. 2.) Extraordinary Jurisdiction.—Court of Equity.

Vide Post,
(3. X.)

The Court of Equity is not a Court of Record. 4 *Inst.* 84. 37 *H.* 6. 14. b. *Yelv.* 227.

The Proceeding there is by English Bill. 4 *Inst.* 84.

And it has Jurisdiction properly in three Cases, viz. In Matters of Fraud.

1 *Rol.* 374. l. 10. *Vide Post,* (3 F. 1.—3 M. 1.)

In Case of Accident. 1 *Rol.* 374. l. 10. *Vide Post,* (Z.)

In Matters of Trust, or Confidence. 1 *Rol.* 374. l. 10. *Vide Post,* (4 W. 1.)

But Chancery does not aid contrary to a Maxim in Law, unless in Case of a Fraud, &c. 1 *Rol.* 375. 2. *R. Vide Post,* (3 F. 8.)

Nor contrary to a Statute. 1 *Rol.* 378. S. *Vide Post,* (3 F. 7.)

Tho' the Party was ignorant, that his Act would have such an Effect in Law. 1 *Rol.* 374. l. 21.

(D) Process.

(D. 1.) Subpœna.

IF a Man commences a Suit in Equity, the first Process is a *Subpœna*, introduced in the Time of R. 2. *Seld.* 6 Vol. 1544.

Which may be returnable on a Day certain, as *die Jovis prox' post quinden' Paschæ*.

Or, on a common Return Day, as *die Paschæ prox' futur' in unum mensem*.

If Easter be passed, it shall be *die Paschæ in unum mensem prox' futur'*. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 340.

It may be returnable in the Mayor's Court. 1 Ver. 406.

Or in the Chancery, in Ireland; but then no Attachment issues here for a Contempt. 1 Ver. 406, 420.

A Subpæna may be sued before a Bill filed. Ord. per Clarendon. Vide Rules and Orders of Chancery 94.—Cont. by the St. 4 & 5 Ann. 16. except to stay Waste, or Suits at Law.

The Charge for one or two Defendants is 2s. 6d. at the Subpæna-Office; for three or more Defendants 3s.

By the St. 15 H. 6. 4. A Subpæna shall not be granted, till Surety found to satisfy the Party grieved, his Damages and Expences, if the Matter of the Bill be not made good.

Process for Contempt ought to be sued in the County, where the Party resides. Per Ord. 7 Car. 1. 1 Ch. R. 56. Vide Rules and Orders of Chancery 11.

The Subpæna ought to be served before the Return.

Or before Noon, or the Rising of the Court on the Day of the Return. Vide Practical Register in Chancery 343.

A Subpæna is well served, when the Plaintiff or another shews the Writ to the Defendant, and leaves it with him. Vide Practical Register in Chancery 341.

Or leaves the Label, or a Note containing the Day of Appearance; for if there are several Defendants, such Label, or Note is left with the first, the Writ with the last. Vide Practical Register 341, 2. Vide Rules and Orders in Chancery 96.

Or leaves such Writ, (but it is a Doubt when he leaves only the Label, or Note,) with any of the Family at the House of the Defendant. Vide Practical Register in Chancery 341, 2. Vide Rules and Orders of Chancery 96.

Or leaves it at the House of his usual Residence, or puts it in at the Window, when the Defendant absconds. Vide Practical Register in Chancery 342. Vide Rules and Orders of Chancery 96.

By an Order in the Exchequer, a Subpæna to answer, rejoin, or hear Judgment, ought to be served personally, or left at the Dwelling-House or Residence of the Defendant, with one of the Family; or the Writ under Seal shall be shewn to such one of the Family, and a Ticket left with him, containing the Effect of the Writ; and, in a Subpæna to answer, shall be written in the Exchequer Hand in Parchment. Vide Rules and Orders in the Exchequer 1 Rule 1.

If there are two Defendants, who sue the Plaintiff in a foreign Court, and one of them is beyond Sea; Service upon the other within the Realm, is good for him. Ordered upon Motion. Ca. Ch. 67.

[Service on an Agent formerly a Partner, ordered to be good Service on a Defendant abroad. Carrington v. Cantillon, P. 1722. Bunb. 107.]

When a Defendant was beyond Sea, a Subpæna ad audiendum Judicium was served upon the Clerk in Court, by Order of the Court upon Motion.

If a Man sues a Feme Covert, a Subpæna shall go against the Husband and Wife.

Except where the Husband is out of the Kingdom, or other special Cause.

If the Subpæna be shewn to the Husband, with Notice that it is also against his Wife, it is sufficient for both. Vide Practical Register in Chancery 343.

[If a Mother secretes Infants, Parties, Service on her is sufficient. Smith v. Marshal, M. 1740. 2 Atkyns 70.]

But shewing the Writ, without leaving it, or the Label or Note, is not sufficient, except where the Defendant refuses it. Vide Practical Register in Chancery 343.

A Subpæna for Costs must be served upon the Person; for the Costs ought to be demanded. Vide Ord. per Cla. Rules and Orders of Chancery 95. Vide Practical Register in Chancery 344.

But upon Affidavit, that the Person cannot be found, the Court, upon Motion or Petition, will order a Service upon the Clerk in Court. Vide Ord. per Cla. Rules and Orders of Chancery 95. Vide Practical Register in Chancery 344.

[If Defendant, nor his Clerk in Court, nor any attending at his Office can be found, the Court may order Service of Subpæna to hear Judgment to be good, on Defendant's Solicitor (tho' he knows not where Defendant is) with Copy of the Order at Defendant's last Abode. Anon. T. 1750. 2 Vezey 23.]

Yet, tho' the Service be not sufficient for an Attachment, it may be sufficient for Costs, if the Defendant takes Notice of it, and the Plaintiff does not file his Bill. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 343.

A Counterfeit Subpœna does not oblige. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 17.

And whoever serves it, if he knows it, misbehaves himself, and an Attachment goes against him.

So he, who serves a Subpœna upon a different Person, unless it be by Mistake.

Or misbehaves himself in the Service. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 99.

Or abuses, or is guilty of a Contempt on him who serves it. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 99.

[If the Minister of a Parish prevents an Order for Defendant's Appearance, being published pursuant to 5 G. 2. c. 25. he may be indicted. *Burton v. Mattons, M. 1740. 2 Atkyns 114.*]

If the Plaintiff does not proceed in the Cause for a Year, he ought to have another Subpœna *ad faciendum Attornatum*. 1 Ver. 172. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 350.

A Subpœna issues for various Causes; as, *Ad Respondendum*. *Vide the Form. West. Chan. Sect. 21. Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 339.

Ad testificandum at the Assizes, or upon a Commission, &c. *West. S. 34, 42, 49, &c. Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 347.

For Costs. *West. S. 21. Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 344. *Vide Rules and Orders of Chancery* 95.

For the Delivering or Producing of Evidences, or other Writings. *West. S. 44, 5. Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 346.

Ad rejuvendum, or *Ad audiendum Judicium*. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 346, 349. *Vide Rules and Orders of Chancery* 94, 5. *Vide West. S. 30, 37.*

The Penalty of 100*l.* in the Subpœna mentioned, is only in *Terrorem*, and shall not be levied, tho' the Defendant does not appear. 10 H. 7. 4, 5.

(D. 2.) Letter to a Peer.

If the Defendant be a Peer, a Subpœna does not go, but a Letter from the Chancellor, requiring him to take a Copy of the Bill, and to answer at such a Day. *West. S. 21. 2 Vent. 342. Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 341.

[It gives the Party suing it out, Priority of Suit. *Price v. Ld. Coningsby, H. 1722. Bamb. 124.*]

But if he does not answer upon the Letter, then a Subpœna shall issue. 2 Vent. 342. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 341.

If he do not appear upon the Subpœna, then an Order shall be awarded to shew Cause why a Sequestration should not go. 2 Vent. 342.

And, if no Cause be shewn, a Sequestration goes. 2 Vent. 342.

So by the St. 12 & 13 W. 3. 3. Process against a Peer, or Member, &c. during Time of Privilege, shall be by Letter, or Subpœna, as usual, and on leaving a Copy of the Bill at the Defendant's House, or last Place of Abode, if he do not appear, or answer, or perform not the Order, Decree, &c. a Sequestration of Real and Personal Estate shall go, as in Case of a Peer before.

But no Process for a Contempt shall issue against a Peer. 2 Vent. 342.

And therefore an Attachment does not go. *Seld. 6 Rol. 1543.*

(D. 3.) Attachment.

If the Defendant does not appear at the Return of the Subpœna, and the Bill be filed, the Plaintiff, upon an *Affidavit*, positive and certain of the Time and Place of Service, and of the Time of the Return, shall have an Attachment. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 20.

If the *Affidavit* be filed before the Return of the Attachment, it is sufficient. 1 Ver. 172.

But an Attachment shall not be prayed till the Day after Costs Day. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 8.

And

And the *Affidavit* ought to shew, that the Service, being within London, or twenty Miles Distance, was above four Days past exclusive. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 20.

If beyond twenty Miles Distance, that it was above eight Days. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 20.

And that he served the *Subpœna*, or saw the Service of it. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 342.

Or, that the Defendant confessed himself to have been served. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 342.

[In all Cases of Commitment, there must be an *Affidavit* of Service; a Recital in an Order for Time obtained by the Offender is not sufficient. *Whitbed v. Thistlethwaite*, H. 1747. 3 *Atkyns* 619.]

By an Order in the *Exchequer*, an Attachment goes, if the Defendant does not appear the next Day after Service, where the Process is returnable immediate, upon the second Day after, if returnable at a Day certain, and upon the fourth Day after, if upon a Common Return. *Vide Rules and Orders in the Exchequer* 2. Rule 4.

If the Husband appears, and not his Wife, an Attachment goes against both. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 18. 343.

The Attachment requires the Defendant to answer for the Contempt, as well as to the Matters objected. *V. West*. S. 22. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 20.

And it lies for any Contempt; As, for not answering, or for answering insufficiently.

[If a Husband, by Menaces prevails with his Wife to put in an Answer contrary to her Belief, it is a Contempt. *Ex parte Halsam*, T. 1740. 2 *Atkyns* 50.]

[On an insufficient further Answer, you take up your Process of Contempt, just where you left off. *Child v. Brabson*, M. 1750. 2 *Vezey*.

For Refusal to obey an Order or Decree.

[If a Defendant attends the hearing of a Cause, and is present when the Decree is pronounced, and does any Act in Contravention to it, he is guilty of Contempt, and shall be punished for it, tho' the Decree is not drawn up. *Skip v. Harwood*, T. 1747. 3 *Atkyns* 564.]

[Disobedience to an Injunction is a Contempt, tho' it is not sealed. *Anon.* T. 1747. 3 *Atkyns* 567.]

For abusive Usage or Words, of the Process, or Officers of the Court.

If upon a Copy served, and the Writ shewn, the Person speaks with Contempt, before he knows the Contents, or from what Court it issued, it will be a Contempt. *R. Mod. Ca.* 43.

For the Revocation of a Submission to an Award made in Court by Consent. *1 Ca. Ch.* 185.

For not performing an Award made upon a Reference by Rule of Court. *Vide Arbitrament*, (D. 1.)

And where the Contempt is by abusive Words against the Process of the Court, an Attachment goes without an Hearing. *1 Sal.* 84.

If the Contempt be confessed, or proved, it shall be referred to the Master to tax the Costs of the Prosecutor; and the Party offending shall be committed till he pays them, and gives Satisfaction to the Court for the Misdemeanor. *Rules and Orders in Exchequer* 16. Rule 40.

But if the Master be in Doubt what Report to make, he may be afterwards examined upon Interrogatories. *Per Cur P.* 2 *Anne*.

If the Contempt be by abusive Actions, the Offender shall be committed upon an *Affidavit*, without other Examination. *Ord. per Cla.* *Rules and Orders of Chancery* 116.

As, by beating, &c. the Person who serves the Process. *Ord. per Cla.* *Rules and Orders of Chancery* 116.—So in the *Exchequer*. *Rules and Orders in Exchequer* 16. Rule 40.

If, by contemptuous Words, he shall be committed upon two *Affidavits*, without other Examination. *Ord. per Cla.* *Rules and Orders of Chancery* 116.

—So in the *Exchequer*. *Rules and Orders in Exchequer* 16. Rule 40.

And one *Affidavit* is sufficient to have an Attachment, upon which he shall be

be discharged, if there be no more Proof, and the Contempt be denied; but he shall not have his Costs in respect of this *Affidavit*. *Ord. per Cla. Rules and Orders of Chancery* 116.—So in the *Exchequer*. *Rules and Orders in Exchequer* 16. *Rule* 40.

[There must be the Oaths of two Persons of contemptuous Words, or beating a Person serving Process, for the Court to order Commitment; on the Oath of one, they will only make Order to shew Cause. *Anon. T. 1745. 3 Atkyns* 219.]

In *B. R.* Interrogatories shall be exhibited in four Days, or the Party shall be discharged. *Mod. Ca.* 73.

If the Contempt be apparent, he shall answer in Custody. *Mod. Ca.* 73.

Otherwise, upon a Recognizance. *Mod. Ca.* 73.

And if he denies upon the Interrogatories, he shall be discharged, tho' he may be indicted for Perjury. *Mod. Ca.* 73.

If the Defendant be taken for a Contempt, he shall appear *De die in diem* in the Register's Office to be examined upon Interrogatories. *Vide Post*, (D. 6.) *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 101.

And this, upon Motion, is referred to a Master; but it is usually done by the Examiner. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 102, 3.

If the Defendant comes in *gratis*, he shall give Notice of his Appearance to the Clerk on the other Side. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 103.

And if Interrogatories are not framed within eight Days, he shall be discharged, with Costs to be taxed by a Master.

So if, being examined, there shall be no Reference of the Examination, nor Commission taken on the other Side, nor Witnesses examined for Proof of the Contempt, within a Month. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 103.

If the Interrogatories go to Matter not contained in the *Affidavit*, or Order, the Defendant may demur, or refuse to answer to them. *Ord. per Cla. Rules and Orders of Chancery* 114.

And if the Contempt be not proved, the Defendant shall be discharged upon Motion, with Costs.

If the Contempt be by abusive Words, &c. he may be committed directly.

[Chancery has no Cognizance of a Libel, unless it is a Contempt of the Court. *Read v. Huggonson*, *M.* 1742. 2 *Atkyns* 469.]

Initial Letters, or even figured Names, if the Meaning be apparent, will not protect a Libeller. *Ibid.*

It is no Excuse for a Printer to say, he had no Knowledge of the Contents of a Libel. *Ibid.*

If the Printer discovers the Person who brought the Libel to him, it is a Mitigation of his Offence. *Ibid.*

There are three Sorts of Contempt; scandalizing the Court itself, abusing Parties concerned in Causes here, and prejudicing Mankind before the Cause is heard; thus printing a Brief before the Cause was heard, was deemed a Contempt in Capt. *Parry's* Case, as prejudicing the World with Regard to the Merits. *Ibid.*

Read was ordered to be committed, and *Huggonson*, already a Prisoner, to be taken into close Custody, for printing Reflections on the Parties in the Cause of *Roach v. Hall*, tho' they spoke of the Court with Respect. *Ibid.*

[If the Printer of a News-Paper inserts a Paragraph, tending to prepossess the Minds of People, as to the Proceedings in this Court, it will commit him for Contempt. *Anon.* Case of Mrs. *Farley*, Printer of *Bristol Journal*, for an Advertisement relating to Sir *Robert Cann's* Answer, *T.* 1754. 2 *Vezev* 520.]

[On submission, payment of Costs, and confessing the Author, the Court will discharge him. *Ibid.*]

[Printing an Order of Court, appointing a Receiver, and reciting the material Facts in the Cause, and distributing it among the Tenants, merely to prevent their paying their Rents improperly, till a Receiver was appointed, is not a Contempt, but not a Practice to be approved. *Baker v. Hart*, *M.* 1742. 2 *Atkyns* 488.]

So, if after Appearance, he departs without Examination, upon Motion and Certificate of the Departure, and of the Interrogatories. *Rules and Orders of Chancery* 113. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 103.

So, if he be found in Contempt. *Ord. per Cla. Rules and Orders of Chancery 113.*

The Register shall give the Certificate of the Departure, the Examiner, that Interrogatories are exhibited. *Vide Rules and Orders of Chancery 113. Vide Practical Register in Chancery 103.*

And he shall not be discharged, until he performs the Order and pays the Costs; and tho' he be cleared, he shall not have Costs. *Ord. per Cla. Rules and Orders of Chancery 113. Vide Practical Register in Chancery 104.*

The Master, upon the Reference of the Examination, or Proof of the Contempt before him, shall certify, without more, the Costs to be paid of either Party. *Ord. per Cla. Rules and Orders of Chancery 115. Vide Practical Register in Chancery 106.*

If the Contempt be denied, or be not apparent upon the Examination, the Prosecutor shall have a Commission of Course; but the Defendant shall have one Commissioner, and cross examine the Witnesses. *Ord. per Cla. Rules and Orders of Chancery 114. Vide Practical Register in Chancery 104.*

But he cannot examine the Witnesses, but by Leave of the Court upon special Points, which the Plaintiff may cross examine. *Ord. per Cla. Rules and Orders of Chancery 114. Vide Practical Register in Chancery 104.*

[In great Contempts the Court will give Leave to examine Witnesses, to falsify the Parties Examination, and to the Party to examine Witnesses, to fortify his Denial of the Contempt. *Wilkins v. Edson, M. 1727. Bunb. 244.*]

If the Contemptors are aged, Servants, &c. a Commission shall go into the Country, at the Charge of him who prays it, to be executed when, and where the Six Clerk, not in the Cause, upon hearing of the Clerks on both Sides, shall appoint. *Ord. per Cla. Rules and Orders of Chancery 115. Vide Practical Register in Chancery 105.*

An Attachment, and all Process for Contempt, shall be made out into the County where the Party is resident; if he resides in London, it shall be directed to the Sheriffs there. *Ord. per Cla. Vide Rules and Orders of Chancery 112. Vide Practical Register in Chancery 111.*

Whoever sues any Process for a Contempt, ought to endeavour the Execution of it; otherwise he shall lose the Benefit of it, and pay Costs. *Ord. per Cla. Rules and Orders of Chancery 112, 113. Vide Practical Register in Chancery 112.*

The Court will discharge an Attachment or other Process of Contempt, when it issues irregularly, with Costs to be taxed by the Six Clerks, without Motion. *Ord. per Cla. Rules and Orders of Chancery 112, 113. Vide Practical Register in Chancery 111.*

But the Defendant ought to pay the Costs of the Process, which issued regularly, first. *Ord. per Cla. Rules and Orders of Chancery 112. Vide Practical Register in Chancery 111.*

If the Sheriff do not return the Attachment, a Day shall be given for it. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery 110, 111, 334.*

And, if he do not make a Return on such Day, he shall be amerced. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery 110, 111, 334.*

So, if he make a false Return. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery 334.*

So, in the Exchequer, he shall be amerced 40s. if he does not return it by the Sealing Day, upon a Rule given the last Day of the Term. *Rules and Orders in Exchequer 17. Rule 46.*

So, if a Sheriff or Under-Sheriff be served with a Copy of an Order under the Seal of the Court; upon Affidavit thereof, and a Warrant from a Baron, he shall be in Contempt. *Rules and Orders in Exchequer 17. Rule 44.*

The Plaintiff pays 2s. 10d. for the Attachment; To the Sheriff 2s. 4d. and for the Return 4d.

If the King dies after the Arrest upon an Attachment, and then the Sheriff returns *Cepi Corpus*, it will be well, and the subsequent Process upon it regular. *1 Ver. 400.*

If the Sheriff returns *Cepi Corpus*, a Messenger shall be sent for the Defendant. 1 Ver. 116, 154, 344, 400.

But this is a new Officer subordinate to the Serjeant at Arms. 1 Ver. 344.

And the proper Course, after a *Cepi Corpus* returned, is a Motion, that the Defendant enter his Appearance and be examined within four Days, otherwise that he may stand committed; for after a *Cepi Corpus*, no other Process of Contempt issues. 1 Ver. 344.

If, after an Arrest upon an Attachment, and a *Cepi Corpus* returned, the Defendant escapes out of the Kingdom, a Serjeant at Arms shall be granted, and, upon Return, a Sequestration. 1 Ver. 344.

If the Defendant appears, being personally served, upon the Attachment, and files his Answer, or Demurrer, the Attachment shall be discharged of Course, on Payment of 20s. Costs, or Tender and Refusal. Ord. per Cla. But said, that he shall not be discharged without Motion or Petition. Ord. per Cla. Rules and Orders of Chancery 113. Vide Practical Register in Chancery 112.

Upon Payment of 10s. if the *Subpoena* was not served upon the Person.

[If Defendant is in Custody for want of Answer, answers, is discharged, Answer reported insufficient, taken again, answers again; he shall be discharged on Payment of Costs of Contempt, without staying in Custody till the Master reports whether the Answer is sufficient or not. Child v. Brabson, M. 1750. 2 Vezey.]

And if the Plaintiff sues other Process, after Tender of the Costs, the Defendant shall be discharged with Costs. Ord. per Cla. Rules and Orders of Chancery 113. Vide Practical Register in Chancery 112.

If the Contempt be pardoned, the Defendant may appear and proceed, as if there had been no Process. Ca. Ch. 238.

If the Defendant be taken on the Attachment, he shall be bailed. Vide Practical Register in Chancery 110.

[If the Sheriff takes Bail-Bond for the Appearance of a Person in Custody on Attachment, and delivers it to Plaintiff, this is good Cause on a Rule why he does not bring in the Body: And Plaintiff may have a Messenger into any County where the Person is. Anon. H. 1742. 2 Atkyns 507.]

And the Attachment may be superseded.

Or, if it be irregularly obtained, it shall be discharged upon Motion.

[If a Solicitor has been negligent in managing his Client's Business, the Court may grant an Attachment against him. Floyde v. Nangle, T. 1747. 3 Atkyns 568.]

(D. 4.) Attachment with Proclamation.

If the Defendant be not taken, or does not appear upon the Attachment, the Plaintiff shall have an Attachment with Proclamation. Vide Practical Register in Chancery 101, 296.

The Charge to the Office is 2s. 10d. To the Sheriff 2s. 4d. For the Return 4d.

So, by Order in the Exchequer, if the Defendant does not appear upon the Return of the Attachment. Vide Rules and Orders in Exchequer 2. Rule 5.

If the Defendant be arrested upon a Proclamation, a Commission of Rebellion, or by a Serjeant at Arms, where the first Process was not duly executed, the Plaintiff shall pay Costs. Per Order 7 Car. 1. 1 Ch. R. 57. Vide Rules and Orders of Chancery 12. Vide Practical Register in Chancery 112.

If the Defendant appear upon the Proclamation, and file his Answer, Plea, or Demurrer, he shall be discharged upon Payment of Costs, double to the Costs upon an Attachment, without Motion and if the Plaintiff afterwards proceed he shall pay Costs.

If the Defendant be taken, he shall be committed to the Fleet. Vide Practical Register in Chancery 101.

(D. 5.) Commission of Rebellion.

If the Defendant be not taken, or does not appear upon the Proclamation, the Plaintiff shall have a Commission of Rebellion. *Vide the Form, West S. 24. Vide Practical Register in Chancery 94, 101.*—So by Order in the Exchequer. *Vide Rules and Orders in the Exchequer 2. Rule 5. 19. Rule 51.*

This Commission shall be directed to the Sheriff. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery 94.*

Or, to special Commissioners named by the Plaintiff. *Vide West. S. 23, 4. Vide Practical Register in Chancery 94.*

If the Commissioners permit the Defendant to escape, they may be committed till they produce him. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery 95.*

If the Escape be with their Consent, till they pay the Debt. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery 95.*

If the Defendant be rescued, the Rescuers may be committed. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery 95.*

If A. says that he is the Person named in the Writ or Commission against B. by which Means the Commissioners take him, an Attachment lies against him *Semb. Hard. 323.*

But, if the Commissioners take a wrong Person, an Action lies against them for the false Imprisonment. *Hard. 323.*

Tho' he acknowledge himself to be the Person. *Hard. 323.*

If the Commissioners take the Defendant they may bail him, or not, at their Discretion. *1 Ch. R. 261, 2. Vide Practical Register in Chancery 95.*

If they refuse Bail, they ought to bring him up to the Court directly, without Delay. *1 Ch. R. 262. Vide Practical Register in Chancery 95.*

[On the common Process of the Court, the Commissioners ought to take Bond for Defendant's Appearance, but on Attachment for Contempt they ought not, but to have the Body in Court at the Return. *Jones v. Clement in sc. Ad. 1719. Bunb.*]

And a Bailiff, who acted contrary, was committed for the Contempt, and paid Costs to the Defendant. *1 Ch. R. 262.*

If the Defendant be taken upon a Commission of Rebellion, which issued irregularly, the Defendant shall have Costs. *1 Ver. 269.*

But, if an Action at Law be brought, an Injunction goes; for it ought to be examined in Chancery. *R. 1. Ver. 269.*

(D. 6.) Serjeant at Arms.

If the Defendant be not taken upon the Commission, a Serjeant at Arms shall be sent for him. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery 101, 332.*

By an Order in the Exchequer, if the Defendant does not appear upon the Return of the Commission of Rebellion, there shall be such other Proceedings, as the Court upon Motion shall direct. *Rules and Orders in Exchequer 2. Rule 5.*

If he appears, all Costs for the Contempt shall be paid, before any other Proceeding on his Part shall be allowed; as 10s. for every Person named in the Attachment, for every one in the Proclamation 20s. for every one in the Commission of Rebellion 2l. 13s. 4d. *Vide Rules and Orders in Exchequer 2. Rule 5. 19. Rule 51.*

And all Costs shall be paid in Court by the Plaintiff or Defendant, or their respective Attorney, before Appearance or Answer. *Vide Rules and Orders in Exchequer 3. Rule 5.*

If the Sheriff returns *Cepi*, and the Defendant is not brought into Court, upon a Rule of four Days, upon Motion a Messenger shall be sent for the Defendant. *Vide Rules and Orders in Exchequer 3. Rule 5.*

By an Order in the Exchequer, upon Process of Contempt in London or Middlesex, there shall be six Days between the *Teste* and the Return; in other Counties

Counties within fixty Miles, ten Days; in all others, fifteen Days, if the Court does not direct Process returnable *immediate*. *Vide Rules and Orders in Exchequer 3. Rule 5.*

If there be a Debate, whether the Process for the Contempt was served, there may be a Commission for the examining it. *2 Ca. Ch. 100.*

If the Defendant appears and pays Costs for his Contempt, and afterwards is again in Contempt for not making a sufficient Answer, the Process of Contempt continues against him; but when he pays for all Contempts, there shall be a Deduction of so much as he paid upon the former Contempts. *Vide Rules and Orders in Exchequer 7. Rule 16.*

Process of Contempt continues, and does not begin again *de novo*. *Per Rule of North. Ca. Ch. 238.*

If the Defendant be in Custody for his Contempt he shall be brought to the Court upon a *Habeas Corpus*, and charged with the Bill; if he does not then answer, he shall be a second Time brought to the Court by *Habeas Corpus*, and charged with the Bill, or by Rule of Court; and if still he does not answer, the Bill shall be taken *pro confesso*. *Vide Rules and Orders in Exchequer 8. Rule 18.*

If a Person in Contempt be put to answer upon Interrogatories, to excuse his Contempt, he shall be committed to the Fleet, unless he gives a Recognizance in 100*l.* or more if the Case requires it) to appear *de Die in Diem* to be examined, and not to depart without Licence of the Court, *Rules and Orders in Exchequer 15. Rule 38.*

If upon Examination he denies the Contempt, or it does not appear; if the Court, upon Motion, be informed of a Fact that can demonstrate it, the Prosecutor may examine Witnesses to it, in Court, or by Commission, upon Notice to the Defendant or his Attorney, who may cross examine them. *Rules and Orders in Exchequer 15. Rule 38.*

If there be such a Commission, the Defendant shall have a Day to appear 'till the Return; and if it be not returned within a Week, after the Day for the he shall be dismissed with Costs, and his Recognizance shall be vacated. *Rules and Orders in Exchequer 15. Rule 39.*

If the Prosecutor does not exhibit Interrogatories within four Days after Appearance, the Defendant shall be dismissed with Costs. *Rules and Orders in Exchequer 15. Rule 38.*

If Process of Contempt be not executed, it will abate by the Death of the King; and the Plaintiff shall begin *de novo*. *1 Ver. 300. Vide Abatement, H. 38.**
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(D. 7.) Sequestration. *Vide Post. (Y. 4).*

If the Serjeant at Arms cannot take the Defendant, or if he escapes and persists in his Contempt, a Sequestration shall be awarded for the Lands or Goods of the Defendant at the Time of his Contempt. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery 101, 329.*

A Sequestration is the necessary Process of the Court. *Ca. Ch. 93.* Tho' introduced by Lord Bacon. *1 Ver. 421.*

And may be awarded against the Lands and Goods of the Defendant. *Ca. Ch. 92.*

But it shall not be granted upon Petition. *Ord. per Cla. Rules and Orders of Chancery 123.*

[Sequestrators, for want of Appearance, after Seizure of some goods, ought to apply to Court for further Directions for Seizure: Sequestrators, for want of Answer, have no Power to sell, or even to remove Goods; and if they do, an Attachment may go against them. *Desbrow v. Crommie, M. 1729. Bunb. 272.*]

If, before the Sequestration awarded, the Defendant have conveyed his Land by Covin, the Sequestration shall be awarded against the Defendant and his Affigns. *2 Ca. Ch. 44.*

And the Person to whom the Land is assigned, may be taken upon the Sequestration. *2 Ca. Ch. 44.*

So, if Land be settled, with a Power of Revocation, it will be subject to the Sequestration. *1 Ca. Ch. 242.*

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Tho' the Decree was for Payment of Money, not for Land, and the Sequestration was for Land at the Time of the Decree. *Ca. Ch.* 242.

A Sequestration binds from the Time of awarding it, not of the Execution only. *1 Ver.* 58.

If the Suit be for Land, a Sequestration shall be granted, and also an Injunction for the Profits, directed to the Sheriff, or other Commissioners specially appointed. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 329.

Where the Suit was against a Corporation for a Debt due in their Corporate Capacity, (and against particular Persons of the same Corporation, against whom, upon Demurrer, the Bill was dismissed,) and the Corporation did not appear; upon an Appeal to the Lords in Parliament from the Decree for the Dismission and the Answer, Plea and Demurrer of the particular Persons; (but the Corporation, tho' summoned, did not appear) the Lords ordered, that the Bill, as to the Corporation, should not be dismissed, that the Court of Chancery should award the usual Process, and, if needful, a *Distringas*, which should be served one Month before the Return, and if the Corporation did not appear, or did not answer, that the Bill should be taken *pro Confesso*, and the Court of Chancery should make a Decree accordingly. *Ca. Ch.* 206. *Vide 1 Ver.* 121, 122.

[A Defendant, Prisoner in the Country, for want of Appearance to a Bill of Revivor, cannot on his own Motion have the Bill taken *pro confesso* against him, but Plaintiff must pursue the Directions of 5 G. 2. c. 25. *Anon. M.* 1748. 3 *Atkyns* 690.]

If again, the Defendant appears, and afterwards does not answer, and all Process of Contempt goes; the Bill shall be taken *pro Confesso*, and a Decree accordingly. *R. 2 Ca. Ch.* 173, 237. *Vide 1 Ver.* 247.

[If there is a Sequestration *Nisi*, against a Member of Parliament for want of Answer, and before it is made absolute, Answer comes in, and is excepted to, the Court will enlarge him till it appears, whether Answer is sufficient or not; or else will grant new Sequestration *Nisi*. *Butler v. Rashfield, T.* 1751. 3 *Atkyns* 740.]

[If the Bill be taken *pro Confesso* for want of an Answer after Appearance, the Decree shall be *Nisi*. *Semb. sed Q. Howell v. Lord Coningsby, M.* 1726. *Bunb.* 219.]

[If Defendant is brought up three Times, and does not put in any Answer, and the Bill is thereupon taken *pro Confesso*, he shall not be permitted afterwards to put in an Answer. *Hughes v. Owen, P.* 1731. *Bunb.* 299. Q. How this agrees with *Howell v. Ld. Coningsby, supra*.]

If Process goes against one Defendant to a Sequestration, the Plaintiff shall afterwards proceed against the others, tho' jointly concerned, without him who was sued to a Sequestration, as when one Defendant is outlawed at Common Law. *2 Ca. Ch.* 139.

[If one Defendant is out of the Kingdom, it is in vain to take out Process, and it is the same Thing as if Process had been taken out for want of Appearance, and carried on to a Sequestration. *Darwent v. Walton, H.* 1742. 2 *Atkyns* 510.]

If after a Sequestration the Goods are embezzled by a Stranger, he shall be examined for his Contempt. *2 Ca. Ch.* 82.

But a Decree in Chancery does not bind the Right of the Land, but only the Person, if he does not obey it. *1 Rol.* 373. *l.* 25. 4 *Inst.* 84.

And if the Bill be against Husband and Wife, and the Wife appears without the Privity of the Husband, the Bill shall not be taken *pro Confesso*. *1 Ver.* 247.

And therefore, the Court cannot impose a Fine for Non-performance of a Decree. *R. 4 Inst.* 84.

Nor decree Damages for not delivering Possession. *R. 3 Bul.* 34.

Yet there may be a Decree for quieting the Possession. *R. 3 Bul.* 34.

So a Sequestration in mesne Process determines by the Death of the Party. *1 Ver.* 58.—If it be for a personal Duty. *1 Ver.* 166.—Otherwise, if it be after a Decree. *1 Ver.* 58. [*Hawkins v. Crook, M.* 1747. 3 *Atkyns* 594.]

So a Sequestration upon a Bill; for a personal Duty, does not avoid the Dower of the Wife, tho' the Sequestration was before Marriage. *R. 1 Ver. 118.*

So Sequestrators upon mesne Process account for the Profits, and retain only for Satisfaction of the Contempt. *1 Ver. 247, 8.*

[If a Defendant stands out to a Sequestration for want of Answer, and the Bill is taken *pro Confesso*, and a Decree *ad Computandum*, the Court will not discharge the Sequestration on paying Costs of the Contempt, but keep it on Foot as a Security for his appearing before the Master. *Maynard v. Pomfret, H. 1746. 3 Atkyns 468.*]

[The Court will not make an Order on a Plaintiff to pay his Sequestrator's Fees, who has made no Return of the Goods sequestred, but has delivered them over many Years before, and made no Demand on Plaintiff since. *Hawkins v. Crook, M. 1747. 3 Atkyns 594.*]

[If Plaintiff calls for Account of Goods sequestred, the Sequestrator may set off his Fees, whatever Length of Time has elapsed without Demand, provided he has made a Return from Time to Time, of what he seized. *Ibid.*]

(D. 8.) Injunction.

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An Injunction out of *Chancery* cannot supersede the Proceedings of *B. R.* *Vide 37 H. 6. 13, 14.*

And therefore, the Court will give Judgment, if it be prayed, notwithstanding an Injunction. *R. 22 Ed. 4. 37. b.*

And if the Injunction be not upon the Attorney, he may pray it. *Dist. 22 Ed. 4. 37. b.*

But if a Person, served with an Injunction, afterwards proceeds at Common Law, it is a Contempt to the *Chancery*, and he will be committed. *Semb. 22 Ed. 4. 37.* Yet there it was said *per Hufsey*, that *B. R.* would grant a *Habeas Corpus*, and dismiss him.

It shall be served in the same Manner as a *Subpena*. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery 197.*

And if, after Service it shall be disobeyed, all Process for Contempt issues, 'till the Offender be taken and committed upon an *Affidavit* of his Disobedience. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery 217.*

And when he is taken he shall be committed, 'till he obeys, or gives Security for his Obedience, and shall not be heard in the principal Case, until he obeys. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery 217.*

If Execution be taken out, after an Injunction, the Party shall make Restitution for all Damage that appears to be done to the Plaintiff by his *Affidavit*. *1 Ver. 207.*

No one shall be restrained by an Injunction, if he be not named.

But if it be served upon the Attorney, &c. and the Defendant afterwards proceeds himself, he will be in Contempt.

And, if a Man disobeys an Injunction, he will be in Contempt, tho' it was not regularly obtained. *2 Ca. Ch. 204.*

And, tho' the Party would not permit him to have the Writ, to examine it with the Copy served. *Semb. 2 Ca. Ch. 204.*

An Injunction may be by *Parol*, to one present in Court. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery 197.*

Or it shall be in Writing. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery 197.*

[After Appearance, an Injunction to stay (navigating a Ship) cannot be moved but on Notice. *Marasco v. Boiton, M. 1750. 2 Vezey 112.*]

[The Court will not grant an Injunction after Plea pleaded, till it is argued, but it will order it to come on immediately, and if over-ruled, Plaintiff may move at the same Time for Injunction. *Humphreys v. Humphreys, M. 1735. 3 P. W. 395.*]

Chancery

Chancery will by Injunction stay all Proceedings at Common Law. *Vide* (D. 9.)
Practical Register in Chancery 196. For staying Proceedings at Common Law.

Sometimes it stays Trial; or, after a Verdict, it stays Judgment; or, after Judgment, Execution; or, if the Execution hath been executed, it will stay the Money in the Hands of the Sheriff. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 201, 2.

[After an Injunction granted, the Court will give Leave to Defendant to examine Plaintiff upon Interrogatories, in the Common Law Court, or to proceed to Trial, or to affirm Judgment. *Simmons v. Mullins*, M. 1724. *Bunb.* 182.]

[If an Executor, Defendant at Law, after Declaration delivered files a Bill and obtains Injunction, Plaintiff at Law may proceed, and, on *plene administravit* pleaded, take Judgment *de bonis Testatoris cum acciderint*, and then a *Scire facias*, in order to an Inquiry of *Assets*. *Morrice v. Hankey*, M. 1732. 3 P. W. 146.]

[If a Bill is brought for Relief against a Note for Marriage-Brokage, supported by Affidavit, the Court will restrain the Defendant from assigning or indorsing the Note, but will not prevent his Proceeding at Law. *Smith v. Ashwell*, T. 1747. 3 *Atkyns* 566.]

It shall be granted to stop Proceedings at Common Law, if the Defendant makes any Delay; as, if he does not appear upon the *Subpœna*, but an Attachment is awarded, an Injunction shall be granted, 'till Answer.

So, if the Defendant be beyond the Sea, or absconds, by which Means he cannot be served. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 198.

Or, if he prays Time to make his Answer.

Or, takes out a *Dedimus Potestatem* to take his Answer in the Country; and the Defendant ought to take Notice thereof, without Service of the Injunction.

3 *Ver.* 25. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 200.

[If an Injunction is dissolved on the Merits, or for want of shewing Cause, and Plaintiff amends his Bill, he shall not have another Injunction on Defendant's having a *Dedimus* to take his Answer, but he may on the Merits. *Anon.* P. 1749. 3 *Atkyns* 694.]

So in the *Exchequer*, if there are Exceptions to the Answer, and a material Exception is discovered to the Court, upon Motion. *Rules and Orders in Exchequer* 16. *Rule* 41.

[Notice of Exception's being filed must be given two Days before an Injunction will be granted. *Lord Carlisle v. Wymondsell*, in Sc. T. 1722. *Bunb.* 116.]

[An Injunction shall be dissolved of Course, without Motion, on over-ruling Exceptions. *Walter v. Russell* in Sc'. M. 1718. *Bunb.* 30.]

[An Injunction shall be continued, if Defendant does not sign his Answer. *Per Cur'. P.* 172. *Bunb.* 251. *Sed* 2. If Plaintiff takes a Copy.]

[The Court (of *Exchequer*) will not grant an Injunction, because the Defendant has only demurred. *Lamb v. Bowes*, T. 1717. in Sc'. *Bunb.* 11.]

[Plaintiff cannot have an Injunction after Plea put in, till the Plea is removed, and he may move to have it accelerated. *Anon.* M. 1740. 2 *Atkyns* 113.]

[The Court granted an Injunction on a *Dedimus* to stay Proceedings in the Bishop's Court. *Abthorp v. Jennings* in Sc'. M. 1718. *Bunb.* 27.]

[And in the Spiritual Court at *Richmond*. *Attorney-General v. Starkey*, in Sc'. P. 1722. *Bunb.* 28.]

[Where there is any Thing in the Nature of a Trust, the Court will grant Injunction to stay a Suit in the Ecclesiastical Court for a Legacy, tho' they have Original Jurisdiction therein. *Anon.* Hil. 1738. 1 *Atkyns* 491.]

[If a mean Woman of bad Character inveigles an Infant Ward of the Court to marry her, and is committed for it; tho' she is afterwards discharged, yet, till she has paid the Costs of the Contempt, she is under the Jurisdiction of the Court, and it will restrain her from proceeding in the Spiritual Court against the

the Infant's Guardian for Alimony, and against the Infant for Restitution of conjugal Rights and Alimony, and will order her to consent to an Application to the Spiritual Court, for the Infant and Guardian to be absolved from Excommunication on these Accounts. *Hill v. Turner, M. 1737. 1 Atkyns 515.*

And such an Injunction shall not be restrained as to a Prosecution of an Under-Sheriff for a Contempt before. *1 Ver. 25.*

If an Injunction be upon a *Dedimus*, before Declaration, the Plaintiff cannot declare, and shall not proceed against Bail. *Per King, 5 G. 2. 17.*

If after Declaration, he may proceed to Judgment, and the Execution only is stayed. *5 G. 2. 17. Vide 3 P. W. 146, 148.*

An Injunction 'till Answer, if it be not continued within fourteen Days after Answer made, and upon a Certificate of the Register, if there be no Motion for the Continuance of it upon the Merits of the Cause, or the Insufficiency of the Answer, the same Term or the first Seal afterwards, shall be dissolved, without Motion.

An Injunction shall be granted for staying Proceedings at Law, 'till the Hearing of the Cause, when the Action sued is for an old Debt. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery 198, 202.*

Or, the Creditor and Debtor are dead for a long Time passed before the Action commenced. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery 198.*

[If some Bond Creditors proceed at Law against the Heir at Law, and others bring Bill for themselves and the other Creditors, and obtain Decree for Sale and Satisfaction, Injunction will go against those suing at Law, if they have not first obtained Judgment. *Martin v. Martin, H. 1748. 1 Vezey 211.*

[If a Bankrupt, who has acquiesced under Commission, brings *Trover* against the Assignees a Year after, the Court will grant Injunction till Hearing. *Flower v. Herbert, T. 1751. 2 Vezey 326.*]

So, when the Defendant confesses that, which shews there was no Cause of Action, by his Answer. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery 198.*

[If a Jointress permits her Son Tenant for Life in Remainder, without Waste, to cut Timber, and the Remainder-Man over, knows and encourages it, he shall afterwards be enjoined from suing for the treble Damages and Place wasted against the Jointress. *Aston v. Aston, H. 1749. 1 Vezey 396.*]

[If a Bill, brought by the principal Debtor, to stay Proceedings at Law, is dismissed, his Bail cannot bring another Bill, taking up the same Equity, unless for Collusion to charge the Bail at Law. *Anon. T. 1755. 2 Vezey 630.*]

[Injunction lies to stay Trial in Actions by a Corporation for petty Customs, till Answer, where the Defence at Law may arise out of the Answer. *Anon. T. 1755. 2 Vezey 620.*

Or, any Record or Writing shews it. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery 198.*

As, if the Defendant sues Execution upon a Statute, contrary to the De-feazance.

If he sues a Bond, when he was the Cause of the Non-performance of the Condition.

If he sues a Bond with a great Penalty, where the Cause of the Forfeiture was small.

If the Cause of Action accrued by Fraud.

If the Bond, or Judgment was obtained by Fraud.

If the Consideration for the giving of a Bond, Judgment, &c. was never performed.

[Injunction granted after Bond and Judgment obtained in C. B. because the Money the Bond was given for was the Consideration of a Contract for Stock; this was in order not to put the Parties to cross Actions. *Smith v. Nottingham, in Sc. P. 1721. Bunb. 75.*]

[Where the Consideration of a Bond is the same as the Consideration of a parol Contract for Stock, tho' the parol Contract be merged in the Bond, yet Equity will grant an Injunction to stay Proceedings at Law on the Bond. *Awbrey v. Fitzbugh, in Sc. M. 1721. Bunb. 84.*]

If the Daughter of the Obligee takes Part of the Money, which the Obligor was paying; tho' she was the Wife of the Obligor, but parted from her Husband. 1 *Ch. R.* 68.

So, when the Defendant commences an Action, after the Bill exhibited, for a Thing demanded in the Bill.

So, if there be a Suit depending in the Spiritual Court for the Probate of a Codicil, by which the Obligation sued is discharged. *R. Hard.* 96.

So there shall be an Order to stay Proceedings against a Defendant, who is an Ambassador in the Service of the King beyond Sea, for a Year and a Day, unless he returns sooner. 2 *Ver.* 317.

[The Court will continue an Injunction in an Insurance Cause, where a Commission to examine is gone to *America*, especially if the Case, in its Consequences, affects the Merchants in general. *Green v. Suasso, M.* 1741. 2 *Atkyns* 229. *Chitty v. Selwin, T.* 1742. 2 *Atkyns* 359.]

[If a Guardian, before passing his Accounts, brings an Action against the Infant for his Board, the Court will continue the Injunction till hearing; for the Court will have regard to the Maintenance allowed, which a Jury would not. *Anon. H.* 1747. 3 *Atkyns* 618.]

But an Injunction shall not be granted to stay Proceedings at Law upon a bare Suggestion of the Plaintiff by his Bill.

[An Affidavit verifying the Allegations of the Bill may be read, to obtain Injunction. *Bennet v. Loggan, in Sc. H.* 1718. *Bunb.* 35.]

Not shall it be granted in the *Exchequer*, but upon Motion in Court, and good Cause. *Rules and Orders in Exchequer* 16. *Rule* 41.

[Where there is a Bill to establish a Modus, Injunction may be granted, tho' Plaintiff had moved for a Prohibition at Law, and permitted Consultation to go. *Blacket v. Finney, T.* 10 G. *Salmon v. Rake, T.* 1733. *Bunb.* 176.]

It shall not be granted, or dissolved upon a Petition. *Ord. per Cla. Rules and Orders of Chancery* 123. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 203.

It shall not be granted to stay, or remove a Suit by *Certiorari*, 'till a Bond be given that the Bill is sufficient for that Purpose, and it shall be proved within 14 Days after the Writ of Injunction delivered. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 41.

And if not done, upon Certificate of the Neglect by the Examiner, it shall be dismissed with Costs, and a *Procedendo* granted. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 41, 2. *Vide Post*, (2 O. 1.)

[The Court cannot grant an Injunction in criminal Prosecutions, but where Parties have submitted their Right to the Court, they may restrain them by Order from proceeding on an Indictment. *Mayor of York v. Pilkington, P.* 1742. 2 *Atk.* 302.]

[If *A.* and *B.* give a joint Bond to *C.* who dies, leaving *D.* his Widow and Executrix; *A.* dies, and *D.* is indebted on her own Account to *B.* who becomes Bankrupt, the Court will not grant Injunction to stay his Assignees from proceeding against *D.* for her separate Debt, for there cannot be a Set-off in this Case. *Bishop v. Church, M.* 1748. 3 *Atkyns* 691.]

It shall not be granted after Verdict usually, without bringing the Money recovered into Court. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 202.

But before Verdict, the Money is not usually brought into Court.

An Injunction after a Verdict shall be delivered into the Hands of the Chancellor himself, with the Order upon which it issued. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 197.

If Money is brought into Court, in order to have an Injunction to a Suit upon a Bond, if it afterwards appears, that the greatest Part of the Bond is paid, the Money shall be re-delivered, on Security to pay all that is due. *Ch. R.* 1.

It shall not be granted to an Ejectment, tho' the Lessor had five Verdicts against his Title in other Ejectments. *Eq. R.* 2.

[Tho' a Mortgagee suing for a Foreclosure is not thereby precluded from bringing an Ejectment at the same Time, yet, if the Account is entangled with an Account of the personal Estate, and the Mortgagor will give Security to redeem, the Court will grant Injunction to stay Proceedings on the Ejectment. *Booth v. Booth*, T. 1742. 2 *Atk.* 343.]

[The Court will not grant an Injunction to stay Proceedings at Law, till the Hearing of a Cause on a Bill brought by Lord of a Manor, praying that the Tenants may accept of a Compensation for Houses he has built on the Waste; especially if a Bill brought by the Defendants has been dismissed on a Suggestion of Plaintiffs, that it was Matter for Law. *Conyers v. Lord Abergavenny*, M. 1738. 1 *Atk.* 285.]

[The Court will not grant Injunction to stay Proceedings in the Admiralty, on a Suggestion that an Acknowledgment was obtained by Durefs, and that Papers are destroyed. *Anon.* T. 1746. 3 *Atkyns* 350.]

[The Court will not make an Order in the Nature of an Injunction, to suffer a Thing pulled down as a Nuisance to be re-erected, till the Right is determined, but will only accelerate the Determination. *Birch v. Holt*, H. 1750. 3 *Atkyns* 726.]

If the Plaintiff after an Injunction does not proceed for three Years, (or as *Shepherd* says for three Terms,) it shall be dissolved *ex Cursu*.

If it be obtained by Misinformation, or Abuse of the Court, it shall be dismissed with Costs.

[If an Injunction is dissolved on the Merits, and Leave given to take out Execution for a Sum awarded due, a Bill brought, Award pleaded and allowed, another Bill brought to stay Proceedings on other Equity (connected with the former) and Injunction obtained for want of Answer, this Injunction shall be discharged, tho' Defendants have had much Time to answer, for that does not waive the Irregularity. *Travers v. E. Stafford*, T. 1750. 2 *Vezey* 19.]

[Injunction lies not to a *Mandamus* of B. R. nor to Indictment, Information or Prohibition. *Ld. Montague v. Dudman*, T. 1751. 2 *Vezey* 396.]

(D. 10.)
For Cause of
Privilege.

An Injunction shall be granted to stay a Suit, when the Defendant is privileged to be sued in *Chancery*. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 216.

When Money was lent to the Defendant for a Loan to the King. 1 *Cb. R.* 44.

When the Plaintiff sues in the *Exchequer* for the same Cause, there shall be a Rule that he shall make his Election in which Court he will proceed; if he chooses in the *Exchequer*, the Bill in *Chancery* shall be dismissed; if, in *Chancery*, an Injunction goes to the *Exchequer*. 3 *Cb. R.* 2.

(D. 11.)
For staying
Waste.

By the Common Law, a Prohibition went out of *Chancery* against Tenant by the Curtesy, in Dower, or as Guardian, at the Prayer of him, who had the Inheritance, to inhibit Waste, and that before Waste committed. 2 *Inst.* 299.

So now, an Injunction shall be granted upon an *Affidavit* of Waste committed, to inhibit any Waste to be committed by Tenant for Life, or Years. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 212, 213.

Or, to inhibit Meadow, or other Pasture, not ploughed within twenty Years, being ploughed. 1 *Cb. R.* 14. *Cb. R.* 189. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 212.

So, to inhibit antient Inclosures being thrown down. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 212.

Or, Houses being pulled down. 2 *Ca. Ch.* 32. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 212.

And it shall be granted also against Tenant after Possibility, &c. if he pulls down the Seat, &c. 2 *Ca. Ch.* 32.

Or, against him, who in respect of a Trust, &c. is not liable to an Action of Waste. 2 *Ca. Ch.* 32.

[If

[If Lands are limited to *A.* for Life, to Trustees to preserve, &c. to first, &c. Sons of *A.* in Tail, Remainder to *B.* for Life, to his first, &c. Sons in Tail, Reversion in Fee to *A.* the Court will grant Injunction, and continue it till Hearing to stay *A.* cutting Timber, at the Suit of *B.* tho' he has not the immediate Remainder, or at the Suit of the Trustees to preserve, &c. *Perrot v. Perrot*, T. 1744. 3 *Atkyns* 94.]

[If a Father devises Lands to his Son and his Heirs, but if he dies before Twenty-one without Issue, to his Daughters, and directs in that Case the Lands to be sold, and the Money divided among them; the Court will grant Injunction to prevent cutting Timber till the Son is of Age; for till of Age, he shall be considered as Trustee of the Inheritance for the Benefit of the Daughters. *Robinson v. Litton*, M. 1744. 3 *Atkyns* 209.]

[The Court will grant Injunction to restrain Tenant for Life, *without Impeachment of Waste*, from cutting down Trees in Lines or Avenues, or Ridings in a Park, whether planted or growing naturally, or Trees not of a proper Growth to be cut. *Packington's Case*, P. 1745. 3 *Atkyns* 215.]

[The Court will grant Injunction to stay Waste, at the Suit of the Ground-Landlord against an Under-Lessee, who holds by Lease from the original Lessee. *Farrant v. Lovel*, H. 1750. 3 *Atkyns* 723.]

[Or against Tenant for Life, at the Suit of Remainder-Man in Fee, though there is an intermediate Remainder. *Ibid.*]

[Or against Mortgagee in Fee in Possession, for cutting Timber, if he does not apply the Money in sinking Principal and Interest. So against a Mortgagee for Years. *Ibid.*]

[If Tenant for Life, without Impeachment of Waste, has cut Timber, so as not to leave sufficient for Repairs, the Court will restrain him from cutting any more without Leave of the Court. *Aston v. Aston*, T. 1749. 1 *Vezey* 264.]

[The Court will grant an Injunction on a forcible Entry, against Commisioners of Turnpike digging Gravel in Land leased for 21 Years, and turned into a Garden, whereof Plaintiff has been 3 Years in Possession. *Hughes v. Morden's College*, M. 1748. 1 *Vezey* 188.]

[If a sole Right to a Ferry appears by Record, the Court will grant Injunction before Answer, to restrain others from using Ferry-Boats there; but there must be full Affidavits that Plaintiffs keep up sufficient Ferry-Boats, otherwise not. *Anon.* T. 1750. 1 *Vezey* 476.]

[The Court will grant Injunction to stop a Building in *London*, which obstructs Lights, till the Right is tried at Law, and order the Scaffolds and Boards to be pulled down. *Ryder v. Bentham*, T. 1750. 1 *Vezey* 543.]

[Injunction to stay Building, must be on stopping ancient Lights, for which there is Prescription, or on Agreement. *Morris v. Ld. Berkeley*, T. 1752. 2 *Vezey* 452.]

[If a Nuisance is pulled down, the Court will not give Leave to re-erect, and quiet the Possession till the Hearing. *Holt's Case*, H. 1750. 2 *Vezey* 193.]

[If a Defendant admits he has done Waste before filing the Bill, tho' he swears he has done none since, the Court will not dissolve the Injunction. *Anon.* P. 1747. 3 *Atkyns* 485.]

[An Injunction may be granted to restrain Defendants in an Information by Attorney-General at the Relation &c. from misapplying Money, on their praying a *Dedimus* to answer. *Attorney-General v. Norris*, M. 1728. *Bunb.* 258.]

[To restrain Defendant from receiving S. S. Annuities, on Attachment for want of Answer. *Terry v. Harrison*, M. 1730. *Bunb.* 289.]

[To restrain Rector from cutting Timber in the Church-Yard till Hearing, except for repairing Parsonage-House, Out-Houses, Chancel or Pews. *Starkey v. Francis*, M. 1741. 2 *Atkyns* 217.]

But it shall not be granted against him, who has the Inheritance, unless he be only a Trustee, or in such like special Case. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 212.

Nor

Nor, against him, who has an Estate dispunishable of Waste. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 212.—*Cont.* If he pulls down the antient and capital House, &c. *Per Chancellor.* 2 *Ga. Ch.* 32. 1 *Sal.* 161. 1 *Cb. R. E. of Oxford* 10. *Vide 1 Ver.* 23.

Nor, against a Lessee, who had agreed to pay 20s. an Acre *per Annum* Increase of Rent, if he ploughed a Meadow. 2 *Ver.* 119.

Yet, if a Lessee without Impeachment of Waste, about the End of his Term, intends to cut down all the Trees, &c. an Injunction shall go; for that is contrary to the public Good. *R.* 1 *Rol.* 380. *l.* 5.

But no Body can sue in Equity against a Lessee without Impeachment of Waste, for Damages for pulling down Houses, or cutting down Trees. 1 *Rol.* 379. *T.*

Altho' he avers that there was an Agreement, that the Party should not commit voluntary Waste; for there cannot be an Averment contrary to a Deed. *R.* 1 *Rol.* 379. *l.* 40.

[In a special Case on a particular Right, the Court will not grant Injunction before Answer. *Attorney-General v. Doughty*, *T.* 1752. 2 *Vezey* 453.]

[An Answer being insufficient, is not Ground to continue Injunction; it must be excepted to, and if reported insufficient, it may revive. *Morris v. Ld. Berkeley*, *T.* 1752. 2 *Vezey* 452.]

[The Court will not grant an Injunction to restrain a Person from committing a common Trespass, but if it continues so long as to become a Nuisance, it will. *Coulson v. White*, *H.* 1743. 3 *Atkyns* 21.]

[The Court grants Injunction to restrain such Nuisances only as are so at Law, not such as Fear (tho' reasonable) deems such, as an inoculating Hospital. *Anon.* *M.* 1752. 3 *Atkyns* 750.]

[The Court will not grant an Injunction to stay digging Mines where Defendant claims the Inheritance, till the Answer is come in, or Defendant in Default; but if he has only a Term for Years, or Life, and the Reversion is in Plaintiff, will grant it before Answer. *Lowther v. Stamper*, *P.* 1747. 3 *Atkyns* 496.]

[The Court will not grant Injunction to stay the Use of a Market, for there are Remedies at Law by *Scire Facias*, or Action. And *Q.* after the Right established at Law. *Anon.* 1752. 2 *Vezey* 414.]

(D. 12.)
For quieting
Possession.

An Injunction shall be granted for quieting the Possession, if the Plaintiff be ousted of his Possession, which he had at the Time of the Bill exhibited, and for three Years before. 1 *Ver.* 156. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 214.

And it hath been usual to insert, that he was in Possession at the Time of the Bill and for several Years before, and that his Interest was not determined, and to give Bond in ten Pounds for the Truth of it.

But it shall not be granted, except it be of an House, or Land.

Not for Rents received, &c.

Neither shall it be granted before the Hearing of the Cause, without an Affidavit, that he was in Possession at the Time of the Bill, and for three Years before. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 214.

[If a Bill be filed for quieting Plaintiff's Possession, on Affidavit of Disturbance, an Injunction may go, before a *Subpoena* to answer is served. *Pearce v. Penrose*, *T.* 1722. *Bunb.* 110.]

And it shall not extend to a Possession, which he claims from others.

Nor shall it be granted upon the Motion of a Defendant, but only for him who has a Bill in Court, and was in Possession for three Years before, or after a Determination of the Cause for him upon a Hearing of the Merits. 1 *Ver.* 156.

Nor will it prevent the Defendant from proceeding at Law, from making of Leases, distraining for Rent, &c. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 215.

And if the Plaintiff delays his Suit, it shall be dissolved. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 215.

[A perpetual Injunction was decreed after two Trials at Bar in favour of Plaintiff. *N. B.* This Practice was introduced, that the Right might be quieted in Ejectments, (where at Law the Party is always at Liberty to bring a new one) as it was in real Actions, where the Verdict was final. *Leighton v. Leighton*, M. 7 G. Str. 404.]

[A perpetual Injunction was granted after five Ejectments, three Nonuits and two Verdicts, and two Bills in Equity dismissed. *Barefoot v. Fry*, H. 1723. *Bunb.* 158.]

[If there have been Suits in this Court relating to a Will of personal and real Estate, and all Parties have admitted the Will and Probate, and Decrees thereupon made, this Court will grant perpetual Injunction to stay Proceedings in the Prerogative Court, for controverting the Will by a Party to the Suit in this Court. *Sheffield v. Dutcheffs of Buckinghamshire*, M. 1739. 1 *Atkyns* 628.]

[Tho' the Court will decree specific Performance of Agreement to settle Boundaries of Lands in *America*, yet it will not decree quiet Enjoyment of them, which would occasion continual Applications to this Court for Contempts, &c. and this ought to be to the proper Jurisdiction. *Penn v. Lord Baltimore*, P. 1750. 1 *Vezev* 444.]

An Injunction shall be granted to inhibit the Defendant from Printing Books (D. 13.) of Common Law, the sole Privilege of which by Patent is granted to the Plaintiff, if the Defendant be in Contempt for not answering. 2 *Ca. Ch.* 67, 76, 93. *vide Trade*, (B.) For staying Printing, &c.

[An Injunction may be continued after the Answer come in, on Affidavits of the Prejudice would accrue on dissolving it. *Gibbs v. Cole*, P. 1734. 3 *P. W.* 255.]

But an Injunction to inhibit a Ship trading to the *East-Indies* was denied, tho' the Owners were in Contempt for not answering a Bill by the *East-India* Company, who have by Patent the sole Trade there. 2 *Ca. Ch.* 165. Denied 'till the Validity of the Patent was tried. 1 *Ver.* 127.

So, if the Right be not settled, the Court will not grant an Injunction to the Printing, before a Trial. 1 *Ver.* 120, 275, 6.

An Injunction was granted to inhibit the Probate of a Will for the personal Estate, after a Verdict, which had found it no Will. *R. Ca. Ch.* 80.

[The St. 8 G. 2. c. 13. for Encouragement of Engraving, &c. is not confined to Works of Invention or History, but extends to any new Print; as a Print of a Building, Prints of Plants represented in a different Manner than hitherto. *Blackwell v. Harper*, M. 1740. 2 *Atkyns* 93.]

[Books colourably shortned, and where Quotations are translated, are within the 8 *Ann.* c. 19. but fair Abridgments are not; for the Invention, Learning and Judgment of the Author are shewn in them. *Gyles v. Wilcox*, H. 1740. 2 *Atkyns* 141.]

[The Court will grant an Injunction for a Collection of familiar Letters, as well as other Books. There is a Distinction between Letters wrote by a Person, and wrote to him. *Pope v. Curl*, T. 1741. 2 *Atkyns* 342.]

[So, tho' the Book has been pirated and printed in *Ireland*, and pretended to be only re-printed here. *Ibid.*]

[The Court will not grant Injunction to restrain one Tradesman from using another's Mark, (as a Card-maker from using the *Mogul* Stamp.) *Blanchard v. Hill*, M. 1742. 2 *Atkyns* 484.]

(E) Bill in Chancery.

(E. 1.) When it shall be filed.

IF the Defendant appears at the Return of the Process, (or before Noon, or the Rising of the Court upon the Day after Costs Day, or, when the Process is returnable the last Return in Term, upon the first Return in the next Term,) and the Bill be not then filed, the Defendant after entering his Appearance, upon the Day after the Return (if the *Subpæna* be returnable at a Day certain, if at the common Day of Return, then upon the Day after the *quarto die post*) by his Attorney shall give a Rule for Costs. And now by the St. 4 & 5 Ann. 16. Bills shall be filed before any *Subpæna*, unless it be to stay Waste or a Suit at Law.

And if the Bill be not filed before Noon of the next Day, the Defendant shall be discharged with Costs to be taxed by a Master. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 26, 27.

It ought to be filed with the Six Clerk, and before that, it is not of Record. *Ord. per Cla. Rules and Orders of Chancery* 94. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 28.

It shall be dated upon the Day, when it comes into the Office. *Ord. per Cla. Rules and Orders of Chancery* 94. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 27.

So, by Order in the *Exchequer*; and it shall be signed by the Attorney. *Vide Rules and Orders in Exchequer* 2. Rule 3.

No Six Clerk shall antedate any Bill. *Ord. per Cla. Rules and Orders of Chancery* 94. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 27.

Nor shall any Under-Clerk keep it, without delivering it to the Six-Clerk, or his Deputy in his Absence, to be filed. *Ord. per Cla. Rules and Orders of Chancery* 94. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 27.

Nor shall make any Copy of the Bill, or other Pleading 'till it be filed. *Ord. per Cla. Rules and Orders of Chancery* 104. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 28.

If there be a *Certiorari* Bill against the Plaintiff in an inferior Court, because the Witnesses are out of the Jurisdiction, and for other Matters, a *Procedendo* shall not go; for the Plaintiff in the inferior Court might have filed his Bill in this. *R. Ca. Ch.* 31.

No Bill shall be received, unless under the Hand of Counsel. *Ord. per Cla. Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 25.

If his Hand be counterfeited, the Bill shall be dismissed. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 25.

Counsel shall not sign any Bill, unless it be written or perused by him, before the Ingrossment, and, for his Security, he will do well if he signs the Paper-Draught. *Ord. per Cla. Rules and Orders of Chancery* 93. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 25.

In the *Exchequer* no Bill shall be accepted, unless signed by the Plaintiff's Attorney, and allowed by a Baron, except upon a Suit by the Attorney-General. *Vide Rules and Orders in the Exchequer* 2. Rule 3.

No Bill, founded upon the Loss of a Deed, or Writing, &c. shall be received in *Chancery*, without an *Affidavit* that the Deed, &c. is lost; for this Loss intitles the Court to Jurisdiction, for otherwise the Plaintiff might have a Remedy at Law. *R. Ca. Ch.* 231. viz. when the Plaintiff prays not only a Discovery, but also Relief upon the Deed. *R. Ca. Ch.* 11. But if he does not pray Relief, an *Affidavit* is not necessary. 1 *Ver.* 180, 247, 310.

And there is no need of an *Affidavit*, where the Loss of the Deed is not that, which intitles the Court to Jurisdiction. *Ca. Ch.* 231. 2 *Mod.* 173.

Nor, when the Plaintiff only prays the Discovery of a Deed, or the producing it at a Trial. *R. Ca. Ch.* 11. 2 *Mod.* 173.

(E. 2.) The

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*Quis, quid, coram quo, quo jure petatur, et a quo
Recte compositus quisque Libellus habet.*

If all proper Persons are not made Parties to the Bill, any other shall be added upon Motion. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 29. 263.

(E. 2)
Must have
proper parties,
&c.

The King may sue there for Equity; or the Chancellor himself; but he shall not make a Decree in his own Cause. *R. 1 Rol. 373. L.*

All concerned in the Demand ought to be made Parties; and therefore, if there be a Bill against the Executor of one Obligor for Discovery of Assets, all the Obligors shall be joined; for the Charge ought to be equal. *2 Vent. 348.*

[If a Debt is joint and several, each of the Debtors must be brought before the Court, because they are intitled to each other's Assistance in taking the Account, and likewise to Contribution; so on Specialty, Heir and Executor both must be Parties. *Madox v. Jackson, H. 1746. 3 Atkyns 406.*

[But if there are Principal and Sureties, the Principal cannot object that the Sureties are not Parties. *Ibid.*]

[And if Bill is brought against Principal and one Surety, and it is admitted the other is dead insolvent, and no Part of the Debt paid, his Representatives need not be Parties. *Ibid.*]

[On an Information by Attorney-General, at the Relation, &c. Proceedings shall not be stopt, because it is brought without the Privity of one of the Relators; but he may have his Name struck out. *Attorney-General v. Norris, M. 1728. Bunb. 258.*]

[The Attorney-General need not be a Party to a Suit relating to a private Charity, such as a voluntary Society to provide for the Members and their Widows, by weekly Contribution. *Anon T. 1745. 3 Atkyns 277.*]

If the Suit be by one Surety against another, for Contribution, supposing that *A.* another Surety is dead insolvent, the Executor of *A.* ought to be a Party. *R. Ch. R. 15.*

[In a Bill by the Surety for an Accountant of the Excise to be relieved against a *Scire facias* on his Bond, the Commissioners of Excise must be Parties. *Makepeace v. Needler and the Attorney-General. M. 1730. Bunb. 291.*]

[If there are two Lessees, and one brings Bill for Apportionment of Rent, the other Lessee must join as Plaintiff, or be made Defendant, or the Bill will be dismissed with Costs. *Stafford v. City of London. Str. 95.*]

If the Suit be by Order of Vestry, all of the Vestry shall be Parties *Hard. 333.*

If there be a Covenant by a Patentee to pay a Rent to *B.* and the Right of *B.* to the Payment be dubious, in a Bill by *B.* the Attorney-General ought to be a Party. *Hard. 181.*

Otherwise, if the Covenant be in Affirmance of a prior Right of *B.* *R. Hard. 181.*

If the Suit be for a Lunatick, the Committees, as well as the Lunatick, shall be Parties. *R. Ca. Ch. 19.*

If the Suit be by the Assignee of a Legacy, the Executor ought to be a Party; and it is not sufficient to say, that he consented. *R. Ca. Ch. 277.*

So, generally, a Lunatick, as well as the Committees, shall be a Party. *Ca. Ch. 113 in Marg.* Where the Suit is for his Benefit; as, to enforce an Agreement made when he was *Compos.* *R. Ca. Ch. 153.*

Or, the Attorney General. *Ch. R. 135.*

Otherwise, if it be to avoid an Act done by himself; for he cannot disable himself. *Semb. Ca. Ch. 113, 153.*

So an Idiot need not be made a Party. *Ca. Ch. 153.*

If the Bill be for an Account against a Trustee, all the *Cestuy que Trusts* ought to be Plaintiffs. *R. upon a Plea, 1 Ver. 110.*

[If it appears by the Answer that the *Cestui que Trust* is not made a Party, the Bill shall be dismissed. *Whistler v. Webb*, in *Sc' M.* 1719. *Bunb.* 53.]

[The Owner of the Inheritance must be made Party to a Bill to establish a Custom. *Spendler v. Potter*, *M.* 1724. *Bunb.* 181.]

[In a Bill for Tithes by lay Impropiator, a Person intitled to a Portion of Tithes of Part of the Lands, or who has a Grant from the Crown of Part of the Lands, and the Tithes thereof, prior to the Grant of the Rectory, must be Party; even tho' he is before the Court as Party in a Cross-Bill, praying Exemption as to other Lands. *Hooper v. Lettbridge*, *M.* 1730. *Bunb.* 291.]

If it be for Relief against an Assignment of a Bail-Bond by the Sheriff, the Plaintiff in the Action ought to be a Party. 1. *Ver.* 87.

But if a Man articles for the Purchase of Land, in his own Name, and as for himself, tho' it was in Trust for another, in a Bill for Performance of the Articles, the *Cestui que Trust* need not be a Party. *Per Cowper*, *H. 4 Anne*, between *Bateman and Woodcock*.

[If an Ancestor has agreed for purchase of particular Lands, and dies before it is compleated, and Heir at Law brings Bill against Devisees who claim under Ancestor's Will made before the Purchase; the Vendor must be a Party if his Title is doubtful, otherwise if it is clear. *Green v. Smith*, *M.* 1738. 1 *Atkyns* 572.]

[A Mortgagee who was assigned without the Mortgagor's joining, need not be made a Party in a Suit to redeem. *Hill v. Adams*, *P.* 1740. 2 *Atkyns* 39.]

[If a Remainder-Man in Tail brings Bill against Tenant for Life, to have the Title-Deeds brought into Court, and there are Annuitants on the Reversion, and others who have an Interest under a Trust Term, they must be Parties. *Pyncent v. Pyncent*, *M.* 1747. 3 *Atkyns* 571.]

[The Court is not inclinable to order Family Deeds to be brought into Court, unless it appears that the Tenant is destroying them to better his Estate. *Ibid.*

[If Trustees have not conveyed legal Estate, they cannot be compelled to convey it after they have Notice of equitable Charges, till the Parties intitled are before the Court. *Ibid.*]

[If a Mortgagee who has a plain redeemable Interest, makes several Conveyances in Trust to intangle Affairs, it is not necessary to make all the Persons who have an Interest Parties. *Yates v. Hambly*. *M.* 1741. 2 *Atkyns* 237.]

[But where the Redemption depends on equitable Circumstances, and the Mortgagee in Fee has made an absolute Conveyance, with Limitations and Remainders over, the first Tenant in Tail must be a Party. *Ibid.*]

[The Heir at Law need not be made a Party to a Bill brought by a Devisee to redeem a Mortgage, unless he claims to have the Will established. *Lewis v. Nangle*, *T.* 1752. 2 *Vezey*, 431.]

[To a Bill for Execution of a Trust, by settling an Estate on the several Branches of a Family, it is necessary to make the first intitled to the Inheritance a Party, if in being. *Finch v. Finch* *M.* 1752. 2 *Vezey* 491.]

[If Tenant in Tail brings Bill against Tenant for Life and Trustees, to oblige them to make Settlement pursuant to a Will, and it appears that Plaintiff has covenanted to grant Annuities out of such Lands as shall come to him after his Father's Death, these Annuitants must be Parties. *Pinsent v. Pinsent* *M.* 21 G. 2. 1 *Wilf.* 179.]

[The Tenants of two Manors granted in Tail in Recompence of Services, Reversion to the Crown, need not be made Parties to a Suit to settle the Boundaries; so neither the Planters, to a Suit to settle the Boundaries between two Provinces in *America*. *Penn. v. Ld. Baltimore*, *P.* 1750. 1 *Vezey* 444.]

If Plaintiff at hearing waves the Relief he prays against a particular Person, that Person's not being a Party is of no Weight.] *Pawlet v. Bishop of Lincoln*, *P.* 1742. 2 *Atkyns* 296.]

[On a Bill for an Account of Fees to establish a Right, all Persons who have any Pretence to a Right, must be before the Court, for all will be bound by a Decree; tho' at Law a Judgment for Fees does not bind a third Person. *Ibid.*]

[If

[If you draw the Jurisdiction out of a Court of Law, you must have all Parties before the Court who are necessary to make the Determination compleat, and to quiet the Possession; therefore if Lessee brings a Bill to have an Obstruction to his Way removed, and to be quieted in Possession, the Lessor Owner of the Inheritance must be before the Court. *Poore v. Clark, H. 1742. 2 Atkyns 515.*]

[If *A.* is appointed Executor till *B.* comes of Age, who is then to be Executor. *A.* must be made a Party to a Bill brought after *B.* is of Age, for a Demand on the whole Estate of Testator, unless *B.* has received the whole from *A.* on an Account stated. *Glass v. Oxenham, H. 1740. 2 Atkyns 121.*

[A Person who acts ministerially only, cannot be the sole Defendant (as the Treasurer of the Commissioners for building the 50 Churches, but rather the Commissioners only.) *Vernon v. Blackerby, H. 1740. 2 Atkyns 144.*]

[The Representatives of the Undertakers for Briefs, who are dead, need not be brought before the Court; for they are each answerable, the one for the other, and are to be considered as one Body. *Ex parte Angel, P. 1741. 2 Atkyns 162.*]

[Where the whole equitable Interest is assigned over, it is not necessary in every Case to make a Person who has the legal Interest a Party. *Brace v. Harrington M. 1741. 2 Atkyns 235.*]

[But if an Obligee assigns a Bond, and the Assignee after twenty-two Years silence brings a Bill, the Representative of the Obligee should be a Party. *Ibid.*]

If the Bill be for a Term, or personal Duty, against an Executor in Trust, the *Cestuy que Trust*, or the Residuary Legatee, need not be a Party. *1 Ver. 261.*

[A Bond-Creditor may bring a Bill against an Executor for Discovery of Assets, and for Satisfaction, without making all other Bond or superior Creditors Parties; for the Court only decrees an Account, and the Executor may set forth the debts. *Anon. M. 1747. 3 Atkyns 572.*]

[It is not necessary to make Creditors Parties to a Suit for a Legacy, the Executor is sufficient. *Peacock v. Monk, M. 1748. 1 Vezey 127.*]

[If Bill is brought by a Pawnee for an Account and Delivery of Jewels, the Pawnee need not be a Party. *Saville v. Tankred, T. 1748. 1 Vezey 101.*]

[If Husband Tenant for Life, Remainder to his Wife for Life, brings Bill to know if certain Lands are included in the Settlement, the Wife must be a Party. *Herring v. Roe, H 1737. 1 Atkyns 290.*]

Or, by an Heir, for Discovery of the Money of *A.* with which a Trustee purchased an Estate, the Executor of *A.* need not be a Party. *R. Ch. R. 4. 5.*]

[If Creditors bring Bill to compel the Sale of Lands devised to pay Debts, the Heir should be a Party; but if the Lands have been long enjoyed under the Will, a Sale may be decreed, tho' he is not. *Harris v. Ingledew, H. 1730. 3 P. W. 91.*]

[If the Trust to pay Debts is created by Deed, the Heir need not be a Party unless he is to have the Surplus. *Ibid.*]

[The Heir at Law must be made a Party to a Bill on the Statute of fraudulent Devises, *3 W & M. c. 13. Warren v. Stawell, H. 1740. 2 Atkyns 125.*]

[In a Bill for Account of Personal Estate, it is not sufficient that the Person who has a Right to administer is a Party, he must have taken out Administration. *Humphreys v. Humphreys H. 1734. 3 P. W. 349. Contra in Cleland v. Cleland, Pr. in Chan. 64.*]

[If Plaintiff after Bill filed takes out Administration, it may be charged by way of Amendment, as well as by way of Supplement. *Ibid.*]

[If personal Estate is given to a Bastard, and Executors are made to take care of the Child and do it Justice, and it dies intestate without Wife or Issue; the Executors may sue for the Testator's personal Estate, without making the Attorney General, or the Administrator of the Bastard, Parties. *Jones v. Goodchild, H. 1729. 3 P. W. 32.*

Counsel shall take care that, the Bill be brief and succinct, reciting only the material Part of Writings, without transcribing them *in hæc verba*, or using unnecessary Traverses, prolix Impertinence, or Multiplicity of Words. *Ord. per Cla. Rules and Orders of Chancery* 93.

The Suggestion, that the Plaintiff has no Remedy at Law, is usually inserted, but not necessary.

[If a Bill is brought for an Account of Fees &c. and to establish a Right, it is not enough to say the Right vested in Plaintiff, he must shew *how*. *Lord Digby v. Meech*, P. 1725. *Bunb.* 195.]

If a Bill be in the Disjunctive, as, that *A.* was seized for Life, or in Tail, &c. The Defendant may take it either Way, and a Bar to the Estate-Tail is a good Plea. *1 Ver.* 219.

If the Bill contains Matter criminal or scandalous, it shall be expunged upon a Reference to a Master, and the Counsel shall pay Costs to the Party grieved, before he shall be heard in Court. *Ord. per Cla. Rules and Orders of Chancery* 93, 4. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 25.

But, if the Master report the Bill not scandalous, he who procured the Reference shall pay Costs. *Ord. per Cla. Rules and Orders in Chancery* 94. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 25.

[If a Bill is scandalous it is also impertinent; but it may be impertinent without being scandalous: and nothing relevant is either; otherwise Charges of Fraud would be scandalous. *Fenboulet v. Passavant*, T. 1750. *2 Vexey* 24.]

[It is not regular, to refer a Bill for Scandal after the Answer is put in. *Per Price B. Jones v. Langham*, in Sc' M. 1719. *Bunb.* 53. *Sed Q. V. Infra.*]

[After Answer, or submitting to Answer, a Bill cannot be referred for Impertinence, but it may for Scandal at any time. *Woodward v. Astley* P. 1731. *Bunb.* 304. *Anon* T. 1755. *2 Vexey* 631.]

[None shall be made a Defendant merely to pray Costs against him; as if *A.* purchases a Sailor's Prize Money, and assigns to *B.* and the Sale is set aside for Fraud, *A.* cannot be made a Party. *Taylor v. Rochfort*, P. 1751. *2 Vexey* 281.]

[Praying general Relief is sufficient. *Cook v. Martyn* P. 1737. *2 Atkyns* 2.]

[Where general Relief is prayed in one Part of the Bill, and particular Relief in another, it must stand over to be amended, paying Costs of the Day. (*Semb.* if the particular Relief is improper.) *Ibid.*]

[If a Bill prays general Relief, you may at the Bar pray particular Relief agreeable to the Case made in the Bill, but not intirely different from such Case; as if the Bill is brought for a Rent-Charge issuing out of Land, you cannot drop that, and insist on the Land itself. *Grimes v. French*, H. 1740. *2 Atkyns* 141.]

[If a Bill prays Relief generally, the Court may thereupon make a Decree for Relief in a particular Manner: As, if the Bill be for a Marriage Portion, and general Relief prayed; if it appears that a Fine was intended for the Security of the Portion, the Court, without its being prayed, may decree, that a Fine shall be levied. *R. 2 Mod.* 91.

[It is not irregular for a Bill to have two different Aspects, that if one fails, the other may answer the Purpose for which it is brought. *Bennet v. Vade*, T. 1742. *2 Atkyns* 324.]

Two Bills may be filed upon one *Subpæna* against the same Defendant. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 26.

But if the two Bills are for the same Cause, and so reported upon a Reference, one of them shall be dismissed with Costs. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 26.

[If a Bill is brought by some Creditors in behalf of themselves and others, and another Bill by other Creditors for the same Purposes, the Court will suffer both to proceed. In the Matter of *Price*, M. 1747 *3 Atkyns* 602.]

[A Man may bring Bill in the Name of his Assignor, and another in his own Name, and the Court will not stop Proceedings in either. *Gage v. Ld. Stafford* T. 1750. *1 Vexey* 544.]

After Answer, the Plaintiff may dismiss his own Bill with 20s. Costs. *Dub. Ver. 116.*

[After Answer, Plaintiff may always amend on Payment of 20s. Costs; tho' *Hardwicke C.* said he would consider some way how to make Defendant a more adequate Compensation after a long Answer. *Deggs v. Colebrooke, H. 1738. 1 Atkyns 396.*]

[After Publication Plaintiff cannot amend, without withdrawing his Replication. *Anon. H. 1738. 1 Atkyns 51.*]

[Matter subsequent to the original Bill cannot come by way of Amendment, but by way of supplemental Bill. *Brown v. Hidgen, H. 1736. 1 Atkyns 291.*]

[If Bill is brought charging Forgery in a Lease, and mentioning by way of Inducement Fraud in Trustees who are not made Parties, and Relief prayed against the Forgery only; and there has been a decretal Order, and a Trial of the Forgery; the Cause coming on upon the Equity reserved shall stand over, and Plaintiff bring supplemental Bill, charging the Fraud, and making the Trustees Parties. *Jones v. Jones T. 1744. 3 Atkyns 110.*]

[A supplemental Bill, properly so called, is a Bill brought for new Matter since the Original filed, and before the Hearing, and the Defendants in the Original must be Parties to the supplemental; but if the Objection for want of Parties is not made at the Hearing, it cannot be made when the Cause comes on again. *Jones v. Jones P. 1745. 3 Atkyns 217.*]

[After an Account decreed, if during the Account a Party die, a Bill to bring the Devisee of such Party, or other formal Party (as a Trustee) before the Court, is not a supplemental Bill, but a supplemental Bill in the Nature of a Bill of Revivor, and the Defendants in the original Bill need not be Parties. *Ibid.*]

But now by the St. 4 & 5 Ann 16. The Plaintiff shall pay full Costs to be taxed by a Master, if he dismiss his own Bill, or the Defendant dismiss it for want of Prosecution.

And after a Decree the Plaintiff cannot dismiss his Bill. *R. Ca. Ch. 40.*

[A Bill brought for Discovery merely, and praying no Relief, cannot be dismissed for want of Prosecution, but Defendant may have an Order for his Costs. *Woodcocke v. King, H. 1738. 1 Atkyns 286.*]

(F.) Bill of Revivor.

IF the Plaintiff, or Defendant die, his Heir, or Executor, &c. shall have a Bill of Revivor against the Defendant, his Heir, or Executor, who has his Interest. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery 44.*

If Husband and Wife are Defendants, and the Husband die, the Plaintiff shall have a Bill of Revivor. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery 46.*

If a Woman be Plaintiff, and, after an Answer to her Bill, she marries; the Husband and Wife ought to have a Bill of Revivor. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery 47.*

If two Executors are Plaintiffs, and one dies, there shall be a Bill of Revivor. *Vide Ca. Ch. 77.*

Or, if one of them marries, where her Authority ceased by the Will upon the Marriage, if that does not appear by the Bill. *Ca. Ch. 77.*

If Part of the decretal Order is omitted in the Decree signed and inrolled, the Plaintiff may revive the Suit by Bill of Revivor. *R. on Demurrer, Ca. Ch. 37.*

So a Defendant may have a Bill of Revivor as well as a Plaintiff. *Abr. Ca. 2.*

[A Defendant cannot revive, except only when there is a Decree to account. *Anon. H. 1748. 3 Atkyns 691.*]

But

But if the Bill be by Husband and Wife, and after Answer, he dies, the Wife shall revive, or not, at her Election. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 47.

[If Bill is brought by Husband and Wife for a Demand in her Right, and he dies, the Cause does not abate. *Anon. H. 1750. 3 Atkyns 726.*]

If there be a Bill of Interpleader, and, after a Trial directed between the Defendants, the Plaintiff dies, a Bill of Revivor is not necessary; for the Bill is at an End as to the Plaintiff, and the Defendants may proceed; for each of them is in the Nature of a Plaintiff. *1 Ver. 351.*

If there be a Bill against Trustees and the *Cestuy que Trust* in Fee, to have a Conveyance to the Plaintiff for Life, and afterwards to his Issue in Tail, and the *Cestuy que Trust* dies after a Decree for the Conveyance, the Trustees may convey without a Bill of Revivor; for the Death of one Plaintiff or Defendant abates the Suit only as to himself, and a Revivor is not necessary, where nothing is to be done by the Representatives of him who is dead. *Abr. Ca. 2.*

[Tho' by *Stat. 8 W. 3.* a Suit shall not abate by the Death of one Defendant, yet it must be taken with this Restriction, that the Subject Matter of the Bill is not hurt by such Defendant's Death. *Brown v. Hidgen, H. 1736. 1 Atkyns 291.*]

So, if a Bill be against a *Feme Sole*, who, after Answer, marries, there is no Need of a Bill of Revivor; for the Husband shall be concluded by her Answer. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 46, 7.

So, if there be a Bill by a *Feme Sole*, and, before Answer, she marries, it is not necessary. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 48.

If Joint-Tenants, Joint-Obligees, Obligors, or Executors sue, and one of them dies after Answer, there is no Need of a Bill of Revivor for the Survivor; because the Interest survives. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 47.

If two Plaintiffs, and one dies after Bill filed and *Subpœna* served but not returned, and the other without reviving takes out Attachment, and Defendant (it being in Vacation) answers; the Answer shall not be taken off the File, nor a Bill of Revivor brought; for if the Suit is abated, Defendant will have the Benefit of it at the Hearing. *Lasco v. Moys, H. 1723. Bunb. 144.*]

So, if an Administrator, as Guardian to an Infant Executor, sues, and, *pendente lite*, the Infant comes of full Age, it is not necessary. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 48.

An Assignee, or a Purchaser shall not have a Bill of Revivor for want of Privity. *Semb. 1 Ver. 283. 427. Abr. Ca. 3.*

No one shall be made Party to a Bill of Revivor, who is not in Privity. *Ca. Ch. 151. Vide in Marg.*

A Devisee shall not have a Bill of Revivor; for he does not represent the Testator, but is in Nature of a Purchaser. *Ca. Ch. 174.*

If the Plaintiff dies after a Decree before Costs taxed, no Bill of Revivor lies for the Costs. *R. upon a Plea, 2 Ca. Ch. 7.*

[A Bill of Revivor may be brought, for Duty and Costs not taxed in Defendant's Life-Time, but not for Costs alone. *Dodson v. Oliver, H. 1723. Bunb. 160.*]

But Notice to one in the Remainder, of a Bill of Revivor, was proper, tho' it was not necessary to make him a Party, not being in Privity. *Ca. Ch. 151. Vide in Marg.*

A Creditor, allowed by Order to prove his Debt, may revive, tho' he was not a Plaintiff originally. *Abr. Ca. 3.*

[If Defendant by Answer only (not by Plea or Demurrer) insists Plaintiff is not intitled to revive, yet the Court on Motion will order the Proceedings to stand revived; but if Plaintiff does not shew he has a good Title to revive, he will take nothing by his Suit at the Hearing. *Harris v. Pollard, H. 1734. 3 P. W. 348.*]

A Bill of Revivor pursues the first Bill; for if there be a Variance, it will be dismissed. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 45.

He who revives, after Revivor stands in the same Condition as his Predecessor
If

If a Bill of Revivor revives more than it ought, it will be bad. *R. upon Demurrer, Ca. Ch. 77.*

If it revive the whole Decree, which was to pay Money and to convey Land, it may stand as to the Personalty, if the Executor only revives, and not as to the Realty; tho' the Demurrer be general to the Whole. *Abr. Ca. 4.*

But any Plaintiff may be omitted in a Bill of Revivor, who was Plaintiff to the former Bill. *D. 2 Ca. Ch. 80.*

And, if the Bill of Revivor alledges a Release, by the Plaintiff omitted, to the other Plaintiffs, and prays an Answer, it is no material Variance. *R. 2 Ca. Ch. 80.*

So a Defendant, who had not put in his Answer, may be omitted. *1 Ver. 308.*

So if one Plaintiff refuses to join in Revivor, the other shall revive against him and the other Defendants. *Abr. Ca. 2.*

If Husband and Wife are Defendants, and after Answer the Husband dies, she shall answer *de novo* to the Bill of Revivor, or her first Answer shall stand, at her Election. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery 46.*

If an Answer to a Bill of Revivor, of Part of an Order omitted in the Inrolment of the Decree, draws into Re-examination Matters formerly settled, an Order shall be made, that such Matters be not re-examined. *Ca. Ch. 56.*

A Bill of Revivor is not allowed after thirty Years. *2 Ca. Ch. 216.*

And a Plaintiff upon an Abatement of the Suit may have a Bill of Revivor, or an Original Bill, at his Election. *1 Ver. 463.*

If a Defendant, served with Process upon a Bill of Revivor in the Exchequer, does not answer, nor pay a Commission within eight Days, the Proceedings shall be revived upon Motion. *Rule and Orders in the Exchequer 17. Rule 43.*

[If Assignees of a Bankrupt bring a Bill, and obtain a Decree *nisi* against Defendants who make Default, and then new Assignees are chosen, who bring Supplemental Bill in the Nature of a Bill of Revivor, they shall stand in the Place of the Former, and may serve Defaulters with *Subpœna* to shew Cause. *Brown v. Martin, P. 1745. 3 Atkyns 218.*

[If a Decree is signed and inrolled, upon a *Subpœna Scire Facias* it may be revived without Appearance. *Semb. Wharam v. Broughton, M. 1748. 1 Vezy 180.*]

[If a Suit has abated, the Court by Consent of Parties may order Money to be paid out of Court without Revivor, or may declare that a Party is intitled to so much. *Beard v. Earl Powis, T. 1751. 2 Vezy 399.*]

(G) Bill of Review.

AFTER the Dismission of a Bill, upon a full Hearing, and this Dismission signed and inrolled, the Cause shall not be retained, but by Bill of Review for special Cause. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery 51*

Vide Re-hearing, Post (Y. 5.)
Nor shall the Decree be reversed, or altered, but upon a Bill of Review, unless it be for a Miscasting. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery 51.*

[If the Decree is inrolled, there cannot be a Rehearing, nor Relief on an Original Bill, and the only Remedy is by Bill of Review, which must be either for Error on the Face of the Decree, or for new Matter discovered since. *Taylor v. Sharp, T. 1735. 3 P. W. 371.*]

[If the Decree is not signed and inrolled, a Bill in the Nature of a Bill of Review may be brought, it being fruitless to make a Man sign and inrol a Decree against himself, to intitle him to bring a Bill of Review. *Standish v. Radley, P. 1741. 2 Atkyns 177. Lewellin v. Macworth, T. 1740. 2 Atkyns 40.*]

[There must be probable Cause made, that the new Matter will be relevant; as if after a Decree in Favour of Parties claiming under a Settlement, Deeds are discovered which make it possible that the Maker of it had not Power to make it. *E. Portsmouth v. E. Effingham, P. 1750. 1 Vezy 430. Bennet v. Lee, H. 1742. 2 Atkyns 529.*]

[If Supplemental Bill is brought for new Matter discovered; if there is none, Defendant must avail himself of it by Plea or Demurrer, but cannot at Hearing. *Lowell v. Macworth*, T. 1740. 2 *Atkyns* 40.]

[On a Supplemental Bill in Nature of a Bill of Review, there must be a Petition to re-hear or appeal. *Moore v. Moore*, T. 1755. 2 *Vezy* 596.]

But for Cause apparent in the Decree it may be reviewed; as, if Land in *Capite* be all devised for Payment of Debts; and so decreed, where by Statute it is void for a third Part. R. 1 *Rol.* 382. l. 10.

So, if the Decree be founded upon a Mistake of the Law; for a Review is in Nature of a Writ of Error. R. 1 *Rol.* 382. l. 10.

Or, upon a Mistake in Conscience, upon the Proof before the Chancellor; and that is the usual Course. 1 *Rol.* 282. l. 35.

Or, for Defect in the Words of the Decree. 2 *Ca. Ch.* 162.

Or, for Want of Jurisdiction in the Court. 1 *Ver.* 292

And there may be a Review of a Decree for the Plaintiff for less than was due, as well as upon a Dismission, or a Decree against him. *Ca. Ch.* 53.

No Review shall be allowed, but for Error apparent in the Decree. *Ca. Ch.* 54.

Or upon *Affidavit* of new Matter arising since the Decree made; for neglecting to have Evidence, which was known to the Party, at the Time of the Decree, is not Cause for a Review. *Ca. Ch.* 43. 1 *Ver.* 166. *Eq. Ca.* 184.

[But the Discovery of new Matter, in Being at the Time of the Decree, but not known till after, intitles to a Review. *Standish v. Radley*, P. 1741. 2 *Atkyns* 177.]

Nor the Confession of the Party since the Decree. *Ca. Ch.* 43.

Nor, the Misreciting of a Fact or Proof by the Decree; for that is a Record, and if the Decree be pursuant to the Fact there recited, a Review shall not be allowed. R. *Ca. Ch.* 54.

Nor, till a Recognizance given to the Master, for Payment of the Costs and Damages. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 51.

[No Supplemental or new Bill in Nature of a Bill of Review, grounded on new Matter since the Decree, shall be exhibited without Leave of the Court, and depositing 50 l. to answer Costs and Damages. *General Order*, 17 Oct. 1741. 2 *Atkyns* 139.]

Nor, in the *Exchequer* till Costs paid, and a Recognizance to perform the former Decree, and to pay the further Costs; otherwise there need be no Answer to it. *Rules and Orders in Exchequer* 13 Rule 33.

Nor, in *Chancery* till he has obeyed the first Decree: As, if he have paid the Money, delivered Writings, or the Possession of Land decreed: Yet the Court has dispensed with this Rule upon good Security given for the Payment of the Money, &c. 14 *Car.* 2. *Ca. Ch.* 42. 1 *Ver.* 117.

But if the Decree be for the Extinguishment of a Right, Conveyance of Land, Release of a Debt, Cancelling of Writings, &c. Performance may be deferred, by Order of Court, till the Hearing of the Cause upon the Bill of Review. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 52.

So, upon an *Affidavit*, that the Plaintiff is not able to pay, and the Defendant has Land in Execution for Costs. 1 *Ver.* 264.

No Time is limited for a Review, but after long Acquiescence the Error ought to be apparent. 1 *Ver.* 287, 293.

[The Court is very tender of permitting a Bill of Review after a long Time, and will not do it unless the Petitioners bring themselves very clearly within Lord Bacon's Rules. *Norris v. Leneve*, H. 1743. 3 *Atkyns* 26.]

[The Court will not grant a Bill of Review, when an Account was directed and taken on a Foreclosure Bill, and the Report confirmed some Years before; and it appears that the Defendant's Agent, Attorney and Solicitor, attended the Master for him. *Gould v. Tancred*, H. 1742. 2 *Atkyns* 533.]

Upon a Review, no Witness shall be examined to a Matter, upon which an Examination might have been upon the first Bill. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 53. *Vide supra*.

[On arguing a Demurrer to a Bill of Review, nothing can be read but what appears on the Face of the Decree; but after Demurrer over-ruled, Plaintiff may read Bill, Answer, or any Evidence, as at a Re-hearing. *Catterall v. Purchase* T. 1738. 1 *Atkyns* 290.]

[Papers in the Hands of one of the Parties before, but not discovered till after the Decree, may be read on a Bill of Review. *Standish v. Radley*. P. 1741. 2 *Atkyns* 177.]

[If a Party in the first Cause has examined to establish a particular Point, the Court will not suffer him to bring a new Bill, to contradict what he attempted to prove in the first: As, first to prove a Man Sane, and then to prove him Insane. *Bennet v. Lee*, H. 1742. 2 *Atkyns* 529.]

It is not Cause for a Review, that the Suit was abated by the Death of the Defendant before the Decree. R. Ca. Ch. 122.

Or, that a Fact is false; for there can be no new Examination after Publication. R. 1 *Rol* 382. l. 30. Ch. R. 37.

Or, that there was a Verdict, and a Sentence in the Ecclesiastical Court afterwards to the contrary. 1 Ch. R. 25.

No Review shall be allowed for him, who is not privy to the first Decree; Not for a Devisee of the Plaintiff in the first Bill. Ca. Ch. 123.

But where four defend for all the Inhabitants of such a Place; another Inhabitant, not Party or Privy to any of the four Defendants, shall have a Review. Ca. Ch. 272.

Nor shall a Review be allowed against him, who is no Party, or Privy.

Nor for him, who has released his Equity, before the Decree. *Semb. Ca. Ch.* 107.

No Review shall be admitted after a Bill of Review; for that would be infinite. 7 Co. 45. b. * 2 Cro. 186. * R. 2 Ca. Ch. 133. 1 Ver. 135. 441.

Tho' the first Bill was dismissed, without Answer, &c. R. 2 Ca. Ch. 133.

Or, there be an apparent Error. 1 Ver. 417. Vide 2 Ca. Ch. 133.

But a Bill of Review may be by one Defendant only, who is *Pars gravata*. R. Hard. 50.

So where the Plaintiff has no Estate or Title, but in Equity. Hard. 50.

So, if Trustees have obtained Decrees, and afterwards are changed, the new as well as the old Trustees may be Parties to a Review. Hard. 104.

As to a *Certiorari* Bill, Vide *Post*, (2 O. 1.)

As to a Bill of Interpleader, Vide *Post*, (3 T.)

(H.) Demurrer.

(H. 1.) When it lies, and when not.

IF a Bill be filed and the Defendant appears, he may demur, plead, or answer, otherwise all Process shall issue against him, as if he had not appeared.

[The Defendant may demur if the Bill is for a Matter or Sum below the Dignity of the Court, and it will be dismissed, or upon Motion; but if there is Fraud or complicated Matter, it will be retained, however small. *Per Price B. M.* 1717. *Bunb.* 17.]

[If Bill is brought for Relief against several Contracts for Shares of the same Stock bought of the Defendants severally, and charges that they had formed themselves into a Society to carry on the Fraud, yet Demurrer lies. N. B. Defendants must deny Combination. *Bull v. Allen in Sc.* H. 1720. *Bunb.* 69.]

[Tho' Defendant does not demur to a Bill, as being too trifling for the Court to entertain, yet he may take Advantage of it at the Hearing. *Brace v. Taylor*, H. 1741. 2 *Atkyns* 253.]

A Defendant may demur, if the Bill be for Relief in a Matter not proper for the Court; as, if a Bill of Revivor revive an Order made by the Consent of the

[* 7 Co. and 2 Cro. are upon Bills of Revivor.]

the Plaintiff, now married and not a Party; for her Consent is determined. *R. Co. Gb. 77.*

[If Plaintiff prays Injunction to a *Mandamus* from *B. R.* or to an Indictment, Information or Prohibition, Defendant may demur. *Ld. Montague v. Dudman, T. 1751. 2 Vezey 396.*]

[If Bill is brought to establish Plaintiff's Right of Common, and set aside former Decrees, Demurrer lies to the whole Bill, for Plaintiff ought to have brought Bill of Review. *Lady Granville, v. Ramsden, in Sc' H. 1719. Bunb. 56.*]

[Tho' Defendant has answered original Bill, he may demur to the amended Part. *Lowther v. Whorwood, M. 1722. Bunb. 120.*]

[Defendant may demur for want of Parties, or may take Exceptions for it at the Hearing. *Derwent v. Walton, H. 1742. 2 Atkyns 510.*]

[Defendant may demur, if there are not sufficient Parties; as if a Jointress brings Bill against Heir at Law to have a Covenant of her Husband (to leave a Jointure-House in repair) performed, and Satisfaction for the want of it, the Heir may demur for that the Executor ought to be a Party; for tho' at Law the Creditor may sue the Heir only, where he is bound, yet as the personal Estate is the natural Fund for Debts, and the Executor may shew he has performed the Covenant, he must be a Party in Equity. *Knight v. Knight M. 1734. 3 P. W. 331.*]

[Yet if Administrator with the Will annexed is a Defendant, another Defendant shall not demur, because it does not appear that the Executor did not leave an Executor, for the Court will presume the Administration to be right. *Tourton v. Flower, T. 1735. 3 P. W. 369.*]

[But if Plaintiff has taken out Administration in a proper Court in a foreign Country, our Courts can take no Notice of it; and if he has not also taken it out here, Defendant may demur. *Ibid.*]

[If an Estate is charged with 10*l.* per ann. Wages to the Knight of a Shire, and a Right given to a Corporation, consisting only of the two Knights and the Sheriff, to enter and distrain, and one Knight and the Sheriff refuse to join in recovering it, and the other brings Bill for it, defendant may demur. *Shepherd v. Gotton, T. 1747. 1 Vezey 38.*]

[If a Crew of 80 appoint two of their Number, Agents for Prizes, and afterwards 64 of them agree the two Agents shall have certain Shares, and Bill is brought in behalf of the Agents and the 64, Demurer lies, for the whole 80 should be Parties. *Leigh v. Thomas, T. 1751. 2 Vezey 312.*]

[To a Bill brought for Injunction to stay Proceedings in Ecclesiastical Court for a Church-Rate, to which a Custom was pleaded and Plea admitted, and for Discovery of the Value of Estates, Defendant may demur, for they are cognizable there. *Dun v. Coates, M. 1738. 1 Atkyns 288.*]

[If the Lord of one Manor brings a Bill against the Lord of another Manor, to establish a Right and be quieted in the Possession of a Fishery, Defendant may demur, for the Right should be first tried at Law. *Ld. Tenham v. Herbert, 1742. 2 Atkyns 483.*]

[If the Executor of an Attorney brings Bill for Money due for Business done, Defendant may demur, for that the Remedy is at Law under 2 G. 2. c. 23. *Parry v. Owen T. 1751. 3 Atkyns 740.*]

[If there is a Decree to account, an Estate to be sold, and the Money paid to Incumbrances according to Priority, and afterwards Plaintiff discovers and buys in Incumbrances prior to Defendant, and brings Bill to tack his Mortgage to these, Defendant may demur. *Wortley v. Birkhead, T. 1754. 3 Atkyns 809.*]

[If the Lord of a Market brings Bill for Toll of Corn brought to Market, and that Defendant combines to sell by Sample at his House, and thereby prevents Corn being brought to Market, which is forestalling, and prays Discovery; these are Law Questions, and Defendant may demur. *Hawley v. Taylor, M. 1754. 3 Atkyns 815.*]

[If a supplemental Bill is brought against a Defendant, no Party to the original Bill, to answer the Matters in the original Bill, and no new Matter is pretended

to be arisen since filing the original Bill, Defendant may demur. *Baldwin v. Mackown, M. 1754. 3 Atkyns 817.*

[If a Bill is brought for Discovery of Assignment of a Lease without Licence, tho' it is not brought for the Forfeiture, yet it does not expressly wave the Forfeiture, Defendant may demur. *Ld. Uxbridge v. Staveland, M. 1747. 1 Vezey 56.*]

[Defendant may demur to a Bill brought by the *East-India Company*, to discover how he came by Possession of certain Goods, and whether not by Acts amounting to piracy or felony. *E. I. co. v. Campbell, T. 1749. 1 Vezey 246. in Sc.*

[But Demurrer does not lie to a Bill for Discovery of a Conspiracy, in setting up a *Bastard Child*; for it is not a Ground for criminal Prosecution. *Chetwyn v. Lindon T. 1752. 2 Vezey 450.*]

[Nor can Defendant to whom Lands are devised charged to be an Alien demur to the Discovery; for the Disability of an Alien to hold Lands is not a Penalty nor a Forfeiture, but an Incapacity; nor to a Discovery whether another Defendant is an Alien, if first Defendant hath an Interest (tho' uncertain) in the Lands. *Att. Gen. v. Duplessis. H. 25. G. 2. Parker 144.*]

So he may demur, if the Plaintiff does not intitle himself to the Thing demanded; as, if the Husband sue alone, for a Thing to which he has no Title without joining his Wife. *Ca. Ch. 41.*

[If a Papist assigns an Advowson for a Term, and on conforming brings Bill for Re-assignment, suggesting it was in Trust for himself to avoid the Penalties, the Defendant may demur. *Cottingham v. Fletcher, H. 1740. 2 Atkyns 155.*]

[To a Bill brought by a Protestant next of kin, for Account of a Rent-Charge settled on a Papist on Marriage, Defendant may demur, for the Purchase or Grant is void. *Miehaux v. Grove, T. 1741. 2 Atkyns 210.*]

[If a Bill brought for real Estate seeks Discovery of Proceedings in the Court of Delegates, Defendant may demur, for they relate only to personal Estate. *Baker v. Pritchard, T. 1742. 2 Atkyns 387.*]

[If a Bill is brought for an Injunction, and to establish a Right which is for a Monopoly, and doubtful, and where the Proceedings would be long and expensive; the Court will allow a Demurrer, for that Plaintiff should have first established his Right at Law. *Whitchurch v. Hide, T. 1742. 2 Atkyns 391.*]

If the Bill demand an Account of an Estate from an Executor, upon a Clause in the Will of his Testator, who devises a Moiety of the Estate, which his Wife and Executor shall have at his Death to the Plaintiff. *Ch. R. 31.*

If the Bill demand a Discovery of a Title against a Devisee, where the Plaintiff does not shew a Title in himself. *R. Ch. R. 36.*

[If the Lord of a Manor brings Bill for Recovery of a Fine, suggesting that Defendant was admitted by Attorney, but denies it, and for Arrears of Quit-Rents, the Lands out of which they issue being unknown, and Defendant demurs as to Relief, the Demurrer is good. *North v. E. Strafford, M. 1732. 3 P. W. 148.*]

[If the Bill does not aver Defendant to be Assignee, but only that Plaintiff is so informed, Defendant may demur. *Ld. Uxbridge v. Staveland M. 1747. 1 Vezey 56.*

[If it is upon a collateral Covenant, not running with the Estate and which therefore does not bind Assignees, an Assignee Defendant may demur. *Ibid.*]

So, if the Plaintiff demand Things of several Natures against several Defendants in the same Bill, if the Defendants deny the Combination charged; otherwise not. *1 Ver. 416.*

And they ought to deny Combination, without more; for more overrules the Demurrer. *1 Ver. 463.*

[Yet where there has been Possession of a Fishery for a long Time, he who claims the sole Right may bring a Bill to be quieted in Possession, tho' he has not established his Right at Law; and it is not good Cause of Demurrer that Defendants have distinct Rights, for on an Issue to try the general Right, they may take advantage of them. *Mayor of York v. Pilkington, M. 1737. 1 Atkyns 282.*]

So, if the Plaintiff sues before Cause of Action; as, if he sues an Executor for a Discovery of Assets before a Suit commenced against him; for perhaps he would pay, or confess Assets. *Semb. Hard. 115.*

It is good Cause of Demurrer, that it appears by the Bill that Defendant has been in uninterrupted Possession for 34 Years, and no Incapacity pretended. *Frazer v. Moor in Sc. M. 1719. Bumb. 54.*

[A Trustee may demur as well as the *Cestuy que Trust*, and the *Cestuy que Trust* is intitled to have the Privilege maintained by the Trustee. *E. Suffolk v. Green, T. 1739. 1 Atkyns 450.*

[If Discovery is sought, whether Defendant did not procure Subornation of Perjury, and whether the Evidence of *A.* did not influence a Verdict, Defendant may demur to both as one Question. *Baker v Pritchard T. 1742. 2 Atkyns 387.*

[If a Legacy is given to a Woman provided she marry with Consent, if not, given over, she may demur to a Bill for a Discovery of her Marriage. *Chauncey v. Tabourden T. 1742. 2 Atkyns 392.*

If a Portion is given over, on Marriage without Consent, Defendant may demur to Discovery of the Marriage only, tho' Discovery of the Consent is not prayed. *Chauncey v. Fenboulet, P. 1751. 2 Vezey 265.*

[But if a Man by his Will gives his Wife the whole Surplus of his personal Estate, but if she marry again then she is to deliver up half of the Surplus to his Brother and his Heirs, and he shall call her to an Account for it; a Demurrer to a Bill for a Discovery of her Marriage, and for an Account, shall be over-ruled. *Lucas v. Evans, T. 1745. 3 Atkyns 260.*

[Demurrer lies to a Bill brought to discover whether there is such a Person, or where he is, only to make him a Party. *Dinely v. Dinely, T. 1742. 2 Atkyns 394.*

[If a Bill is brought to discover whether Defendant after being instituted &c. to one Living, was not instituted &c. to another, he may demur. *Boteler v. Allington, H. 1746. 3 Atkyns 453.*

But it is no Cause for a Demurrer, that the Plaintiff suggests, that the Court Roll (by which the Defendant claims a Copyhold) was falsly entered by the Steward, tho' the Defendant alledges, that the Homage had found the Entry to be true. That the Bill contains scandalous Matter; for that ought to be referred, and expunged. *Semb. 1 Ker. 107.*

[If an Officer of a Company is made Defendant to a Bill against the Company for a Discovery, though the Officer is not interested, and his Answer cannot be read against the Company, and he may be examined as a Witness and Plaintiff can have no Decree against him; yet as his Answer may tend to a Discovery, as he may be prosecuted for Perjury and Company cannot, and as his Answer may direct Plaintiff to draw Interrogatories, he shall not demur, but shall answer. *Wyck v. Meak, T. 1734. 3 P. W. 311.*

[If a Bill is brought for the Recovery of a Curiosity found in Plaintiff's Manor, and sold to Defendant undefaced; Defendant cannot demur, tho' Plaintiff might have *Trover* for the Value, or *Detinue* for the Thing itself. *D. Somerset v. Cookson, M. 1735. 3 P. W. 390.*

It is not good Cause of Demurrer to a Bill brought for an Account of personal Estate that there is a Suit depending in the Spiritual Court for Administration, for they have no Way of securing the Effects in the mean Time. *Phipps v. Steward, H. 1737. 2 Atkyns 285.*

[Demurrer lies not to a Bill for Discovery of what Goods Defendant bought of Plaintiff's Agent, and what remains unpaid, and for Payment of it. *Lisset v. Reave, T. 1742. 2 Atkyns 394.*

The Plaintiff cannot demur to an Answer tho' it draws a Matter into Examination, which was settled before by a Decree; but ought to move for an Order to restrain such Examination. *R. Ca. Ch. 56.*

So the Defendant cannot demur, if he is in Contempt, or answers by Commission.

[A Defendant cannot demur and plead, or demur and answer, to the same Part of a Bill; for the Plea or Answer over-rules the Demurrer. *Jones v. E. Strafford, M. 1730. 3 P. W. 79.*

[So if to a Bill for an Account of Rents and Profits, to which Discovery is incident, the Demurrer, as to so much as seeks an Account from a certain Time,

is that Plaintiff has his Remedy at Law; and the Plea, as to so much as seeks an Account before filing supplemental Bill, is the Statute of Limitations; the Demurrer and Plea shall be both over-ruled. *Dormer v. Fortescue*, H. 1741. 2 *Atkyns* 282.]

[If a Demurrer is over-ruled, Defendant may afterwards insist on the same thing in his Answer. *Ibid.*]

[The Court will not determine the Construction of a Will on Demurrer, if there is any Doubt, but will over-rule it without Prejudice to Defendant's insisting on the same Matters by Answer; but if on the Face of the Bill Plaintiff has no Title, the Court will determine on Demurrer. *Brentford v. Edwards*, H. 1750. 2 *Vezey* 243.]

[A Demurrer bad in Part is void for the Whole. *E. Suffolk v. Green*, T. 1739. 1 *Atkyns* 450.]

[So if a Trustee in an usurious Bond Defendant to a Bill for Discovery, and to perpetuate Testimony, demurs to both it is bad; had it been only to the Discovery, good. *Ibid.*]

[A Demurrer for want of Jurisdiction is informal and improper, Defendant should plead to the Jurisdiction. *Roberdeau v. Rous*, M. 1738. 1 *Atkyns* 543.]

[Length of Time is not proper Matter for a Demurrer, but for a Plea. *Gregor v. Moleworth*, M. 1740. 2 *Vezey* 109.]

[If Defendant answers to Part of the Discovery, he cannot demur to other Part. *Abraham v. Dodgson*, H. 1740. 2 *Atkyns* 157.]

[But Defendant may answer to the Discovery, and demur to the Relief. *Ibid.*]

[The Court cannot let a Demurrer stand for an Answer. *Anon.* T. 1747. 3 *Atkyns* 530.]

[If Defendant has an Order to plead, answer or demur but not to demur alone, and demurs to the Bill as containing inconsistent Matters, and answers only to the Combination and Confederacy, it is not answering according to the Order. *Semb. sed. 2.* For if he makes other Answer he over-rules such Demurrer. *Done v. Peacock*, H. 1750. 3 *Atkyns* 726.]

[If the Bill charges, that by producing a Deed under which Defendant claims it will appear it was made by a Tenant for Life only, and Defendant does not plead he is a Purchaser, but demurs to the whole, it is not good. *Stroud v. Deacon* T. 1747. 1 *Vezey* 37.]

[Defendant cannot demur to a Bill for Partition of Tithes, for this Court can divide them. *Baxter v. Knollys*, T. 1750. 1 *Vezey* 494.]

[No Benefit of Exception can be saved on a Demurrer. *Gregor v. Moleworth*, M. 1740. 2 *Vezey* 109.]

[The Particulars which are demurred (or pleaded) to, must be distinguished; it is not enough to say, as to so much of the Bill as is not after answered, &c. *Cherwynd v. Lindon* T. 1752. 2 *Vezey* 450.]

(H. 2.) How put into Court, &c.

A Demurrer may be put into Court upon a general *Dedimus*.

Or under the Hand of Counsel only, without Commission, or in Person. *Ord. per Cla. Rules and Orders of Chancery* 96.

[Defendant may demur at the Bar *ore tenus*, (tho' he has before put in a Demurrer which is over-ruled) and in that Case it shall be without Costs on either side. *Tourton v. Flower*, T. 1735. 3 *P.W.* 369.]

But after an Attachment with Proclamation, it shall not be received without Leave of the Court, upon Motion and Satisfaction for the Delay. *Ord. per Cla. Rules and Orders of Chancery* 99. Nor after Motion for Time to answer.

Yet all Contempts being pardoned by a general Pardon, a Demurrer was allowed after Proclamation returned. *Ca. Ch.* 238.

A Demurrer ought to shew the Causes, for which it is demurred. *Ord. per Cla. Rules and Orders of Chancery* 97.

Yet a Bill may be dismissed, at the Hearing, for Causes not shewn upon the Demurrer, upon Payment of Costs for the Causes over-ruled. *Vide 1 Ker.* 78. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 133. *Vide Rules and Orders of Chancery* 97.

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Otherwise, if the Defendant had not demurred, but only pleaded. *Vide 1 Ver. 78, 79.*

There cannot be a Demurrer to a *Subpœna* in the Nature of a *Scire Facias*; for a *Subpœna* is no Record. *Ca. Ch. 50.*

Nor to an Answer, which would cause a Re-examination of Matters before settled. *Ca. Ch. 56.*

The Plaintiff, within eight Days after a Demurrer, may amend his Bill, upon Payment of 20s. to the Defendant's Clerk. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery 133.*

Or he may dismiss his Bill upon Payment of 40s. without Motion; which will be no Impediment to a new Bill. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery 133.*

So by Order in the *Exchequer*, if the Plaintiff within two Days before the Time fixed for Hearing, gives Notice to the Defendant that he admits the Demurrer, and pays 20s. Costs, the Defendant ought not to have it heard. *Vide Rules and Orders in Exchequer 5. Rule 11.*

So, if the Plaintiff, in such Time, gives Notice that he will reply to the Plea, he may reply within a Week without Costs; otherwise the Defendant shall be dismissed with 30s. Costs. *Ibid.*

If the Plaintiff in *Chancery* does not amend or dismiss his Bill, the Defendant shall enter his Demurrer with the Register, to be argued in Court within eight Days after the filing, otherwise it will be disallowed *ex cursu*, as for Delay, and the Plaintiff shall have a *Subpœna* for another Answer, and 40s. Costs. *Vide Rules and Orders of Chancery 97. Vide Practical Register in Chancery 134.*

After such a Disallowance, it shall not be argued without Motion and Leave of the Court. *Vide Rules and Orders of Chancery 97.*

If, upon Debate the Demurrer be allowed, the Bill shall be dismissed with Costs. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery 133. 4.—So, by Order in the Exchequer. Vide Rules and Orders in Exchequer 4. 5. Rule 9.*

But there shall be no Costs, if the Demurrer comes in upon a *Dedimus*. *Ord. per Cla. Vide Rules and Orders of Chancery 96. 1 Ver. 282. Vide Practical Register in Chancery 134.*

If a Demurrer, or Plea be allowed to Part, the Plaintiff shall pay 30s. Costs.

If a Demurrer be over-ruled, the Defendant shall pay 5 Marks for Costs. *Ord. per Cla. Rules and Orders of Chancery 96. Vide Practical Register in Chancery 133.*

So, if it be over-ruled for the Causes alledged, tho' the Bill be dismissed for another Cause. *Ibid.*

So by Order in the *Exchequer*, if it be over-ruled, or not set down before the Saturday se'night after it is put in, the Defendant shall pay 40s. and rejoin *gratis*, and join in Commission. *Vide Rules and Orders in Exchequer 4. Rule 9.*

Or if the Defendant two Days before the Time fixed for the Hearing his Plea or Demurrer, answers and gives Notice thereof to the Plaintiff's Attorney, he shall pay only 20s. Costs. *Vide Rules and Orders in Exchequer 5. Rule 9.*

If the Demurrer be long and frivolous, the Court orders the Defendant to pay 5l. for Costs, and that no Pleading be afterwards received under the Hand of the same Counsel.

If the Demurrer be for want of Title, and the Defendant answers to several Parts of the Bill, he thereby over-rules his Demurrer. *Semb. 1 Ver. 90.*

If the Demurrer be for want of Parties, where the Bill is for a Discovery of other Parties concerned in Interest, it will be over-ruled. *1 Ver. 95.*

(I.) Plea.

(I. 1.) What is a good Plea, and what not.

THE Defence proper for a Plea must be such as reduces the Cause to a particular Point, and thence creates a Bar to the Suit, for not every good Defence in Equity is likewise good as Plea. *Chapman v. Turner, 1739. Atkins 54.*

The Defendant may plead to the Bill, *as, that the Parties dwell within a County Palatine, and the Suit is for Land there, or Matters local.* Semb. Ca. Ch. 41. Vide *Franchises*, (D. 19.)

But when only one Party dwells there, or it be for a Thing personal, it is no Plea. Ca. Ch. 41.

So it is no Plea, *that the University has Consensus in all Causes in Law or Equity, where a Scholar is a Party;* for that does not extend to Matters of meer Equity. R. 2 Vent. 362.

[Plea to the Jurisdiction of Chancery, (or of any other of the King's superior Courts of general Jurisdiction) must shew what other Court has Jurisdiction. *E. Derby v. D. Holb.* H. 1748. 1 *Perry* 202.]

[A Plea which covers too much, cannot be allowed for Part; as, a Plea to the Jurisdiction, where Plaintiff has a Right to a Discovery, tho' not to Relief. *Ibid.*]

[Or if a Rectory is devised to a College in Trust, to present the senior Divine then Fellow, Defendant cannot plead to the Jurisdiction, as being in the Visitor. *Green v. Rutherford*, P. 1750. 1 *Vezey* 462.]

[But if an Information is brought for Relief, against an undue Election to a Fellowship in a College, Defendant may plead that there is a Visitor who has the sole Determination of such Matters. *Attorney-General v. Talbot*, H. 1747. 3 *Atkins* 662. 1 *Perry* 78.]

To the Disability of the Plaintiff, as, *that he is excommunicated*, and that shall be shewn under the Seal of the Ordinary. Vide *Practical Register in Chancery* 277, 8.

[That Plaintiff is an Alien born, and an Alien Infidel, not of the Christian Faith, is not a good Plea to a Bill for a personal Demand. *Ramkissen v. Barker* 1737. 1 *Atkins* 51.]

[In the Plea of, *an Alien*, Defendant must aver that the Person was an Alien, or it is no Bar. *Bark v. Brown*, T. 1742. 2 *Atkins* 397.]

[Plea of Conviction of Capital Offence, must be judged with equal Strictness here, as if at Common Law. *Ibid.*]

[Therefore, that A. gave B. a mortal Wound, of which, &c. without saying in what Part, is bad. *Ibid.*]

[Or if it says he was tried at the Assises, without saying the Person who tried him had a Commission of Oyer and Terminer, it is bad. *Ibid.*]

That he is outlawed in another Cause; and the Outlawry shall be shewn *sub pede figilli*. Vide *Practical Register in Chancery* 276.

But Outlawry in the same Cause for which Relief is prayed, is no Plea, but shall be disallowed of Course, as for Delay, and the Plaintiff shall pursue his Process for other Answer, and 5 Marks Costs. Ord. per Cla. Rules and Orders of Chancery 97. Vide *Practical Register in Chancery* 277.

And when Outlawry in another Cause is reversed, the Plaintiff upon Payment of 20s. to the Defendant shall take a Subpœna against him to answer the same Bill. Ord. per Cla. Rules and Orders of Chancery 98. Vide *Practical Register in Chancery* 277.

So, by Order in the Exchequer, if a Plea of Outlawry be admitted, or allowed, and the Outlawry be reversed, the Plaintiff paying the Costs, shall take out a new Subpœna to answer his Bill. Vide *Rules and Orders in Exchequer* 5. Rule 10.

If one Defendant pleads Outlawry in the Plaintiff, it is good only for himself. Ca. Ch. 3.

Outlawry of an Executor is no Plea to a Suit as Executor. 1 *Ver.* 184.

[Plea for want of Parties, is in Bar to the whole Bill, Discovery and Relief. *Plunket v. Penfon*. T. 1740. 2 *Atkins* 31.]

[Plea that the Bill is only against Representative of real, and not of personal Estate, must be allowed, tho' suspected only for Delay. *Ibid.*]

[Unless it is suggested that the Representation is contesting in the Ecclesiastical Court. *Ibid.*]

[It is a good Plea to a Bill for Discovery of Affets, that the Administrator is not a Party, tho' he is acknowledged to be insolvent. *Ashurst v. Eyre*, P. 1740. 2 *Atkins* 51.]

So,

So a Defendant may plead *Another Suit depending in the same, or another Court for the same Cause.* Ord. per Cla. Rules and Orders of Chancery 98, 99. Ca. Ch. 241.

[Plea that another Action is depending in another Court for the same Thing, is bad; for Plaintiff need not make his Election till Defendant has answered. *Jones v. E. Strafford, M. 1730. 3 P. W. 79.*]

[That the Bill is for the same Matter for which Plaintiff brought another Bill, is not a good Plea, if the last is brought in a different Right, as, if the first is as Executor of Administrator, the second as Administrator *de bonis non* &c. of Intestate. *Huggins v. Park-Buildings Company, T. 1740. 2 Atkyns 44.*]

[To support a Plea of a former Decree, so much of the former Bill and Answer must be set forth, as to shew the same Point was then in Issue. *Child v. Gibson, T. 1743. 2 Atkyns 603.*]

[A Decree in a former Suit for the same Matter, cannot be pleaded till it is inrolled. *Anon. 1754. 3 Atkyns 809.*]

[But it may be insisted on by way of Answer. *Kensley v. Kensley, T. 1754. 2 Vezey 577.*]

[A former Decree, signed and inrolled, in which Plaintiff was an Infant, is a good Plea, for an Infant Plaintiff is bound by a Decree as one of Age. *Gregory v. Molfeworth, H. 1747. 3 Atkyns 626.*]

Or, *Another Bill dismissed for the same Cause.* Vide 1 Ver. 310.

Tho' the Decree for the Dismissal be not signed, or inrolled. 1 Ver. 310.

[If the Representative of a Co-Administrator brings a Bill of Revivor and Supplemental Bill, for the same Thing that the two Administrators had brought one for before, which, upon the Death of one, the other had dismissed, such Dismissal is a good Plea. *Bowden v. Beauchamp, M. 1740. 2 Atkyns 82.*]

[Plea of Decree of foreclosure, and Non-payment, is not good, if there has been no final Order to foreclose, whatever Length of Time has elapsed, but it may be a good Defence. *Senhouse v. Earle, T. 1752. 2 Vezey 450.*]

In the *Exchequer*, if the Plaintiff admits this Plea of a former Suit depending, he shall pay 40s. If it is allowed on the Hearing by the Court, 3l. Costs. Vide *Rules and Orders in Exchequer* 6. Rule 13.

If there be another Suit for the same Cause at Common Law, the Defendant may move, that the Plaintiff may make his Election at a Day to be fixed by the Court, where he will proceed.

So the Defendant may, in *Chancery*, plead *Another Suit dismissed in the Exchequer for the same Cause.* Vide Ca. Ch. 155, 6.

Otherwise, if the Dismissal was, *without Prejudice in Law, or Equity.* R. Ca. Ch. 156.

[A Bill dropt for want of Prosecution, cannot be pleaded as a Decree of Dismissal to another Bill; nor is it sufficient that the Court implied there was no Title when they dismissed the Bill, an absolute Determination of the Court that Plaintiff had no Title, must be shewn. *Brandlyn v. Ord, M. 1738. 1 Atkyns 571.*]

A Plea of a former Suit ought to shew, that the Defendant was served with Process, or appeared. *Abr. Ca. 39.*

But to a Bill by A. against B. for a Foreclosure, a former Bill in the *Exchequer* by B. for Redemption, is no Plea. 1 Ver. 220.

A Plea of former Suit shall be without Oath; for it ought to be referred to a Master whether there be such a Suit. 1 Ver. 332.

[A Plea of another Suit depending for the same Matter, must set forth when it was instituted. *Foster v. Vassal, M. 1747. 3 Atkyns 587.*]

[If a Creditor who has come in and proved his Debt before the Master, under a Decree at the Suit of another Creditor, brings a new Bill, the former Suit is a good Plea. *Neve v. Weston, T. 1747. 3 Atkyns 557.*]

[If there is a Decree for Tithes, and the Account is depending before the Master, Defendant may plead this Suit and Decree to a new Bill brought, for the Account in this Court, is taken down to the Time of making the Report. *Ball v. Read, M. 1747. 3 Atkyns 590.*]

[If

[If an Executor assents to a specific Legacy, and the Legatee brings *Trover*, and recovers large Damages; the Verdict and Judgment is a good Bar to a Bill by Executor to set them aside. *Williams v. Lee*, T. 1745. 3 *Atkyns* 223.]

[A Plea of a foreign Sentence in a Commissary Court in France (the *Bureau des Actions*) is bad. *Gage v. Bulkely*, H. 1744. 3 *Atkyns* 215.]

And it need not aver, that the former Suit is depending; for it shall be referred, and if set down to be argued, is admitted. 1 *Ver.* 332.

[If Parties have agreed to make the Submission to an Award, a Rule of Court, and to be restrained from bringing a Bill in Equity, Arbitrators may plead in Bar the Award, tho' it should be defective in Point of Law. *Lingood v. Groucher*, T. 1742. 2 *Atkyns* 395.]

[If a Bill is brought against an Arbitrator, for Discovery of the Grounds of his Award, he may plead he is not obliged to set them forth. *Anon.* T. 1748. 3 *Atkyns* 644.]

[An Award (unless there is Collusion or gross Misbehaviour) is a good Plea to a Discovery as well as to the Merits. *Tittenson v. Peat*, T. 1747. 3 *Atkyns* 529.]

[If a Plea of an Award is allowed to a Bill, praying a general Account, yet the Plaintiff is not precluded at the Hearing, from objecting to the Award for Fraud or Partiality in the Arbitrators. *Lingood v. Eade*, M. 1742. 2 *Atkyns* 501.]

[If one Partner brings Bill for Discovery and Relief, against another, who pleads that by their Articles, all Differences relating to their Partnership should be referred, that the Bill relates to such only, that they have not been submitted, nor has Plaintiff offered, tho' Defendant has been always ready, &c. this is not good, for there should have been a Clause empowering Arbitrators to examine Parties and Witnesses on Oath, which by this they cannot do. *Wellington v. Mackintosh*, P. 1743. 2 *Atkyns* 569.]

So a Defendant shall plead the *Statute of Limitations*. Vide Practical Register in Chancery 279.

[Where Defendant has been in Possession of Estate *pur autre vie* for 30 Years, the *Statute of Limitations* is a good Plea, tho' Plaintiff had not the Lease in his Possession, and the Defendant sets out that the Lease had been renewed. *Low v. Burron*, P. 1734. 3 *P. W.* 262.]

[The *Statute of Limitations* is a good Plea (but not a good Demurrer) to a Bill to redeem after the Mortgagee has been in Possession, many (as 30) Years. *Aggas v. Pickerill*, T. 1745. 3 *Atkyns* 225.]

[Intestate dies abroad, leaving Infant Son, Administration is granted during the Minority to A. who does not sue, the Son Administrator *de bonis non*, within six Years of coming of Age sues, yet the *Statute of Limitations* may be pleaded against him. *Wych v. East-India Company*, T. 1734. 3 *P. W.* 309.]

[A Corporation may plead the *Statute of Limitations*, as well as private Persons. *Ibid.*

[The *Statute of Limitations* may be pleaded, tho' an Original has been filed, if there have been no Proceedings on it for six Years. *Lacon v. Lacon*, T. 1742. 2 *Atkyns* 395.]

[To a Note to pay an Annuity, or a Sum three Years after Date, or a Sum by Instalments, the Plea must not be, did not promise, but that the Cause of Action did not accrue within six Years. *Anon.* H. 1743. 3 *Atkyns* 70.]

[Plenary for six Months is a good Plea to a Bill, praying that Defendant, who was presented by a Trustee in breach of Trust, may be compelled to resign. *Boteler v. Allington*, H. 1746. 3 *Atkyns* 453.]

[The *Statute of Limitations* is no Plea where the Bill charges Fraud, but it should charge that the Fraud was discovered within six Years before bringing the Bill. *S. S. Company Wymondsell*, M. 1732. 3 *P. W.* 143.]

The *Statute of Limitations* cannot be pleaded to the Discovery when the Debt was due, tho' it may be to the Debt itself. *Mackworth v. Clifton*, T. 1740. 2 *Atkyns* 51.]

[A Fine and Non-claim is not a good Bar to a Plaintiff's Title, if a Suit has been pending in this Court, in a Case where there is proper Matter of Equity. *Baker v. Pritchard*, T. 1742. 2 *Atkyns* 387.]

[If

[If a Man enters upon an Estate on the Footing of a Trustee, and performs the Trusts, but never makes any Declaration of it, and then levies a Fine, a Plea of this Fine and Non-claim shall not be allowed to bar a Remainder-Man. *Shields v. Atkyns*, T. 1747. 3 *Atkyns* 560.]

[The Statute of Limitations cannot be pleaded to a Bill for Discovery of a Title, and charging Fraud, but Defendant must answer to the Fraud. *Bicknell v. Gough*, T. 1747. 3 *Atkyns* 558.]

And, the Privilege of the University to have Conscience of Pleas. Ca. Ch. 237. Vide 2 Vent. 362.

That the Bill requires an Answer to a Matter, which subjects the Defendant to a Penalty, or accuses him of a Crime. 1 Ver. 109.

[If a Discovery is prayed of a Contract to purchase an Estate, devised to the Vendor, against whom there has been a Verdict, and a Receiver put in Possession by Chancery, to both which this Contract was subsequent, it is within Stat. 32 H. 8. c. 9. against selling pretended Titles, which Statute Defendant may plead.]

Sharp v. Carter, T. 1735. 3 P. W. 375.]

[If a Bill is brought for Relief against a Policy of Insurance, suggesting the Ship was fraudulently lost, and that she had only Wool on board, and interrogating what Goods were on board, Defendant may plead the Statutes making Exportation of Wool penal; but if any other kind of Goods are mentioned in the charging Part, Defendant must give some Answer to that. *Duncaif v. Blake*, H. 1737. 1 *Atkyns* 52.]

[If a Plea of the Statute of Frauds, as to a Discovery, is coupled with an Answer admitting the Facts, the Plea must be over-ruled. *Cottington v. Fletcher*, H. 1740. 2 *Atkyns* 155.]

So if the Bill be for a Redemption, upon a Suggestion, that A. conveyed to the Father of the Defendant in Mortgage, who agreed to make a Defeazance; a Plea, that the Land was settled in Marriage on the Defendant, for a Consideration paid, without Notice of such Agreement, is good. R. Ch. R. 9.

[If to a Bill by a Creditor under a Will, for Sale of Lands for Payment of Debts, for Discovery of Title to Lands in Widow's Possession, she pleads a Deed of Settlement and Jointure, and offers to discover if Plaintiff will confirm, it is bad, unless she set forth the particular Lands, and the Date of the Deed. *Chamberlain v. Knapp*, H. 1735. 1 *Atkyns* 52.]

So a Defendant shall plead, to a Bill for Discovery of a Title, That he is a Purchaser for a valuable Consideration, without Notice of the Plaintiff's Incumbrance. 2 Vent. 361. Vide Post, (4 I. 3, 4.)

And need not shew for what Consideration. R. Ca. Ch. 34. R. Hard. 510.

[A valuable Consideration set forth by Defendant, protects him from giving an Answer to a Title set up by Plaintiff, but Plea of bare Title, without setting forth a Consideration, will not. *Brereton v. Gamul*, H. 1741. 2 *Atkyns* 240.]

So it need not mention the Time of the Purchase. R. Hard. 510.

But if the Plea does not add, that he was a Purchaser, without Notice, it is bad. R. 2 Vent. 361. Semb. 1 Ver. 179.

[In a Plea of a Purchase, if Defendant say he had no Notice at the Time of the Purchase, he need not say he had it not at any Time before. *Jones v. Thomas*, H. 1733. 3 P. W. 243.]

And, without Notice at the Time of the Purchase, is not sufficient, without saying, that he had no Notice when the Conveyance was executed. R. Ca. Ch. 34.

[If a Purchase for valuable Consideration without Notice, is pleaded to a Bill, which charges particular and special Notice, a general Denial of Notice is not sufficient, it must deny as specially, or it will be bad. *Radford v. Wilson*, M. 1754. 3 *Atkyns* 815.]

[If to a Bill for Possession, Defendant pleads Purchase for valuable Consideration, and that the Money is paid, or bona fide secured to be paid, and it is in Fact only secured; the Plea shall be over-ruled, for he has now Notice of Plaintiff's Title. *Hardington v. Nicholls*, H. 1745. 3 *Atkyns* 304.]

And Notice shall be by way of Answer, not by Plea. R. 2. Ca. Ch. 161.

[If Defendant in Plea of Purchase for valuable Consideration omits to deny Notice, and Plaintiff replies, Defendant need only prove his Plea, for Plaintiff might have set it down to be argued. *Harris v. Ingledew*, H. 1730. 3 P. W. 91.]

[In pleading a Purchase or Mortgage, the Defendant must shew that the Vendor or Mortgagor pretended to be seized in Fee. *Head v. Egerton*, P. 1734. P. W. 280.]

[On a Plea of a Purchase for a valuable Consideration without Notice of Plaintiff's Title, it is sufficient to aver, that the Person who conveyed was seized, or pretended to be seized, when he executed the Purchase Deeds; but where Fine and Non-Claim is the Bar, the Averment must be that he was actually seized; seized *ut de libero Tenemento* is sufficient. *Story v. La. Windsor*, T. 1743. 2 *Atkyns* 630.]

So, if a Defendant pleads a Settlement after Marriage, pursuant to an Agreement before, the Plea ought to shew what the Agreement was. 1 *Ver.* 139.

If the Defendant pleads, that he is a Purchaser, *bonâ fide*, without Notice, and denies the Fraud alledged in the Bill, it is not good, unless he answers to the Fraud. 1 *Ver.* 185.

If he does not shew the Vendor seized and possessed, it is bad. 1 *Ver.* 246.

If he pleads it to more than was settled for what is then due, it will be bad. *Vide Ch. R.* 143.

[If under one Roof there were formerly a Corn-Mill and a Fulling-Mill, which paid a *Modus* of 6s. 8d. and the Fulling Wheels are taken away, and two Corn-Mills are put in its Place, and a Bill is brought for Tithe of three Mills, and the *Modus* is pleaded for the one Mill, it is bad in Form and in Subtance. *Talbot v. May*, M. 1743. 3 *Atkyns* 17.]

So to a Bill by an Executor for an Account of the Profits of an Estate *pur auter vie*, the Defendant may plead, That the Testator permitted him to take the Profits for a Debt, upon which he entred, and, the Testator being dead, has Title as Occupant. R. 2 *Vent.* 364.

So to a Bill for a Discovery, the Defendant shall plead, that what he knew was only as Counsel, Arbitrator, &c. R. Ca. Ch. 277.

So the Defendant may plead, that he being a Mortgagee, upon hearing of prior Incumbrances, purchased an Estate prior to the Plaintiff's, with an Offer to assign, on Payment of the Money due upon both. R. Ca. Ch. 150. *Vide Post*, (4 A. 10.)

So, if a Mortgagee takes a Prior Estate in Fee, he shall not be obliged to make Discovery. D. *Hard.* 173.

Otherwise, where he purchases other Incumbrances. R. *Hard.* 172.

So, for a Defendant to a Bill for Discovery of the Goods of a Bankrupt, it shall be a good Plea, That he purchased them *bonâ fide*, for a valuable Consideration, before a Commission, and before Notice of the Bankruptcy. R. 1 *Ver.* 27.

[Plea of a stated Account, must shew it was in Writing, and what the Balance was. *Burk v. Brown*, T. 1742. 2 *Atkyns* 397.]

[A Plea of a stated Account, as to all Matters herein before accounted for, is bad; it should aver, that it is just and true to the best of Defendant's Knowledge and Belief. *Anon. H.* 1743. 3 *Atkyns* 70.]

[If a Bill impeaches an Account, and charges that Plaintiff has no Counterpart of it, Defendant, if he pleads a stated Account, must annex a Copy of it. *Hankey v. Simpson*, H. 1745. 3 *Atkyns* 303.]

But to a Bill to be relieved from a Bond for the Balance of an Account, a Plea, that the Account was stated with his Testator, and the Vouchers delivered up, and a Bond given for the Balance, was over-ruled. Ca. Ch. 262. *Vide Post*, (2 A. 3.)

Bill for an Injunction to an Action for Waste, because the Waste alledged was an Improvement; Plea of the Statute of Gloucester, which allows an Action for Waste against the Lessee, was over-ruled. Ch. R. 135.

Bill for Money secured by Mortgage, and also by Bond; Plea, that the Plaintiff, in an Action at Law upon the same Bond, was nonsuited, is not good. *Vide* 1 *Ver.* 77, 8.

Bill for Relief against a Policy, to pay without Abatement, if A. died before M.; Plea, that A. did die before, over-ruled. R. 2 *Ver.* 10.

Bill to be relieved against a Verdict at Law; Plea of *the Verdict and Judgment*, and that the Matter is *conusable at Law*, and the Plaintiff did there *insist upon it*, over-ruled. *R. 2 Ver. 146, 155.*

[If a Bill is brought to set aside a Will for Fraud, and for a Receiver, and Defendant pleads, that the Will was duly executed, and ought to prevail till found otherwise at Law, and therefore no Receiver should be appointed till then, the Plea is good as to the first Part, but not as to the latter. *Anon. M. 1743. 3 Atkyns 17.*]

Bill for an Account of Goods sold by the Sheriff upon an Execution at an Under-value, Plea, that they were offered to the Plaintiff at the same Value, is good. *R. Ch. R. 111.*

[If a Bill is brought against Administrator for a Distribution, it is not a good Plea that he is not obliged to it within the Year; but it shall stand for Answer with Liberty to except. *Hart. v. King, in Sc. T. 1720. Bunb. 64.*]

[If the Plea is to Discovery and Relief, when the Bill prays only a Discovery, it is bad. *Asgil. v. Dawson, in Sc. H. 1720. Bunb. 70.*]

[A Plea may be bad in Part, yet not bad in the Whole. *Duncalf v. Blake H. 1737. 1 Atkyns 52.*]

[A Bill, so far as not contradicted by the Plea, must be taken to be true. *Plunket v. Penfon, T. 1740. 2 Atkyns 51.*]

[If a Bill is brought for Payment of a Note of an Intestate, charging that Administrator promised to pay as soon as he got in the Effects, a Plea that Defendant made no Promise to pay, is bad, as too general; it should be, no Promise to pay out of the Assets. *Anon. H. 1743. 3 Atkyns 70.*]

[If a Plea is to the Relief only, and is directed to stand for an Answer, the Words, *with Liberty to except*, must be added, or it is allowing it a good Answer. *Maitland v. Wilson, M. 1754. 3 Atkyns 814.*]

[A Plea containing Exception of Matters herein after mentioned is bad. *Sal-keld v. Science, M. 1750. 2 Vezey 107.*]

[So, to a Bill for Account and Discovery, a Plea of Release, farther and other than in the Plea set forth. *Ibid.*]

[Unless the only Sums mentioned in the Plea are also mentioned in the Release, for that makes it the same, as if it had been said, *farther than is in the Release*, which is good in Form. *Ibid.*]

[But if there are Charges of Account made up, and Dealings which require Answer and Discovery, such Plea of Release is bad in Substance, for if allowed, Plaintiff could not except. *Ibid.*]

[If Defendant does not prove the Fact, necessary to support the Plea, Plaintiff shall not lose his Discovery, but the Court will order Examination on Interrogatories to supply it. *Brownsword v. Edwards, H. 1750. 2 Vezey 243.*]

(I. 2.) How put into Court, &c.

A Plea may be put in upon a general *Dedimus*.

Or under the Hand of Counsel only, if it be to the Jurisdiction, or to the Disability of the Plaintiff. *Ord. per Cla. Rules and Orders in Chancery 96.*

The Plea shall be put in upon Oath of the Defendant. *2 Ca. Ch. 208.*

But if the Matter of the Plea appears upon Record, it is not necessary; and therefore, a Plea of Outlawry shall be without Oath. *Ca. Ch. 237. Vide Practical Register in Chancery 274.*

After an Attachment with Proclamation, no Plea shall be received without an Order of Court. *Ord. per Cla. Rules and Orders of Chancery 99. Vide Practical Register in Chancery 274, 5.*

Privilege of the University to have Conusance of Pleas shall be pleaded without Oath. *Ca. Ch. 237.*

So a Plea must be averred; otherwise it will be over-ruled, in the *Exchequer*. *Hard. 160.*

So a dilatory Plea shall not be allowed, where the Defendant is in Contempt, or answers by Commission.

So a Defendant who pleads, ought to answer to a Fact, not covered by the Plea, or which supports his Plea. *Eq. Ca.* 185.

[If at hearing the Cause, Defendant has not supported his Plea by his Answer, Plaintiff may counterprove by reading the Answer, and so overturn the Plea: so at the Time of arguing the Plea, Plaintiff may counterprove by reading the Answer to shew Defendant has not sufficiently supported his Plea. *Hildyard v. Cressy, H.* 1745. 3 *Atkyns* 303.]

All Pleas to the Jurisdiction, or upon the Substance of the Bill, shall be determined in Court. *Ord. per. Cla. Rules and Orders of Chancery* 97. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 282.

A Plea to the Jurisdiction, or founded upon the Substance of the Bill, shall be entred by the Defendant with the Register, within eight Days, to be argued. *Ord. per. Cla. Rules and Orders of Chancery* 97.

A Plea to the Disability, the Plaintiff within eight Days after filing shall enter with the Register to be argued, if he thinks it proper; and if he does not do it, the Defendant of Course shall take out Process for five Marks Costs. *Ord. per. Cla. Rules and Orders of Chancery* 98. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 277.

A Plea of another Suit depending, shall be referred to a Master; and if the Plaintiff does not procure his Report within one Month, his Bill shall be dismissed with seven Nobles for Costs. *Ord. per. Cla. Rules and Orders of Chancery* 98. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 281.

If the Report be against the Plaintiff, he shall pay five Pounds for Costs. *Ibid.*

If a Plea be allowed upon the arguing, the ordinary Costs against the Plaintiff are five Marks. *Ord. per. Cla. Vide Rules and Orders of Chancery* 98.

But if the Plea comes in upon a *Dedimus*, tho' it be good, the Defendant shall not have Costs. *Ord. per. Cla. Rules and Orders of Chancery* 96. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 134.

If the Defendant does not procure his Plea to the Jurisdiction, or upon the Substance of the Bill, to be entred with the Register, within eight Days, it shall be disallowed of Course, as for Delay; and the Plaintiff shall take out Process for other Answer, and 40s. Costs. *Ord. per. Cla. Rules and Orders of Chancery* 97.

And such Plea shall not be afterwards debated without the Order of the Court, upon Motion. *Ibid.*

If the Plea be over-ruled upon the arguing, the Defendant shall pay five Marks Costs. *Ord. per. Cla. Rules and Orders of Chancery* 96.

But the Court may order, that the Defendant shall not pay Costs. *Ca. Ch.* 41.

Or, that the Plea be over-ruled, but that the Plaintiff shall not proceed farther than Answer, without Leave of the Court. *Ca. Ch.* 262.

Or, that the Defendants do answer, and their Plea to be considered at the Hearing of the Cause. *Ca. Ch.* 13.

So by Order in the *Exchequer*, if the Plea or Demurrer be not set down by the Defendant by the *Saturday* sev'nnight after it is put in, or be over-ruled, it shall be disallowed, and the Defendant shall pay 40s. Costs, and after his Answer shall rejoin *gratis*, and join in Commission. *Rules and Orders in Exchequer* 4. Rule 9.

If a Plea, in *Chancery*, be not set down, but the Plaintiff replies, and the Defendant joins in Commission, and the Cause is heard, the Plea is waived. *Abr. Ca.* 41.

If the Plaintiff does not set down the Plea, nor the Defendant, but the Plaintiff replies to it generally, he admits the Plea good, if the Fact be true. 1 *Ver.* 72. [*Anon. M.* 18 G. 2. *Wilf.* 82.]

If the Plea be in Abatement, and disallowed, there shall be a *Respondeas Ouster*. 1 *Ver.* 73.

If in Bar, be it allowed or disallowed, it shall be peremptory. 1 *Ver.* 73. Or

Or there may be an Order, that it shall stand for an Answer, saving just Exceptions, upon which the Plaintiff shall reply, and the Defendant shall prove the Fact of the Plea. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 283.

[If Defendant pleads, and dies before Plea argued, it cannot be argued, but his Representative must plead *de novo*. *Micklethwaite v. Calverley*, M. 7 G. 2. C. T. T. 3.]

(K.) Answer.

(K. 1.) When it shall be filed.

IF the Defendant does not demur, or plead, he shall answer to the Bill.

If the Plaintiff give a Rule to the Defendant upon the Day after Costs Day to make Answer, the Defendant shall answer within seven Days afterwards. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 8.

Otherwise he shall have Time to answer till the End of the Term. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 9.

And if the Subpoena was returned upon the last Return in Term, 'till the beginning of the next Term. *Ibid.*

But if it was returned at any other Return than the last, the Defendant shall answer within seven Days, tho' there be not so many within the Term, for the Chancery is always open, and tho' no Rule be given. *Ibid.*

So, if it be returned on a Day certain, tho' it be the last Day in Term.

Or, if it be returnable *immediate*, tho' served on the last Day of the Term.

Yet if the Defendant takes out a Commission, for the taking of his Answer in the Country, as he may of Course, he shall have Time 'till the Day after the first Costs Day in the next Term; or, in Trinity Term, 'till the Day after the second Costs Day. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 10.

So he may have longer Time, upon Motion and Affidavit, that he cannot answer, without a Sight of Writings, which are twenty Miles distant in the Country. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 9.

Or, without Conference with others concerned. *Ibid.*

But if he have Time granted him to answer, when he is in Contempt; the Process for Contempt proceeds, without a special Order. 1 Ver. 104.

[Defendant in Contempt may have leave to plead, answer and demur. *Town of Scarborough v. Jackson*, P. 1728. *Bunb.* 251.]

[If Defendant in Contempt prays Time to answer, he shall enter his Appearance. *Ibid.* *Lord Berkley v. Verden*, M. 1730. *Bunb.* 290.]

[And he shall be deemed in Contempt, if the Time for answering be out, tho' no Attachment sealed. *Ibid.*

By Order in the Exchequer, every Defendant shall file his Answer in eight Days after Appearance, if the Bill was filed in Term, or within two Days after if he does not pray a Commission (by Entry under his Appearance) returnable the next Term. *Vide Rules and Orders in Exchequer* 3. Rule 6.

If he lives fifteen Miles distant from London, and the Appearance be upon the first Return of Easter or Michaelmas Term, the Commission shall be returned before the End of the Term. *Ibid.*

[If Plaintiff in original Cause has not taken out Process, he cannot compel Defendant, who files a cross Bill, to answer him first. *Price v. Lord Canning*, H. 1722. *Bunb.* 124.]

[If after an Answer is reported insufficient, Defendant files cross Bill, and Plaintiff amends, and obtains Orders to answer Amendments when Exceptions are answered, he waives his Priority; for the Pendency of the Suit, as to the amended Parts, is only from the Time of the Amendment. *Long v. Burton*, M. 1741. 2 *Atkyns* 218.]

[If A. files Bill against B. whose Plea is allowed; and B. files cross Bill against A. whose Answer is reported insufficient; A. loses his Priority of Suit, and shall make good Answer to B. before B. answers an amended Bill of A. *Rattray v. Darley*, H. 1750. 3 *Atkyns* 724.]

(K. 2.)

(K. 2.) How it shall be made.

The Answer ought to be under the Hand of Counsel, who ought first to peruse it. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery 6. Vide Rules and Orders of Chancery 93.*

[By a general Order 27 April, 1748, all Answers shall be signed by the Parties swearing them, in the Presence of the Master or of the Commissioners taking them.]

It shall be succinct, and not scandalous. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery 6. Vide Rules and Orders of Chancery 93.*

It must confess, avoid, deny, or traverse all the material Parts of the Bill. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery 6.*

[If a Bill is brought for Discovery only, to which Defendant pleads Fine and Non-claim, and the Bill is amended praying Relief, Defendant cannot put in a compleat Answer over again, for it might be referred for Impertinence, but he must refer to the former Answer; and this last Answer is to be considered as a Part of the Answer to the original Bill. *Hildyard v. Cressley, H. 1745. 3 Atkyns 303.*]

It must be direct, as to the Act of the Defendant himself, charged to be done within seven Years, without saying, *To his remembrance, or, as he believes*, unless the Court, upon Exception, sees Cause to dispense with so positive an Answer. *Ord. per Cla. Rules and Orders of Chancery 99. Vide Practical Register in Chancery 7.*

Yet, *that he did not receive more, to his Remembrance*, was allowed. *1 Ver. 470.*

It must be without Evasion: as, the Receipt of 100*l.* &c. shall not be answered literally; but the Defendant shall say, that he did not receive any Part, or, that he received so much, and not the Residue: for he ought to traverse the Substance, *viz.* the Receipt. *Ord. per Cla. Rules and Orders of Chancery 100. Vide Practical Register in Chancery 8.*

So, if a Fact be charged with divers Circumstances, he shall answer to the Fact alledged; and if it is not sufficient to deny that he did it, with such Circumstances, which is a Negative pregnant. *Ibid.*

Bill to make a Settlement, and discover Incumbrances upon the Land to be settled; if the Defendant denies the Agreement to make a Settlement, yet he shall answer to the Incumbrances immediately, without answering to the Incumbrances upon Interrogatories after it is determined, whether he agreed or not. *R. 2 Vent. 357.*

[Tho' a Person cannot compel another to set forth by what Title, nor under whom he claims, merely because his lands lie next his, yet where the Dispute is about Boundaries or Unity of Possession, Defendant must set forth how he is intitled. *Champernoon v. Borough of Totness, M. 1740. 2 Atkyns 112.*]

Bill in the Exchequer for Tithes, if the Defendant by Answer, and not by Plea, insists upon a Discharge by a *Modus*, he ought to answer to the Quantities and Values and what Lands he has, and it shall not be referred to an Examination by Interrogatories. *R. Hard. 130.*

[If the Answer admits Plaintiff intitled to all Tithes but of Corn and Grain, the Court will decree him Hay, without proving he ever received it. *Fox v. Bardwell, P. 1733. Bunb. 327.*]

If the Bill be against Husband and Wife, they may answer severally. *2 Ca. Cb. 39, 173.*

But the Answer of the Wife is nothing worth, if the Husband does not answer. *2 Ca. Cb. 173.*

And if the Answer of the Wife confesses that which the Husband denies, it shall not prejudice the Husband. *2 Ca. Cb. 39.*

[If the Husband is run away since Appearance, and no Friend will be Guardian, the Wife may have Leave to answer without. *Glover v. Young, P. 10 G. Bunb. 167.*]

[A Husband allowed to answer without his Wife, because she declared she would not answer with him, and loved the Plaintiff better. *Murriet v. Lyon, T. 10 G. Bunb. 175.*]

[If a Husband brings a Bill against his Wife, she shall answer as a *Feme Sole*, and not by Guardian. *Ex Parte Strangeways*, P. 1747. 3 *Atkyns* 478.]

If a Bill is brought against a Jew, he shall be sworn upon the *Pentateuch* in the Presence of the Plaintiff's Clerk. 1 *Ver.* 263.

A Defendant being surprized in his Answer, before Replication, upon a Certificate and an *Affidavit* of Notice, shall be allowed to amend the Mistake. *Ca. Ch.* 29.

[An Answer may be amended before Issue joined. *Mulhins v. Simmonds*, H. 1724. *Bunb.* 186.]

[An Answer was amended (by making a greater Quantity of Acres) after Issue joined and a Commission issued, on Defendant's paying all Costs, and taking a new Commission at his own Expence. *Berney v. Chambers*, H. 1727. *Bunb.* 248.]

[Answer refused to be amended (by altering the Day of Payment of a *Modus*) tho' Issue not joined, and the Day set right in a cross Bill. *Wortley Montague's Case*. *Ibid.*]

[An Answer amended by the Draught, where the Mistake was 250 or 300, for 25 or 30. *Bishop of Ely v. James*, H. 1730. *Bunb.* 295.]

[But refused to amend 86 for 68, where the Draught and Ingrossment agreed. *Ibid.*]

[If Attorney-General has put in the common Answer to a Bill of Interpleader (that he is a Stranger, and hopes the Interest of the Crown will be taken care of, &c.) he may withdraw it (on Motion) and put in another insisting on the particular Right of the Crown. *Errington v. Attorney-General et al.* P. 1731. *Bunb.* 303.]

[Answer may be amended, if for Plaintiff's Benefit, and Defendant very old. *Holliday v. Nabb*, M. 1732. *Bunb.* 323.]

[A Defendant on particular Circumstances may have Leave to amend an Answer by adding a new Fact, as if the Answer refers to a Deed, to amend by adding that by the Custom of the Country where it was executed, it was deposited, so that an authentick Copy is all that can be had. *Wharton v. Wharton*, P. 1740. 2 *Atkyns* 294.]

[The Court will not allow a Defendant to amend an Answer, by striking out the Admission of a Fact which would deprive Plaintiff of the Benefit of this Evidence; especially, if he does not swear he was surprized into the Admission, or ill advised in setting it forth. *Pearce v. Grove*, T. 1747. 3 *Atkyns* 522.]

So after a Compromise of the Cause, the Bill and Answer may, by Consent, be ordered to be taken off the File. 1 *Ver.* 189.

(K. 3.) Answer by Commission.

The Defendant may take out a Commission, to take his Answer in the Country, of Course, without Motion, or *Affidavit*; *Vide* the Form, *West S.* 27. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 72.

And it was usual to inclose a Copy of the Bill in the Commission. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 72.

But now by the St. 4 & 5 *Ann.* 16. No Copy, Abstract, or Tenor of any Bill in Equity shall go with the *Dedimus*, or Commission for taking the Defendant's Answer; and in Lieu of it the sworn Clerks in all Causes shall take, to their own Use, the whole Term-Fee of 3s. 4d. and the whole Fee for all small Writs made by them.

But a Commission shall not be allowed, after an Attachment with Proclamation returned, without Motion upon an *Affidavit*, that the Defendant is sick, or other special Cause; or without the Assent of the Plaintiff. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 75, 6.

Nor after Time allowed for taking the Answer by reason of the Absence of Writings, &c.

Nor after an Answer formerly taken upon Commission. *Ord. per Cla.* *Vide Rules and Orders of Chancery* 99. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 77.

And by an Order in the *Exchequer*, a Defendant who answers by Commission shall

shall not demur, or give a dilatory Plea, without Order of Court upon Motion.

Rules and Orders in Exchequer 4. Rule 7.

So, if the Defendant prays a Commission, and does not take it out, until three Weeks before the next Term, (other than *Trinity Term*;) the Plaintiff may take out Process of Contempt. *Rules and Orders in Exchequer 4. Rule 6.*

The Commissioners must administer the Oath to the Defendant, and return the Commission with the Answer signed by the Defendant, and the * Bill inclosed in the Commission, thereunto annexed, and signed by the Commissioners in this Form, *Capt' apud C. in Com. E. 2^o die M. &c. coram nobis, &c.* *Vide supra 4^o & 5^o Ann. 16.*

[A Commission may go to take the Answer of a Heathen Idolator, in the *East-Indies*, and shall be to take the Oath in the most solemn Manner, according to the Commissioner's Discretion, and they shall certify the Manner. *Ramkissenseat v. Baker, M. 1739. 1 Atkyns 19.*]

The Commission so returned shall be delivered to a Master in *Chancery* by one of the Commissioners; or by some other Person, who shall take an Oath, that he received it from one of the Commissioners, and has not since opened it. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery 79.* (which mentions the Delivery to be to the Six-Clerk, or his Deputy.)

If the Defendant puts in a Plea and Answer by Commission, and the Commissioners return, that *Ista Respons' Capt' fuit, &c.* it shall be rejected, but without Costs; for it was the Fault of the Commissioners. *2 Ca. Ch. 208.*

If the Commission is only to take the Answer, the Commissioners cannot take a Plea or a Demurrer. *1 Ver. 275.*

[If Time is given, or a Commission, to answer, without any more, Defendant cannot demur, or plead and answer. *Philips v. Winter, in Sc. P. 1721. Bunb. 74.*]

But if the Commissioners return an Answer annexed to the Commission, and say, *Jurat' secundum Tenorem Commissionis annex'*, it will be well, tho' *Executio bujus Commissionis, &c.* be omitted. *1 Ver. 41.*

After Answer, but not before, the Defendant may move that the Plaintiff may make his Election to proceed at Law, or in Equity; for he ought not to proceed in both. *1 Ver. 103.*

But he may proceed at Law for the Recovery of the Land in Ejectment, and for an Account of the Profits in Equity. *1 Ver. 105.*

(L) Exceptions.

(L 1) When delivered, &c.

IF the Answer is insufficient, the Plaintiff may deliver Exceptions in Writing to the Counsel, who signed the Answer, or to the Defendant's Clerk. *Ord. per Cla. Rules and Orders of Chancery 101. Vide Practical Register in Chancery 171.*

[Exceptions cannot be taken to an Infant's Answer, for he may amend it when he comes of age. *Gibson v. Cole, in Canc. H. 1733. Strudwick v. Pargiter, T. 1734. in Sc. Bunb. 338.*]

[A *Feme Covert* shall not be obliged to answer to what might subject her to a Forfeiture, tho' she has not demurred as she ought to have done. *Wrotesley v. Bendish, H. 1733. 3 P. W. 235.*]

[If a Plea is ordered to stand for an Answer, without any Mention of Liberty to except, Plaintiff cannot except. *Sellon v. Lewin, H. 1733. 3 P. W. 239.*]

[If there is a Demurrer to Part, and answer to Part, Plaintiff cannot amend till the Demurrer is argued; nor will the Court discharge the Demurrer on Motion, tho' frivolous. *London Assurance v. East-India Company, T. 1734. 3 P. W. 326.*]

[But if Defendant answers as to Discovery, and pleads as to Relief only, Plaintiff may except to any Matter of Discovery before Plea argued, for it plainly is not covered by the Plea. *3 P. W. 326.*]

[When Plea or Demurrer is over-ruled, if Defendant has also answered, he need not put in further Answer till after Exceptions, but if he only demurred, he must answer without Exceptions put in. *Cotes v. Turner, H. 1722. Bunb. 123.*

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The Exceptions shall be delivered the Term, in which the Answer was filed, or within eight Days after that Term. *Ord. per Cla. Rules and Orders of Chancery 101. Vide Practical Register in Chancery 171.*

And if the Answer was filed in the Vacation, within eight Days after the Beginning of the next Term. *Ibid.*

Or, upon Motion, the Court will give Time to deliver Exceptions afterwards. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery 171.*

[If Answer comes in in *Michaelmas* Term, and Plaintiff does not take Exceptions within eight Days of *Hilary* Term, yet on applying to the Court, he is intitled of Course to except, provided he does it in two Terms, including the Term in which he moves; but if he neglects it then, the Court will not give Leave but on particular Circumstances. *General Order, M. 1743. 3 Atkyns 19.* Nor to refer it for Impertinence. *Anon. T. 1755. 2 Vezey 631.*]

In the *Exchequer*, by Rule, the Exceptions shall be delivered within four Days of the Term next after the Answer, and shall be entred to be heard by the Court upon the *Saturday* seve'nnight following. *Rules and Orders of Exchequer 6. Rule 14.*

And an Answer in the Vacation, after setting down of Causes, shall be reputed an Answer of the Term ensuing. *Vide Rules and Orders in Exchequer 7. Rule 14.*

But in *Chancery*, if there is a Plea to Part, and an Answer to Part, the Plaintiff shall not take Exceptions to the Answer before the Plea is argued. *1 Ver. 344.*

If the Defendant, within eight Days after the Delivery, satisfy the Plaintiff that the Exceptions are frivolous, he may waive them. *Vide Rules and Orders of Chancery 101. Vide Practical Register in Chancery 171.*

Or, the Defendant within the same Time may amend his Answer, or agree that he will amend it, upon Payment of 20s. Costs. *Ord. per Cla. Rules and Orders of Chancery 101. Vide Practical Register in Chancery 171.*—In the *Exchequer*, the Defendant may amend two Days before the Day of Hearing, on Payment of 20s. Costs. *Vide Rules and Orders in Exchequer 6. Rule 14.*

If the Plaintiff does not waive, nor the Defendant amend, the Plaintiff shall move the Court, that the Exceptions may be referred to a Master. *Vide Rules and Orders of Chancery 101. Vide Practical Register in Chancery 171.*—In the *Exchequer*, they shall be set down to be heard by the Court, on the *Saturday* seve'nnight. *Vide Rules and Orders in Exchequer 6. Rule 14.*

If the Exceptions are delivered in Vacation, the Defendant shall have Time to amend 'till the fourth Day in the next Term, unless he be haitened by the Court.

If the Master reports the Answer good, the Plaintiff shall pay 40s. Costs. *Ord. per Cla. Vide Rules and Orders of Chancery 101. Vide Practical Register in Chancery 171.*—So in the *Exchequer*, if the Court allows the Answer to be good. *Vide Rules and Orders in the Exchequer 7. Rule 14.*

If he reports it insufficient, the Defendant shall pay 40s. Costs, or, if the Answer was taken by Commission, 50s. and shall make further Answer. *Ord. per Cla. Rules and Orders of Chancery 102. Vide Practical Register in Chancery 172.*—In the *Exchequer*, if the Court adjudges the Answer insufficient, the Defendant pays 3l. Costs. *Vide Rules and Orders in Exchequer 6. Rule 14.*

And the Plaintiff shall have a *Subpœna* for the Costs, and the other Answer shall not be received 'till the Costs are paid. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery 172.*—In the *Exchequer* the Defendant shall give another Answer in eight Days (unless he takes out a Commission to take his Answer,) and shall rejoin *gratis*, and join in Commission to examine Witnesses. *Vide Rules and Orders in the Exchequer 7. Rule 14.*

[If Defendant answers the Exceptions fully, the Court will not give Leave to add or amend an Exception, but Plaintiff may amend his Bill by varying a Word or two, and have an Answer to it. *Wickens v. Pratt, H. 1727. Bunb. 246.*]

[When Exceptions are allowed, Plaintiff may of Course amend without Costs, amending Defendant's Copy. *Chambers v. Robinson. T. 10 G. Bunb. 169.*]

[If on Exceptions allowed Plaintiff has Leave to amend, and Defendant puts in further Answer before Amendment, Plaintiff may turn the whole Amendment into Exceptions to the second Answer. *Coulston v. Richardson, T. 10 G. Bunb. 168.*]

If the Answer be reported insufficient, the Defendant shall answer to all the Points excepted to, tho' more than the Bill contained, unless he excepts to the Report. *Ca. Ch. 60.*

If the second Answer be reported insufficient in the Points excepted to, the Defendant shall pay 3*l.* Costs. *Ord. per Cla. Rules and Orders of Chancery 102. Vide Practical Register in Chancery 172.*

And the Plaintiff, upon Motion, shall stay all Process against him, for not answering to any erofs Bill, until eight Days after the Defendant has made sufficient Answer.

And the Plaintiff shall proceed with his Process for Contempt against the Defendant, and need not begin with a *Subpoena de novo*. *Ca. Ch. 238.*—So, in the Exchequer. *Vide Rules and Orders in Exchequer 7. Rule 16.*

If, after an Answer is reported insufficient, and upon Exceptions is held bad by the Court, another Defendant gives the same Answer, it shall be disallowed. *1 Ver. 74.*

In the Exchequer, if the second Answer be adjudged insufficient, the Defendant shall pay double Costs, viz. 6*l.* *Vide Rules and Orders in Exchequer 7. Rule 15.*

In Chancery, if the third Answer be reported insufficient, the Defendant shall pay 4*l.* for Costs. *Ord. per Cla. Rules and Orders of Chancery 102. Vide Practical Register in Chancery 172.*—In the Exchequer 9*l.* viz. treble Costs.

[If Exceptions are allowed to two Answers in *Scac.* and Plaintiff amends, and Defendant puts in an insufficient Answer to amended Bill, he shall pay 9*l.* Costs, as upon a third insufficient Answer. *Harman v. Immins, M. 1725. Bunb. 203.*]

If the fourth Answer, he shall pay 5*l.* and shall be examined upon Interrogatories, to the Points excepted to, and be committed until he makes a full Answer, and pays the Costs. *Ord. per Cla. Rules and Orders of Chancery 102. Vide Practical Register in Chancery 172.*—In the Exchequer, he shall pay such Costs as the Court shall think fit, and shall be committed, and examined upon Interrogatories. *Vide Rules and Orders in Exchequer 7. Rule 15.*

But, in Chancery, upon a Plea over-ruled, and three insufficient Answers, the Defendant shall not be committed to be examined upon Interrogatories. *Ca. Ch. 279.*

[The Court will not give Leave to add new Interrogatories for Examination of Defendant, on the Examination's being reported insufficient, and that both Sets may be answered at the same Time, without Notice of Motion be given to the other Party. *Anon. P. 1747. 3 Akyns 511.*]

When the Defendant is to be examined upon Interrogatories, his Counsel shall see them, before the Examination, but shall not have a Copy. *Per Cur' upon Motion. Ca. Ch. 66.*

And the Defendant shall have Counsel attending in the next Room, when he is examined, for his Advice in Point of Law, if needful. *Ord. upon Motion, Ca. Ch. 66.*

If the Master reports the Answer insufficient, when it is good, Exceptions may be taken to the Report. *Vide Post, (W. 3.)*

[If on Answer's being reported insufficient, Defendant does not except, but puts in second Answer, and that is also reported insufficient, Defendant may except to this Report, as it is has not undergone the Judgment of the Court. If it was a single Exception, *Q. Finch v. Finch, M. 1752. 2 Vezey 491.*]

(M.) Cause heard upon Bill and Answer.

IF the Answer be sufficient, the Plaintiff ought to be well advised, whether he can have a Decree, without other Proof. *Ord. per Cla. Rules and Orders of Chancery 100.*

If the Cause be heard upon Bill and Answer, the Answer shall be admitted true in all Points. *Ord. per Cla. Rules and Orders of Chancery 100. Vide Practical Register in Chancery 176.*

And no Evidence shall be admitted, but Matter of Record, to which the Answer refers, and which is proveable by the Record itself. *Ord. per Glo. Rules and Orders of Chancery 100.*

So, if the Plaintiff replies, but, without a Rejoinder or Rules for Publication, sets down the Cause to be heard, the Answer shall be admitted to be true in all Points. *2 Ca. Ch. 21.*

[If a Plaintiff of full Age does not reply to the Defendant's Answer, it is an Admission of the Facts in the Answer, but if he is an Infant it does not affect him, for he can admit nothing. *Legard v. Sheffield, T. 1742. 2 Atkyns 377.*]

In the *Exchequer*, if the Plaintiff hears his Cause upon Bill and Answer, he ought to serve the Defendant with a *Subpoena ad audiendum Judicium*. *Vide Rules and Orders in Exchequer 8. Rule 19.*

In *Chancery*, if the Defendant by his Answer says, *he believes and doubts not to prove the Plaintiff paid*, if the Cause is heard upon Bill and Answer, the Plaintiff's Bill shall be dismissed; for altho' the Defendant does not say positively, that he has paid the Plaintiff, yet the Plaintiff ought to reply, otherwise the Defendant is prevented of his Proof; and therefore the Plaintiff had leave to reply upon Payment of Costs. *1 Ver. 140.*

If the Plaintiff proceeds, when he might have Relief upon Bill and Answer, tho' he afterwards obtains a Decree, yet he shall pay Costs.

If, upon the Hearing, it appears that the Plaintiff is not ready for a Decree, upon the Matter disclosed in the Answer he shall have Liberty to reply, and proceed upon Payment of 5 *l.* Costs. *Per Cur. P. 2 Ann. Vide Practical Register in Chancery 317.*—So in the *Exchequer*, and he shall reply within eight Days, otherwise the Defendant shall be dismissed with the said 5 *l.* Costs. *Rules and Orders in Exchequer 8. Rule 19.*

[If, the Answer not being sufficient, an Issue at Law is directed, and Plaintiff nonsuited, the Bill shall be dismissed with taxed Costs. *Newsham v. Gray, P. 1742. 2 Atkyns 286.*]

[So on a Bill to redeem, referred to a Master to take an Account, and to appoint a Day, if the Mortgagor does not redeem on the Day. *Ibid.*]

[So on a Bill to be relieved against the Penalty of a Bond, if the Principal, &c. is not paid on the Day. *Ibid.*]

[If the Plaintiff replies, and then moves to withdraw Replication and amend Bill, then sets down on Bill and Answer, he shall on Dismission pay taxed Costs. *Semb. sed Q. Ibid.*]

[By a general Order, 27th April 1748, Costs on Causes heard on Bill and Answer are to be at the Discretion of the Court.]

(N) Replication.

AFTER a full Answer made, the Defendant in the next Term may give a Rule for the Plaintiff to reply; and if he does not reply in the same Term, his Bill shall be dismissed with Costs. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery 318.*

The Plaintiff upon the Dismission, shall pay full Costs. *1 Ver. 334.*

Or, after Answer, the Plaintiff himself may move to have his own Bill dismissed. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery 144.*—In the *Exchequer* it shall be dismissed with 40s. Costs, unless the Court increases them. *Vide Rules and Orders in Exchequer 8. Rule 17.*

If no Rule be given, or Motion made for the Dismission, the Plaintiff shall make a Replication before the End of the third Term inclusive, otherwise his Bill will be dismissed with Costs. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery 318.*

In the *Exchequer*, if the Plaintiff does not reply the next Term after Answer, the Defendant may give a Rule to reply within a Week in the subsequent Term; and if he does not then reply, the Bill shall be dismissed with 5 Marks Costs. *Rules and Orders in Exchequer 8. Rule 20.*

If there be not a Week in Term, the Plaintiff shall have a Day, to shew Cause, at the setting down of Causes. *Rules and Orders in Exchequer 9. Rule 20.*

If the Defendant gives a Rule, he ought to rejoin *gratis* and join in Commission; and if the Plaintiff does not take out a Commission in the next Term, the Defendant may take it *ex parte*, or dismiss the Bill with 5*l.* Costs. *Rules and Orders in Exchequer* 9. Rule 20.

In Chancery, the Replication shall be general, or special. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 315.

Shall be succinct, and not scandalous. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 316.

Must maintain the Bill, and confess, avoid, deny, or traverse the Answer. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 315.

Shall not contain Matter, which does not tend to avoid the Answer. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 316.

Nor proceed to Proof, in Matters confessed by the Answer, but in other Things only. *Vide Rules and Orders of Chancery* 100. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 316.

[On a general Demand for Tithes, and a general Replication, if Plaintiff on the Commission gives Notice that he will examine only as to such Matters, it is as well as if the Demand had been abridged in the Replication. *Anon. in Sc. H.* 1717. *Burb.* 22. (Sed. 2.)]

[If Defendant disclaims generally, Plaintiff ought not to reply, if he does, and serves *Subpæna* to rejoin, he shall pay Costs. *Williams v. Longfellow.* *M.* 1747. 3 *Atkyns* 582.]

If a Special Replication be given, the Defendant may plead, or demur to it. *1 Ver.* 351.

But if the Plea and Demurrer are allowed, the Plaintiff may afterwards put in a General Replication. *Dub.* 1 *Ver.* 351.

If, after a Bill and a special Replication, the Defendant recovers by a Verdict at Law, he may plead it in such a Manner as to prevent an Examination into the Matter settled by the Trial. *1 Ver.* 351.

[The Court will not give leave to withdraw Replication, unless it be added, that Plaintiff may thereby be enabled to amend his Bill, or some other Reason to induce the Court: or 2 if he consents to pay full Costs if his Bill is dismissed at the Hearing. *Pott v. Reynolds, T.* 1747. 3 *Atkyns* 565.]

(O) Rejoinder, &c.

AFTER Replication, the Defendant may rejoin *gratis*, and compel the Plaintiff to join in Commission. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 314.

If he does not do it, the Plaintiff may serve him with a *Subpæna* to rejoin.

The Plaintiff shall not have a *Subpæna* to rejoin, unless the Replication be filed before the Return of it; for if the Defendant does not find the Replication filed, he shall have the ordinary Costs. *Ord. per Cla.* *Rules and Orders of Chancery* 102.

[If Plaintiff produces Order for *Subpæna* to rejoin, and Affidavit that some of the Parties are out of the Kingdom, the Court will not dismiss Bill for want of Prosecution. *General Order, T.* 1743. 2 *Atkyns* 604.]

[If for want of producing such Order and Affidavit the Bill has been dismissed, yet on producing them afterwards, and paying Costs out of Purse, the Court will retain it; but the Order must be dated before the Notice to dismiss. *Ibid.*]

After the Return of this *Subpæna*, and an Affidavit of the Service, the Plaintiff shall give a Rule, that the Defendant shall rejoin within seven Days; and if he does not, he cannot do it afterwards.

If the Defendant does not rejoin, or if he does rejoin, but at the Request of the Plaintiff's Clerk does not give the Names of Commissioners before the End of the same Term, the Plaintiff without Motion, or Petition, shall take out a Commission *ex parte*. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 314.

By Order in the *Exchequer*, if the Defendant makes Answer by Commission, he ought to rejoin *gratis*, and join in Commission to examine Witnesses; otherwise the Plaintiff shall take out a Commission *ex parte*, within a Week after the End of the Term. *Rules and Orders in Exchequer* 3, 4. Rule 6.

So, where the Defendant is not bound to rejoin *gratis*, if he does not rejoin upon Service of a *Subpæna*. *Vide Rules and Orders in Exchequer* 9. Rule 21.

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The Defendant shall maintain the Answer, and shall not be allowed to amend the Answer, and if the Plaintiff does not amend the Answer, the Defendant shall be allowed to amend the Answer. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery 314.*

(P.) Examination of Witnesses.

(P. 1.) By the Examiner.

WHEN the Parties are at Issue, they shall proceed to the Examination of Witnesses. *Vide Rules and Orders of Chancery 103.* But no Examination can be, before Answer. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery 161.*

Each Party may examine his Witnesses before an Examiner of the Court, if he pleases. *Ibid.*

And ought to examine them before him, if they live within ten Miles of London, unless a Commission be allowed for special Cause upon Motion and Affidavit. *Ord. per Cla. Vide Rules and Orders of Chancery 109.*

And all Depositions taken by Commission, without special Order, within London or ten Miles of it, shall be superseded *ipso facto*, and not be admitted as Evidence at the Hearing of the Cause, and he who procured them, shall be punished. *Ord. per Cla. Rules and Orders of Chancery 109. Vide Practical Register in Chancery 85.*

The Witnesses shall be examined by the Examiner himself, and not by his Clerks. *Ord. per Cla. Rules and Orders of Chancery 105. Vide Practical Register in Chancery 159.*

And shall be shewn to the adverse Party, or his Clerk, before they are produced to the Examiner. *Ord. per Cla. Rules and Orders of Chancery 103. Vide Practical Register in Chancery 163.*

And after Answer, but before the Rule for passing Publication is served, a Note in Writing of the Name, Title, and Dwelling of the Witnesses examined shall be delivered to the adverse Party, or his Clerk; and the Examiner ought to see that such Notice is given. *Ibid.*

The Examiner shall not discover any Interrogatory, before Publication. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery 158.*

And shall have no Person in his Office, who does not take an Oath, that he will not directly or indirectly discover, or give a Copy of any Interrogatory delivered to him, or in his Office, before Publication. *Ord. per Cla. Rules and Orders of Chancery 106. Vide Practical Register in Chancery 159.*

(P. 2.) By Commission.

If the Witnesses live above ten Miles out of London, or within, upon special Cause, the Parties may take out a Commission to examine them. *Vide Rules and Orders of Chancery 109. Vide Practical Register in Chancery 85.*

If the Parties join in Commission, one of them shall give the Names of four Commissioners, and the other of four others; and two of each Side shall be refused by the other Party. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery 84.*

If the Defendant submits to answer upon Interrogatories, or for a Contempt, which ought to be, by Rule, within four Days, or shall stand committed, yet if he be in the Country, a Commission shall be allowed him. *1 Ker. 187.*

The Commissioners shall not be of Kin to either Party. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery 84.*

Nor Master, Lessor, or Partner. *Ibid.*

Nor Counsel, Attorney, or Solicitor in the Cause. *Ibid.*

[If a Commissioner is Plaintiff's Solicitor, the Depositions shall be suppressed, and the Solicitor pay all Costs. *Fricker v. Moore, M. 1730. Bunb. 289.*]

Nor a Creditor, or concerned in a Suit with either Party. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery 84.*

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And by Order 9th Feb. 8 Geo. Commissioners and their Clerks shall be sworn to act impartially, and not disclose the Contents of the Depositions till Publication. *Vide Rules and Orders of Chancery* 207, 8, 9.

But they may take a Reward; and an *Assumpsit* lies for Non-payment; for they are named by the Party. *R. 1 Sal.* 330.

The Plaintiff, in the first Place, shall have the Carriage of the Commission. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 83.

And he who has it, shall give 14 Days Notice to the other Side, in Person or by Note in Writing, of the Time and Place of the Execution. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 86.

[If there are four Commissioners of a Side, Plaintiff may give Notice of Execution to any two of Defendant's Commissioners. *Anon. P.* 1748. 3 *Atkyns* 633.]

But if by the Default of him or his Commissioners, it be not executed at the said Time and Place, he shall pay all Costs, which appear to have been expended by the other Side upon *Affidavit*, in Fees Entertainment of the Commissioners, Witnesses, &c. shall take out another Commission at his own Charge, and suffer the other Side to have the Carriage of it. *Ord. per Cla. Vide Rules and Orders of Chancery* 108. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 86, 88.—So in the *Exchequer*. *Vide Rules and Orders in Exchequer* 9. Rule 22.

Otherwise, if by the Default of the Clerk; for then it shall be renewed at the equal Charge, or at the Charge of him, who procured the Non-Execution. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 88.

In the *Exchequer* upon a Commission renewed, the other Party may join and cross-examine the Witnesses if he pleases. *Rules and Orders in Exchequer* 9. Rule 22.

But if he examines his own Witnesses, he shall pay half the Charge. *Rules and Orders in Exchequer* 10. Rule 22.

So the other Party may have a Duplicate of the Commission, and if he who takes out the Commission does not give eight Days Notice of the Execution, before the Return, the other may execute the Duplicate upon four Day's Notice, and no second Commission shall be awarded without Motion. *Ibid.*

If, after an Order that Notice be given to one Defendant, Notice be given to another, who has but a small Interest in the Cause; another Commission shall be awarded, and carried by that Defendant to whom the Notice ought to have been given.

If a Commission be renewed upon the Default of the Defendant, or his Commissioners, or because he has not examined all his Witnesses, he shall examine all his Witnesses before the Return of that Commission, either upon the Commission, or in Court, at his Peril; and no other Commission shall issue, but for the Examination of Witnesses beyond Sea, or by Order of the Court. *Rules and Orders in Exchequer* 10. Rule 23.

In *Chancery*, no Commission shall be granted after Publication, without Order. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 89.

So in the *Exchequer* there shall be no Commission for the Examination of Witnesses in *London* or within ten Miles of *London*, without Order upon an *Affidavit*, that the Witnesses are unable to come, or other Cause. *Rules and Orders in Exchequer* 10. Rule 24.

And if such Commission be without Order, it shall be suppressed *ipso facto*, and the Depositions thereupon shall not be read at the Hearing of the Cause. *Ibid.*

[The *Exchequer* may issue a Commission to examine Witnesses abroad to make use of the Depositions at the Trial of the Cause. *Jenkins v. Larwood*, 1717. in *Sc' B.*]

[The Court will not grant a Commission to examine, to be made use of in Trial at Law, before Issue is joined here. *Lowther v. Whorwood*, *M.* 1722. *unb.* 120.]

In *Chancery*, if the Commissioners have Authority by their Commission, they ought to summon the Witnesses before them. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 89.

If they have not Authority, the Witnesses ought to be served with a *Subpœna Testificand.* *Ibid.*

The Commissioners ought to demean themselves well in the Examination of the Witnesses; for upon an *Affidavit* of Misbehaviour, an Attachment lies against them.

If they are obstructed, they ought to certify the Obstruction. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 92.

If they cannot agree, an Examiner shall be sent to them. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 93.

If the Commission be obtained by a *Feme Sole*, who marries before the Execution, yet they may proceed.

The Commissioners may adjourn to another Place, or Time, if the Witnesses are infirm, &c. *Ca. Ch.* 282.

After Examination of the Witnesses, the Commissioners ought to annex the Depositions with the Interrogatories to the Commission, and return it. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 92.

And the Commission executed shall be delivered to a Master of the Court by a Commissioner himself. *Ibid.*

Or by one, who shall make Oath, that he received it from one of the Commissioners, and does not know of any Alteration. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 92, 79.

A Commission shall not be quashed upon Petition, but only after a Reference and Certificate. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 86.

A Commission in the *Exchequer* ought to be executed the next Vacation, where the Plaintiff replies after the Cause is set down upon Bill and Answer. *Vide Rules and Orders in Exchequer* 8. Rule 19.

[If a Commission in *England* is taken out in the Vacation, returnable without delay, it does not expire the first Day of next Term, but may be continued in Execution to the last Day of it. *Barnsley v. Powell, M.* 1747. 3 *Atkyns* 593.]

(P. 3.) Commission *ex parte*.

If the Defendant does not join, or refuses to name Commissioners, the Plaintiff may have a Commission *ex parte*, and shall name six Commissioners, two of whom shall be left out by the Court. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 85.

Or, if he who carries the Commission, does not give sufficient Notice of the Execution, the other may have a Commission *ex parte*.

Or, if the Plaintiff refuses to join the Defendant may have a Commission *ex parte*. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 82, 83.

Or, if the Plaintiff examines his Witnesses before an Examiner of the Court, He who takes out a Commission *ex parte*, need not give Notice to the other of the Execution. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 85.

So, in the *Exchequer*, if there be a Commission in an Information, in the Nature of an Inquisition, to intitle the King, it shall be taken out *ex parte* and the Defendant shall not join in Commission. *Sav.* 4.

Otherwise, where the Commission is after Plea and Issue joined, for then the Defendant shall join; because then it is to prove the Title of the King. *Sav.* 4.

(P. 4.) New Commission.

If the Defendant serves his Witnesses, and they do not appear, he shall have a new Commission by Consent, or by Order of Court. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 90.

But if he does not examine any Witness nor puts in his Interrogatories, he shall not have it, without Order upon Motion, and *Affidavit*, and Costs paid. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 88.

And he shall bear all the Charge of it in Court and in the Country; except where the other also examines more Witnesses; for then it shall be at equal Charge.

Charge. *Ord. per Cla. Vide Rules and Orders in Chancery 108. Vide Practical Register in Chancery 87, 88.*

And he shall bear the Charge, tho' the other Side cross-examines his Witnesses. *Ord. per Cla. Vide Rules and Orders of Chancery 108. Vide Practical Register in Chancery 87, 8.*

And the Charge shall be ascertained, by the *Affidavit* of him who expended. *Ord. per Cla. Vide Rules and Orders of Chancery 108. Vide Practical Register in Chancery 88.*

If he examines a Witness, he shall not have a new Commission to re-examine him though the Witness makes *Affidavit* that he was surprized. *Ca. Ch. 25.*

But in such Case, he may have an Order, that the Witness be examined, upon the Hearing of the Cause.

So, if any Party does not examine all his Witnesses, there may be a new Commission.

Or, if the first Commission be quashed.

Or, if by the Default of him who had the Commission, or of his Commissioners was not executed. *Vide Rules and Orders of Chancery 109.*

He, who has a new Commission must examine all his Witnesses upon it before the Return. *Ord. per Cla. Vide Rules and Orders of Chancery 109.*

Or before the End of the Term, in which it is returnable in Court. *Ord.*

per Cla. Vide Rules and Orders of Chancery 109.

But he may examine them after the Return, upon a special Order.

As to New Commission in the Exchequer. *Vide Ante, (P. 2.)*

(P. 5.) Interrogatories.

Interrogatories ought to be prepared before the Examination of the Witnesses. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery 220.*

Which being engrossed shall be delivered to the Examiner. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery 220.*

And shall be sent with the Commission to the Commissioners. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery 220.*

And one Party shall not know the Contents of the Interrogatories of the other.

In the *Exchequer*, after Interrogatories exhibited by either Party, there shall be no Addition, or Alteration, without Leave of the Court. *Rules and Orders in Exchequer 11. Rule 24.*

Interrogatories in *Chancery* must be short, material, and apt. *Vide Rules and Orders of Chancery 103. Vide Practical Register in Chancery 220.*

And only to Points necessary. *Ord. per Cla. Vide Rules and Orders of Chancery 103. Vide Practical Register in Chancery 220.*

And by Order 29th April 3 Jac. 2. they shall be perused and signed by Counsel or otherwise, suppressed. *Vide Rules and Orders of Chancery, 173. Vide Practical Register in Chancery 220.*

But a Witness cannot demur to an Interrogatory, if it be not material. *1 Ver. 65.*

When the Witnesses are examined in Court upon a Schedule of Interrogatories, no other Interrogatories can afterwards be added for the same Witnesses. *Ord. per Cla. Rules and Orders of Chancery 103. Vide Practical Register in Chancery 220.*

So when the Party hath had a Commissioner present upon the first Examination, he shall not examine upon new Interrogatories, by another Commission, as to the Merits of the Cause. *Ca. Ch. 274.*

But as to an Alteration of Exhibits made at the first Examination, he may.

So if Witnesses are examined by the Examiner, each Party may afterwards exhibit one or more Interrogatories, or a new Set of Interrogatories, for the Examination

amination of the same or other Witnesses, by reason of the Credit of the Examiner, who is a sworn Officer. *Pr. Cha.* 386.

(P. 6.) The Manner of Examination.

[The spiritual Court may be obliged to deliver out a Will of Land, on Security. *Morse v. Roach*, H. 7 G. 2. *Str.* 961.]

[If all the Devisees consent, but otherwise not, the Court will order the Will to be delivered (on security) to be carried abroad, to be proved under a Commission by a Witness always residing there. *Frederick v. Aynscombe*, M. 1738. 1 *Atkyns* 627.]

[Lord Macclesfield ordered a Will to be delivered by the Prerogative Office to the Register Office in Symond's Inn, there to lie till the Court of Chancery had done with it. *Ibid.*]

The Examiner or the Commissioners, ought to examine the Witnesses to the Interrogatories *seriatim*. *Ord. per Cla. Rules and Orders of Chancery* 105. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 90, 164.

And not permit them to read, or hear, more Interrogatories, before they have answered the first. *Ibid.*

Nor permit them to depart before their Answer is finished to any Interrogatory. *Ibid.*

Nor permit them to write their Depositions, upon seeing all the Interrogatories. *Ibid.*

And if a Witness will not conform, they shall not proceed further in the Examination, without Notice given to the other Party, and his Consent, or an Order of Court. *Ord. per Cla. Vide Rules and Orders of Chancery* 105. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 165.

They ought to hold the Witness to the Question interrogated, without writing vain Repetitions, or impertinent Circumstances. *Ord. per Cla. Rules and Orders of Chancery* 105. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 90, 159.

To an Interrogatory, of which the Witness does not know any Thing, the Examiner shall write nothing but, *To this Interrogatory this Examinant doth not depose*; and if he does for the Lengthening of the Depositions, he shall recompence the Party grieved as the Court shall assess. *Ord. per Cla. Rules and Orders of Chancery* 106. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 165.

If a Commissioner to take Examinations be a Witness, he ought to be examined, before he has heard any other Examination. 2 *Ca. Ch.* 79. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 91.

If an Examination be irregular, the Deposition shall be suppressed; as if a Witness be three times examined to the same Matter. 2 *Ca. Ch.* 79.—Tho' he spoke uncertainly at the first. 2 *Ca. Ch.* 217.

So, if a Commissioner, &c. be examined in Court, or elsewhere, after hearing the other Examinations. 2 *Ca. Ch.* 79.

(P. 7.) What Witnesses shall be examined.

The Party himself, or his Wife, his Counsel, Attorney, or Solicitor shall not be examined, unless upon special Cause. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 360, 361, 364, 365.

[Tho' an Attorney or Counsel may demur to being examined, yet he may consent, and the Court will hear his Deposition. *Maddox v. Maddox*, M. 1747. 1 *Vezey* 61.]

[Where a Party examines his own Attorney or Clerk in Court, the other Side may cross-examine him relative to the same Matter, but not as to other Points. *Vaillant, v. Dodemead*, H. 1742. 2 *Atkyns* 524.]

[A Clerk in Court or Solicitor may be examined, touching Transactions antecedent to the Commencement of the Suit, and the Knowledge whereof could not come to him as such. *Ibid.*]

[No

[No Person is privileged from being examined, except of the Profession, as Counsel, Attorney, or Solicitor; not an Agent, for he may be only a Steward or Servant. *Ibid.*]

[A Clerk in Court may be examined to prove a Deed, for a Conveyancer may be examined. *Ibid.*]

[A Demurrer by a Witness, for that he knows nothing but what came to his Knowledge as Clerk in Court, or Agent for Defendant in relation to the Matters in Question in the Cause, is not good; for it ought to conclude, that he knew nothing but by the Information of his Client. *Ibid.*]

Nor a Guardian against an Infant. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 361.

Nor a Plaintiff for another Plaintiff, tho' he be but a Trustee; but the Bill shall first be dismissed as to him. *1 Ver.* 230.

And if an Order be obtained by Surprise for the Examination of any such, it shall be disallowed. *2 Ca. Ch.* 8019.

If a Witness demurs to an Interrogatory, because he has an Interest, he ought to swear, what Interest. *2 Ca. Ch.* 208.

[The Owner of Lands in a Parish, in the Hands of a Tenant, may be a Witness in a Suit for Tithes in that Parish. *Ayde v. Flower, T.* 1716. *in Sc. Bumb.* 7.]

[Inhabitant of a Parish where a *Modus* is insisted on, is *prima facie* a bad Witness, if he occupies no titheable Land, he must shew it. *Watson v. Lindfel, in Sc. P.* 1719. *Bunb.* 40.]

A Witness shall not be examined to impeach the Testimony of another Witness, without a special Order of Court, which is not frequently granted. *Ord. per Cla.* *Vide Rules and Orders of Chancery* 105. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 165.

And then Exceptions to the Witness impeached shall be filed with the Examiner *gratis*, and Notice, with a Copy of the Exceptions, delivered *gratis* to the adverse Party, or his Clerk. *Ord. per Cla.* *Rules and Orders of Chancery* 105. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 165.

[There may be an Order to examine to the Credit of a Witness even before Publication. *Bonning v. Sprott, in Sc. T.* 1719. *Bunb.* 46.]

[Articles may be exhibited to examine to the Credit of a Witness, but they should be supported by Affidavit. *Et per Hardwicke C.* tho' at Law you can examine only to the general Credit, yet in Equity it is otherwise, and you may examine to a particular Charge. *Sed Q. Gill v. Watson, T.* 1747. *3 Atkyns* 522.]

[After Publication, the Court will not allow Articles to be exhibited against the Competency of a Witness. *Callaghan v. Rochfort, P.* 1748. *3 Atkyns* 643.]

[But if the Objection to Competency comes to the Knowledge of the Party after Examination, the Court will allow an Examination to it after Publication, on Motion. *Ibid.*]

[After Publication, the Court will grant Commission to examine in Support of Articles against the Credit of a Witness; but if it is abroad or in Ireland, there must be an Affidavit that no Person in England can swear as to the Witnesses Credit. *Ibid.*]

[After the Cause set down, the Court will sometimes give Leave to exhibit Interrogatories to the Credit of a Witness, to prove Exhibits, and cross-examine Witnesses already examined. *Barnsley v. Powell, M.* 1747. *3 Atkyns* 593.]

[After the Cause in Paper, the Court will not give Leave to exhibit Interrogatories, and a Commission to examine to the Credit of a Witness. *Gill v. Watson, T.* 1747. *3 Atkyns* 522.]

If a Defendant has no Interest, or disclaims, or is only a Trustee, by Order he may be examined as a Witness. *2 Ca. Ch.* 214.

[An Administrator *durante minore etate*, after Administration determined, is in general a competent Witness; but if by his Answer he has submitted to pay, and so made himself liable, he is not competent. *Fotherby v. Pate, H.* 1747. *3 Atkyns* 603.]

So, a Commissioner himself, if he is examined before any other Witness. *1 Ver.* 369.

So, a Defendant being only a Trustee, if he disclaims all Interest. *1 Vern.* 230.

A Witness upon Deliberation may amend his Deposition. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery 90, 91.*

[Witness examined on the first Commission, cannot be examined on the second without Leave. *Per Price B. Dudge v. Billings, in St. T. 1718. Butts 24.*]

No Witness need submit to an Examination till his Expenses are discharged. And if he is sick, the Commissioners ought to go to his Habitation.

(P. 8.) Depositions.

The Depositions ought to be written in one or more Rolls of Parchment, each of them to be subscribed by the Commissioners. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery 92.*

And the Examiner shall enter the Name of the Witness, his Age, and Dwelling, and the Name of him who gave Notice of the Name, and Dwelling of the Witness, and to whom such Notice was given, and the Time when. *Ord. per Cla. Vide Rules and Orders of Chancery 103. Vide Practical Register in Chancery 163.*

If the Clerk deliver an Abstract of a Deposition, or Interrogatory, to any one before Publication, he shall be expelled the Office; and if his Clerk does so, the Examiner shall answer to the Court for the Misdemeanor, and to the Party for Costs and Damages, and every Person concerned shall be punished as the Court shall think proper. *Ord. per Cla. Rules and Orders of Chancery 106. Vide Practical Register in Chancery 159, 160.*

Depositions obtained by male Practice shall be suppressed, by Order of the Court. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery 137.*

So, if they are falsely written; and the Witnesses shall be examined *de novo*. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery 138.*

So, If the same Witness be examined three Times to the same Thing. *2 Ca. Ch. 79.*

But they shall not be suppressed upon a Petition, nor upon Motion, without a Certificate of a Six-Clerk; for a Rule shall be entred with the Register of Course, to attend a Six-Clerk not concerned in the Cause; and if the Attornies do not agree before him, he shall certify the Fact, with his Opinion, to the Court. *Ord. per Cla. Rules and Orders of Chancery 110. Vide Practical Register in Chancery 138.*

[If Witnesses are examined on a Commission abroad, after the Death of Plaintiff, neither Commissioners nor Witnesses knowing it, the Depositions shall not be suppressed. *Thompson's Case, T. 1733. P.W. 195.*]

[Depositions and Interrogatories may be referred for Scandal and Impertinence, and if found so, the Court will order it to be expunged. *Cocks v. Worthington, M. 1741. 2 Atkyns 235 & 236.*]

[But whether for Impertinence alone, *dub. Pyncent v. Pyncent, T. 1747. 3 Atkyns 557.*]

(Q.) Publication.

AFTER the Plaintiff and Defendant have examined all their Witnesses, if the Examination was by an Examiner, two Rules are given by each of them, to shew Cause, why Publication should not pass. *Ord. per. Cla. Rules and Orders of Chancery 107. Vide Practical Register in Chancery 297.*

If the Examination was by Commission, one Rule is sufficient. *Ord. per Cla. Rules and Orders of Chancery 107. Vide Practical Register in Chancery 297.*

And the Time contained in the Rule shall be a Week. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery 297.*—A Week after the Return of the Commission, or Examination, in the Exchequer. *Rules and Orders in Exchequer 11. Rule 25.*

If no Cause be shewn to the contrary, nor a new Commission granted, Publication shall be allowed. *Ord. per Cla. Vide Rules and Orders of Chancery 107. Vide Practical Register in Chancery 297.*

[If a Cross-bill is filed before Answer put in to the original Bill, the Court will stay Proceedings till the Answer is put into the Cross-bill; if it is filed after

Answer,

Answer, the Court will only stay Publication. *Ramkissenfat v. Barker, M. 1739.*
1 Atkyns 19.

[The Court in such Case will enlarge Publication in the original Cause to a Fortnight after the Answer to the Cross-bill is come in. *Creswick v. Creswick, M. 1738.* *1 Atkyns 291.*]

[If original Bill has been proceeded in, Publication on the Cross-bill shall not be enlarged but on special Motion. *Aylet v. Esly, T. 1751.* *2 Vezey 336.*

[After Publication passed, and Depositions delivered to be copied, Publication can never be enlarged (in the Exchequer.) *Orlebar v. Sneed, M. 1733.* *Bunb. 330.*

[The Exhibits proved in a Cause cannot be inspected before Hearing. *Davers v. Davers, P. 13 G. Str. 764.*]

In the Exchequer, if there be not a Week in Term when the Rule is given, there shall be a Day to shew Cause at the Sittings. *Rules and Orders in Exchequer 11. Rule 25.*

In Chancery, after Publication allowed, more Witnesses shall not be examined, without Order of Court, upon an Affidavit, that the Party is not privy to the Examination of any other Witness before examined, and of a sufficient Cause why such Witness could not have been examined before. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery 161, 2.*

Or, that such sufficient Cause be certified, by the Commissioners. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery 162.*

And there shall be a Proviso in the Order that the Party shall not see the former Examination in the mean Time. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery 162.*

[The Court will sometimes grant a new Commission after Publication is passed, and the Cause set down, if the former Commission was closed long before its Expiration, and without the Knowledge of one of the Parties. *Barnsly v. Powell, M. 1747.* *3 Atkyns 593.*]

After Publication, a new Witness shall not be examined though he was sworn before. *Vide Rules and Orders of Chancery 104.* *Vide Practical Register in Chancery 164.*

But an Examination after Publication, is in the Discretion of the Court, who ordered it after Publication, and Hearing of the Cause and a Trial at Law directed, where the Witness was of the Age of eighty Years, and could not come to the Trial, and a Freehold given to charitable Uses, which is not properly triable at Law, was concerned. *Ca. Cb. 229.*

And if the Court allows an Examination after Publication, upon the usual Affidavit, the other Party may examine other Witnesses, and also cross-examine those produced by the adverse Party. *1 Ver. 253.*

[If on the Hearing Defendant is ordered to be examined on Interrogatories touching a Deed supposed to be in his Custody, which on Examination he denies, there shall no Commission be granted to examine Witnesses (Publication being passed) tho' the Master certifies that he thinks it reasonable. *Smith v. Turner, H. 1735.* *3 P. W. 413.*]

After Publication a Witness before examined shall not be admitted to explain his Deposition. *1 Ver. 125.*

After Publication, the Party may have his Depositions exemplified. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery 141.*

But the Master shall not sign any Exemplification, till the Original be produced before him. *Ord. per Cla. Rules and Orders in Chancery 118.* *Vide Practical Register in Chancery 138, 9.*

[If a Bill sets forth, that there was heretofore a Bill preferred by another against the present Defendant's Father, who answered, and Depositions taken, and refers thereto. This Suit abated by Death before Hearing; these Depositions shall not now be published to be used in the present Cause, tho' on the Defendant's Motion, notwithstanding Plaintiff's setting forth in his Bill. *Johns v. Stafford, in Sc. M. 1719.* *Bunb. 50.*]

(R) Examination in perpetuam Rei Memoriam.

HE who would examine Witnesses in perpetuam Rei Memoriam, must exhibit his Bill, and thereby shew his Title, and the Antiquity of his Witnesses, and

and then pray a Commission to examine them, and a *Subpoena* against the Party concerned, to shew Cause to the contrary if he can. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 31.

If the Defendant shews Cause to the contrary within fourteen Days, the Plaintiff shall not proceed. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 32.

If he does not shew Cause, the Plaintiff shall proceed to the Examination of Witnesses; and the Court will give Articles for the Examination. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 32.

* *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 35. Cont. as to the Articles.

[A Man may bring a Bill to perpetuate Testimony, where he cannot bring a Bill for Relief without waving the Penalty. *E. Suffolk v. Green*, T. 1739. 1 *Atkyns* 450.]

[Plaintiff is intitled to perpetuate Testimony on an usurious Contract, tho' he does not offer to pay what is really due. *Ibid.*]

But if the Plaintiff prays Relief, his Bill shall be dismissed. 2 *Vent.* 366.

Yet he may examine Witnesses to prove a Promise, &c. which is to be performed after the Death of A. R. 1 *Roll.* 383. C.

This Bill lies to prove a *Modus decimandi*. 1 *Ver.* 185.

But such Bill to prove a Right to a Common, Way, &c. before a Trial, will be dismissed. 1 *Ver.* 308, 312.

Or, to prove a Will against a Purchaser without Notice. R. upon a Plea, 1 *Ver.* 354.

Or, to examine Witnesses, where there is no Impediment to a Trial at Law. R. upon a Demurrer. 1 *Ver.* 441.

[Tenant in Tail out of Possession cannot bring Bill to perpetuate Testimony, till he has recovered Possession by Ejectment; and Demurrer for this Cause would be allowed. *Brandlyn v. Ord*, M. 1738. 1 *Atkyns* 571.]

So a Bill by the Devisee of a Person, now a Lunatick, to prove in *perpetuam Rei Memoriam*, will be dismissed. 1 *Ver.* 106.

The Witnesses may be examined by an Examiner of the Court. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 36.

Or the Court may appoint Commissioners, in which the Defendant may join, if he pleases. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 34.

And fourteen Days Notice ought to be given of the Execution of the Commission. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 34.

In the *Exchequer*, if the Defendant does not appear being served with Process, but is in Contempt, the Plaintiff upon Motion, shall have a Commission to examine Witnesses *de bene esse*. *Rules and Orders in Exchequer* 13. Rule 34.

If the Defendant appears, he may join in the Commission, if he will, and cross-examine the Witnesses, if he gives the Names of Commissioners, within four Days after the Order for a Commission. *Rules and Orders in Exchequer* 13. Rule 34.

If the Defendant afterwards makes Answer, the Plaintiff shall reply, and examine *de novo* the Witnesses before examined who are alive, and upon the Return of the Commission there shall be Publication of the Depositions thereby taken, with the Depositions of the Witnesses before examined, who were dead before the second Commission. *Rules and Orders in Exchequer* 13. Rule 34.

In *Chancery*, no Witnesses shall be examined, but the aged, or impotent. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 31.

[A Witness, tho' neither old nor infirm, may be examined before Answer, on Affidavit that he alone is privy to the Forgery of a Deed. *Shirley v. Earl Ferrers*. M. 1733. 3 *P. W.* 77.]

And if the Defendant shews good Exceptions against a Witness, or other Cause for the Staying of the Proceeding, the Commissioners ought not to proceed, but to certify such Matter with the Commission. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 32.

And the Commissioners ought to certify whether the Defendant appears, or not. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 32.

Whether there was an Affidavit before them of Notice given of the Time and Place of the Execution. *Ibid.*

The Depositions shall not be read during the Life of the Witness, without Consent, or Order of Court. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 35.

And

And such Order shall be upon *Affidavit*, that the Plaintiff is to have a Trial, to which the Witnesses cannot come. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery 35.*

[Plaintiff shall not have leave to examine Witnesses *de bene esse*, because they are going to the *East-Indies*, if they are his Servants, and he might keep them at Home. *East-India Company v. Naish, M. 1732. Bunb. 320.*]

And if the Court allows the Use of the Depositions, a Master shall open the Commission and consider them, and then the Plaintiff if he will, may exemplify them, and by Order of Court, give them in Evidence in another Court, *Vide Practical Register in Chancery 35, 6.*

And after such Publication the Defendant shall not examine any Witness concerning the same Matter. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery 33, 4.*

These Depositions shall not be allowed in Evidence, but only against the Defendant who had Notice, his Heirs or Assigns. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery 33.*

Or, against one, who claims an Interest under the Defendant since the Bill exhibited. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery 36, 7.*

(S) Cause set down for hearing.

[AFTER Publication, and the Cause set down, the Bill may be amended by adding Parties; but no new Charge, nor a material Fact put in Issue, but a supplemental Bill must be brought. *Goodwin v. Goodwin, T. 1746. 3 Atkyns 370.*]

After all the Witnesses examined and Publication passed, the Client, or Solicitor ought to attend the Six-Clerk for six Days before the End of the Term, and inform him of the State, and Circumstances of the Cause. *Ord. per Cla. Rules and Orders of Chancery 110. Vide Practical Register in Chancery 186.*

And the Six-Clerk shall procure the Cause to be set down for Hearing with the Register, and shall be prepared to inform the Lord Chancellor, or the Master of the Rolls, &c. of the Nature of the Cause, at the Time of setting down Causes. *Ord. per Cla. Rules and Orders of Chancery 110, 111. Vide Practical Register in Chancery 187.*

[No Fee shall be paid to the Six-Clerk, or Register, or other Person for the setting down, or preferring any Cause, except their Term Fees, if they are in Arrear, *Ord. per Cla. Rules and Orders of Chancery 111. Vide Practical Register in Chancery 187.*

And the Arrearages of such Fees are Cause for stopping the Hearing of the Cause, when it is called on in Court, 'till they are paid. *Ord. per Cla. Rules and Order of Chancery 111. Vide Practical Register in Chancery 187, 8.*

The Causes shall be set down according to the Order and Antiquity of the Publication. *Vide Rules and Orders of Chancery 110. Vide Practical Register in Chancery 186.*

But none shall be set down in the same Term, when Publication passes. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery 185.*

Nor before Certificate of the Six-Clerk, that all Pleadings are filed. *Ord. 29 July, 1 W. & M. Rules and Orders of Chancery 185. Vide Practical Register in Chancery 188.*

So, in the *Exchequer*, no Cause shall be set down before Publication, without special Order. *Rules and Orders in Exchequer 11. Rule 27.*

After Publication, every Cause shall be set down in the next Term, except in *London*, or within sixty Miles of it; in which, if the Replication was filed in *Trinity*, or *Hilary* Term, and Publication passed the first Week of *Michaelmas*, or *Easter* Term, the Cause may be set down to be heard the last Day of Causes in *Michaelmas*, or *Easter* Term. *Rules and Orders in Exchequer 11. Rule 27.*

In *Chancery* the *Subpœna ad audiendum Judicium* shall be returned six or seven Days before the Day of Hearing of the Cause; and the Day of Hearing shall be indorsed upon it. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery 349.*—In the *Exchequer*, it shall be served ten Days before the Hearing, in *London*, or within sixty

Miles of it, and fourteen Days in Places more remote. *Rules and Orders in Exchequer* 11. *Rule* 28.

But in *Chancery*, the Hearing being appointed in the Beginning of a Term, when six or seven Days cannot precede, so much Time is not necessary. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 349.

And in the *Exchequer*, in *Trinity* Term ten Days Notice is sufficient in Places above sixty Miles from *London*. *Rules and Orders in Exchequer* 11. *Rule* 28.

(T) Hearing of the Cause.

(T. 1.) When the Defendant does not appear.

WHEN a Cause is heard upon Bill and Answer, *Vide ante*, (M.)

If at the Time of the Hearing the Defendant does not appear, tho' Process appears to have been duly served, his Answer shall be read; but the Decree shall not be absolute against him, tho' there is Cause for a Decree for the Plaintiff. *Ord. per Cla. Rules and Orders of Chancery* 111. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 190.

But the Register shall say, *That the Court, for such and such Causes so decrees, if the Defendant does not pay the Costs assessed to the Plaintiff, or his Attorney, and by such a Time shew good Cause to the contrary.* *Ord. per Cla. Rules and Orders of Chancery* 112. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 191.

And the Defendant shall not be admitted then to shew Cause, without a Certificate from the Plaintiff's Attorney of the Payment of the Costs, or an *Affidavit* of Tender and Refusal. *Ord. per Cla. Rules and Orders of Chancery* 112. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 191.

And if the Court, at the Time allowed for Cause, confirms the Decree, the Defendant shall pay full Costs.

So in the *Exchequer*, if a Defendant served *ad audiendum Judicium*, makes Default, whereby there is a Decree against him *nisi*, &c. he shall not afterwards be heard to shew Cause, 'till he pays 5*l.* Costs to the Plaintiff or his Attorney. *Rules and Orders in Exchequer* 12. *Rule* 29.

[If Defendant by his Answer denies the whole Equity of the Bill, and the Answer is reported insufficient, and Defendant duly served makes no further Answer, the Bill shall be taken *pro confesso*. *Semb. Davis v. Davis*, *H.* 1739. 2 *Atkyns* 21.]

[If one Defendant does not appear, and the whole Line of Process goes against him, it is equal to proceeding to Outlawry at Law, and there may be a Decree against the other Defendants who appear. *Vanessen v. South-sea Company*, *H.* 1749. 1 *Kexey* 395.]

[The Court will not declare a Will well proved against an Heir at Law Defendant, tho' he makes Default, unless the Proofs are read, *Webb v. Litcot*, *H.* 1743. 3 *Atkyns* 25.]

(T. 2.) When the Plaintiff does not appear.

If, at the Time of the Hearing, the Plaintiff does not appear, the Defendant shall be dismissed with Costs to be taxed by a Master. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 190.

[As long as Depositions are in being, Defendant cannot move to dismiss for Plaintiff's Delay, but must set down the Cause to be heard *ad requisit. defendantis*. But if he suppress Depositions on Plaintiff's Delay, he may move to dismiss for want of Prosecution. *Anon. in Sc. T.* 1718. *Bunb.* 23.]

[If a Commission has been taken out to examine Witnesses, but nothing done upon it, but Publication is past, the Defendant cannot move to have the Bill dismissed, but the Cause must be set down, and if the Bill is dismissed at Hearing, he has his full Costs. *Skip v Warner*, *T.* 1747. 3 *Atkyns* 558.]

When the Plaintiff's Bill is dismissed of Course, or by Order for want of Prosecution, it shall not be afterwards retained, without Motion, and a Certificate

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cate of the Payment of the Costs, from the Defendant's Attorney. *Ord. per Cla. Rules and Orders of Chancery* 118. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 146.

So in the *Exchequer*, if the Defendant is served and appears, and the Plaintiff does not attend, the Cause shall be put out of the Paper, and the Plaintiff shall pay 5 *l.* Costs; and if the Defendant puts the Cause into the Paper to be heard the next Term, *ad requisitionem Defendantis*, (as he may do) the Plaintiff shall not be heard till he has paid the 5 *l.* Costs. *Rules and Orders in Exchequer* 12. *Rule* 29.

(T. 3.) When there are not Parties.

There ought to be proper Parties to the Bill. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 261, &c. *Vide Ante*, (E. 2.)

But if a proper Party is beyond Sea, upon an *Affidavit*, that it is not known, whether he be dead or alive, the Plaintiff shall have a Decree against the other Defendants, without Prejudice. *1 Ver.* 487.

[A Cause for an Account and Distribution of personal Estate may be heard, when a Defendant who is Abroad, has not been served, nor answered. *Rogers v. Linton*, T. 1725. *Bunb.* 200.]

[A Bill is never dismissed for want of Parties, but stands over on paying Costs of the Day; and decrees dismissing Bills for want of Parties have been reversed for that Reason. *Anon*, M. 1737. *2 Atkyns* 15.]

[If a Bill is brought to redeem against the Representatives of *mesne* Purchaser without Notice, and against *puisne* Purchaser with Notice, and Plaintiff does not reply to the Answer of the *mesne* Purchaser's Representatives, there are not proper Parties before the Court. *Lowther v. Carlton*, H. 1740. *2 Atkyns* 139.]

[If a Bill is brought against one Partner for a joint Demand, the other being not amenable because out of the Kingdom, the Partner before the Court shall be decreed to pay the whole Debt. *Darwent v. Walton*, H. 1742. *2 Atkyns* 510.]

[If a Cause stands over for want of some proper Defendants, you cannot proceed against any other Defendant, without dismissing the Bill as to those who are improperly before the Court. *Wicks v. Marshal*, M. 1746. *3 Atkyns* 400.]

(T. 4.) What Evidence shall be admitted upon the Hearing.

At the Time of the Hearing, after the Bill and Answer are opened by the Counsel, the Court proceeds to the Proof. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 189, 190. (T. 4.) Depositions in the same, or a cross Cause.

The usual Proof is reading the Depositions made in the same Cause. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 152.

Depositions in Cross Causes, between the same Parties, heard at the same Time, shall be allowed upon both Causes without Motion.*—So, in the *Exchequer*. *Vide Rules and Orders in Exchequer* 11. *Rule* 26. * *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 152. (By Order.)

Allowed, upon Motion. *Ca. Ch.* 236.

But, when the Allowance was ordered upon the Motion of the Defendant, after Publication in the first Cause, and before Publication in the second Cause, whether the Depositions for Proof of an Agreement, not alledged by the Answer of the Defendant in the first Cause, but alledged by his Bill in the second Cause, shall be admitted, *Dub. Ca. Ch.* 236.

[If the Point in issue in the cross Cause, was not in issue in the original Cause, the Depositions in the original Cause cannot be read in the cross Cause. *Christian v. Wrenn*, M. 1732. *Bunb.* 321.]

[Depositions in a cross Cause, brought after a Decree pronounced in the original Cause, cannot be read touching the Matters in issue in the original Cause, but may as to Matters not in issue in the original Cause. *Wilford v. Beaseley*, P. 1747. *3 Atkyns* 501.]

[Tho' Depositions taken *de bene esse* are irregular, they cannot be objected to at the Hearing; you should move to discharge the Order for Publication. *Dean of Ely v. Warren*, T. 1741. *2 Atkyns* 189.]

[Depositions

[Depositions *de bene esse* shall be published, where it is morally impossible to examine the Witnesses in chief; as if a Commission has issued to examine in Sweden, the King whereof has refused to let it be executed, the Commission is come back, and the King of Sweden has ordered a *publick* Examination before his own Judges. *Gason v. Wordsworth*, T. 1751. 2 *Vezey* 325, 336.]

[Depositions *de bene esse*, taken many Years before, may be published with Depositions in a supplemental Cause, on Affidavit that some of the Witnesses are dead, and that nothing can be learned of the others on Enquiry: But without Prejudice to Exceptions. *Anon* T. 1754. 2 *Vezey* 496.]

But no Witness shall be examined *viva voce* at the Hearing, without an Order before the Hearing of the Cause. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 154. *Vide Rules and Orders in Exchequer* 10. Rule 23.

[Witnesses are never allowed to be examined at large *viva voce*, at the Hearing. *Graves v. Budgell*, P. 1737. 1 *Atkyns* 444.]

[*Viva voce* Examinations are allowed sparingly, and only after Publication where Doubts have appeared in their Depositions, to clear such Doubts and inform the Court. *Ibid.*]

[At most, only to prove Exhibits, not to let in other Examinations; and this at the Instance of the Party to use the Exhibits, but never of the contrary Party. *Ibid.*]

If the Plaintiff after Examination of Witnesses, withdraws his Replication, takes Exceptions to the Answer, and replies to a new Answer, and upon a Commission Witnesses are examined, the Depositions upon the former Commission shall be suppressed, if the Witnesses are not re-examined after the last Replication, or allowed by the Court, upon Motion, to be used at the Hearing of the Cause. *Pr. Cha.* 386.

[If the Cause is brought to Hearing, and stands over with Liberty to add a Party, if he is a material Defendant, and concerned in Interest, the Depositions taken before cannot be read against him. *Niblett v. Daniel*, M. 1731. *Bunb.* 310.]

[The Rules of Evidence in general are the same in Equity as at Law. *D. Manning v. Letchmere*, M. 1737. 1 *Atkyns* 453. *Man. v. Ward*, M. 1741. 2 *Atkyns* 228.]

[A Lease and Possession, and Payment of Rent under it, is a Presumption of Right in the Lessor; but if two Leases are set up, one cannot be read till Possession under it is proved. *Ibid.*]

[Receipts for Rent are not Evidence of Title in Lessor, unless the Payment is proved. *Ibid.*]

[Old Rentals, where Bailiffs admit Money received, are Evidence of Payment. *Ibid.*]

[A Bond or Mortgage is *prima facie* good Evidence, but if there are manifest Signs of Fraud in the Obligee, he shall be put to prove actual Payment. *Piddock v. Brown*, T. 1734. 3 *P. W.* 288.]

[It is a Motion of Course, that a Defendant for Form's Sake may be examined, saving just Exceptions. *Man v. Ward*, M. 1741. 2 *Atkyns* 228.]

[The Deposition of a Defendant against whom Plaintiff can give no Evidence, may be read for another Defendant. *Piddock v. Brown*, T. 1734. 3 *P. W.* 288.]

[The Deposition of a Defendant not interested may be read for another Defendant, and also for Plaintiff, tho' at Law Defendant cannot be examined for Plaintiff; But if Defendant may be liable for Costs it cannot be read. *Barret v. Gore*, M. 1746. 3 *Atkyns* 401.]

[So the Deposition of one Defendant charged with a Fraud, cannot be read for another Defendant, as it may tend to excuse him with Regard to his own Costs. *Eade v. Lingood*, P. 1747. 1 *Atkyns* 203.]

[The Evidence of a Co-defendant *particeps fraudis* and interested, shall not be read, tho' if only Attorney and Trustee it may. *Bridgman v. Green*, T. 1755. 2 *Vezey* 627.]

[Co-defendants may read against each other whatever is proved for Plaintiff. *Walker v. Preswick*, T. 1755. 2 *Vezey* 622.]

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[A mere nominal Trustee may be examined in Equity, tho' not at Law. *Man v. Ward*, M. 1741. 2 *Atkyns* 228.]

[An Executor in Trust is not a good Witness for his *cestuy que* Trust, tho' a bare Trustee is. *Croft v. Pyke*, P. 1733. 3 P. W. 180.]

[The Evidence of a Husband shall be admitted, tho' his Wife is a Defendant, if the Interest of a third Person is concerned. *Cotton v. Lutterel*, T. 1738. 1 *Atk.* 451.]

[The Deposition of the Wife of the *Prochein amy* of Plaintiff *Feme covert*, cannot be read for Plaintiff. *Head v. Head*, P. 1747. 3 *Atkyns* 511. T. 1747. 3 *Atkyns* 547.]

[If a Plaintiff executor examines his Son, and dies, leaving his Son Executor, who also takes out Administration *de bonis non* of the original Testator, and he revives, yet his Deposition in the original Cause may be read. *Haws v. Hand*, T. 1743. 2 *Atkyns* 615.]

[If a Creditor brings Bill against an Executor for an Account of *Assets*, the Evidence of a Co-executor, tending to increase Testator's Estate, cannot be read, for he has an Interest. *Mabank v. Metcalf*, T. 1744. 3 *Atkyns* 95.]

[The Evidence of one having an Interest cannot be read, tho' he is satisfied, unless a Release is produced. *Anon.* M. 1737. 2 *Atkyns* 15.]

[If there is an Agreement in Writing between A. and B. the Steward of C. for Sale of A.'s Estate to C. but the Covenant by B. and he bound in Penalty for the Performance, and A. brings Bill against B. and C. charging there was a Deafeazance prepared, but the Execution prevented by B.—B.'s Deposition cannot be read for C. especially if B. has examined Witnesses. *Dixon v. Parker*, H. 1750. 2 *Vezey* 219.]

[Depositions to prove that Plaintiff (who sues for Dower) had acknowledged a Bond to be given in lieu of Dower, tho' it does not appear on the Face of it, cannot be read. *Finney v. Finney*, M. 17 G. 2. *Wilf.* 34.]

[If a Person joins fraudulently in granting an Estate without the usual Covenants, but only that he has done no Act to incumber, his Deposition may be read to impeach his Title to the Estate, and to shew it was done to carry on the Fraud. *Man v. Ward*, M. 1741. 2 *Atkyns* 228.]

[The Evidence of a Witness is not invalidated by Reason of his tender Years, if it is of a Circumstance likely to make a great Impression on his Mind. *Smith v. French*, H. 1741. 2 *Atkyns* 243.]

[The Deposition of a Heathen Idolator, sworn according to their Ceremonies in the most usual and solemn Manner, may be read. R. on great Consideration, per *Hardwicke*, C. *Lee* C. J. *Willis* C. J. and *Parker* C. B. *Omychund v. Barker*, M. 1744. 1 *Atkyns* 21.]

[On an Appeal from the Rolls, the Appellant, on Petition, may be let in to read new Evidence not read there, provided he will give up his Deposit. *Hedges v. Cardonnel*, T. 1742. 2 *Atkyns* 408.]

[The Court will not enter upon a Determination of the constituting a Court of a foreign Nation, but will hear Evidence as to the Extent of it's Jurisdiction, and the Nature and Effect of the Proceedings and Sentence in it. *Gage v. Lady Stafford*, T. 1754. 2 *Vezey* 556.]

[A Decree, or Examinations of Witnesses in a former Cause between the same Parties, may be read as Evidence, tho' not conclusive, altho' thereby there is not an Opportunity of examining between Co-defendants. *Askew v. Poulterers Company*, M. 1750. 2 *Vezey* 89.] (T. 5.) In another Cause.

Depositions, in a former Cause in *Chancery*, admitted to be read, upon Motion, the same Matter being then under Examination, as now. *Ca. Ch.* 73, 175.

Tho' neither the Plaintiff, nor any under whom he claims, was Party to the former Cause. *R. Ca. Ch.* 73.—*Cont. at Law*, 2 *Rol.* 679. l. 35.

Tho' neither the Plaintiff, nor the Defendant, was then a Party. *Ca. Ch.* 73. *Cont.* 1 *Ver.* 431.

And tho' the former Cause was more than 30 Years past, and the Witnesses dead. *Ca. Ch.* 73.

So, Depositions in a Cause dismissed for want of Equity for Relief. *Ca. Ch.*

175.

So, Depositions for a Legatee against an Executor, to prove Assets, in a Bill brought by another Legatee for the same Intent. *1 Per. 413.*

[A Decree in a Former Cause wherein the then Lessee, and not the Improprator, was Plaintiff, and the then Tenants were Defendants, admitted as Evidence. *Bishop Lincoln v. Ellis, T. 1722. Bunb. 110.*]

[If, on a Bill brought by Devisees to establish a Will, the Heir at Law prevails to set it aside, he shall have the Benefit of the Depositions in that Cause, in another brought by him against a Purchaser before the Answers came in in the former. *Grubb v. Ward, P. 1741. 2 Atkyns 174.*]

And if the Plaintiff or Defendant obtains an Order for the Use of Depositions in another Cause, the adverse Party may use them, without Motion, unless he be inhibited by the same Order. *Ord. per. Cla. Rules and Orders of Chancery 109.*

[Depositions in a former Cause for a Modus, where the Improprator had not answered, nor the Vicar replied, cannot be read. *Baker v. Sweet, in Sa. M. 1721. Bunb. 91.*]

[A Decree (in a Tithe Cause) cannot be read unless proved to be touching the same Lands or Title. *Behson v. Olive, T. 1730. Bunb. 284.*]

[A Verdict between the same Parties, obtained since Issue joined in Equity, cannot be read, unless proved to be touching the same Lands. *Ibid.*]

But when the former Cause was dismissed for Irregularity, the Depositions therein can never be admitted in another Cause for the same Matter; for the former Cause never was regularly in Court. *R. Ca. Ch. 175.*

So a Bill exhibited by the Defendant against the Plaintiff at another Time, shall be read, upon Proof, that it was exhibited with his Privity. *Ca. Ch. 65.*

[In a Cause against a Bankrupt and another, the Plaintiff cannot read the examination of that other before the Commissioners under the Bankruptcy, unless it is proved in the Cause that such Examinations were taken before the Commissioners. *Eade v. Lingood, P. 1747. 1 Atkyns 203.*]

[The Examination of Defendant's Attorney before Commissioners of Bankruptcy to prove a Fraud, cannot be read, unless he has been examined in chief in the Cause. *Hamond v. Myers, H. 1746. 3 Atkyns 415.*]

[But the Examination of Defendant before Commissioners may be read, if he has set up a different Right by his Answer, to shew the Inconsistency. *Ibid.*]

[In the Exchequer, the Court will sometimes refuse to give Leave on Motion to read the Decree and Depositions in a former Cause, saving just Exceptions, tho' a Motion of Course in Chancery; for there, having only one Judge, he may disallow them if he sees just Exception; but here, having four Judges, if they should be equally divided in Opinion, they must then be read whatever Reason might be to the contrary, for no just Exception could appear. *Bishop Hereford v. Cooper, M. 1730. Bunb. 293.*]

(T. 6.)
The Defendant's Answer.

So the Answer of the Defendant may be read against him; but then the Whole may be read by the other Party.

So if a Defendant, being an Infant, answers by Guardian, and at full Age neither amends, or makes a new Answer, as he may do, but prays a Hearing of the Cause *de novo*, his Answer shall be Evidence against him. *Eq. R. 4.*

[If the Plaintiff is charged by an Answer, he must discharge himself by Proof, and cannot do it by reading the whole Answer. *Parteriche v. Powlet, T. 1742. 2 Atkyns 383.*]

[Defendant's Answer in another Cause may be read, to shew that a Deed in Question once existed. *Whitfield v. Fausset, H. 1749. 1 Vesty 387.*]

[The Answer of two Defendants, Arbitrators, may be read against a third Party to the Award. *Mullins v. Symonds, P. 1725. Bunb. 196.*]

[The Answer of a Defendant disclaiming all Right to an Estate, and not brought to Hearing, shall be read against another Defendant. *Hill v. Adams, P. 1740. 2 Atkyns 39.*]

[Defendant is not bound by an Admission of a Consequence in Law, or a Consequence in Equity, for the Court is Judge of it. *Pearce v. Grass*, T. 1747. 3 *Atkyns* 522.]

[If the Defendant by his Answer denies an Agreement, &c. it ought to be proved by two Witnesses, for one is not sufficient. 2 *Ca. Ch.* 8. 1 *Ver.* 161.]

[If Defendant's Answer is equally strong with the Deposition of one Witness, there can be no Decree against him, but if concurring Circumstances support the Deposition, there may. *Walton v. Hobbs*, M. 1739. 2 *Atkyns* 19. *Janson v. Rony*, H. 1740. 2 *Atkyns* 140. *Only v. Walker*, T. 1746. 3 *Atkyns* 467.]

[If the Denial of Defendant by his Answer is not clear, positive, and full to the Fact, the Court will decree on the Testimony of one Witness. *Le Neve v. Le Neve*, M. 1748. 3 *Atkyns* 646. 1 *Vezey* 64.]

[A Deed, mentioned in the Bill, to which the Defendant says, *He believes there is such a Deed*, shall not be read, without Proof; for the Confession does not admit more than is alledged by the Bill, and does not warrant the Reading of a Deed with like Clauses. R. 2 *Vent.* 161. (T. 7.) Deeds.]

[The Probate of a Will may not be read in case of a real Estate, tho' Defendant has admitted he believes there is such a Will; otherwise if his Admission had been full. *Mullins v. Pratt*, in Sc. T. 1716. *Bunb.* 6.]

[So a Deed proved upon a Commission against one Defendant only, shall not be admitted against the other Defendant. 2 *Vent.* 361.]

[A Deed 40 Years old, without Proof, or shewing where or how they came by it. *Benson v. Olive*, T. 1730. *Bunb.* 284.]

[But not a Deed of 35 Years old, in general, tho' sometimes. *Ibid.*]

[An ancient Copy of a Bargain and Sale inrolled at the Chapel of the Rolls, attested by five Witnesses, or even without Attestation, is good. *Harvey v. Philips*, B. 1743. 2 *Atkyns* 541.]

[If Defendant by Answer in another Cause has admitted that a Deed in question, a Release, once existed, and Defendant has the Lease belonging to this Release, Plaintiff may read the Draught of the Release, if well proved. *Whisfield v. Fausset*, H. 1749. 1 *Vezey* 387.]

[A Counterpart may be read, if the original Deed is lost; if no Counterpart, a Copy; if no Copy, parol Evidence how it was lost. *Villiers v. Villiers*, M. 1740. 2 *Atkyns* 71.]

[The Book of Impropriator's Predecessor admitted as Evidence of a Mortuary. *Anon.* in Sc. T. 1719. *Bunb.* 46.]

[Ministers Accounts tho' subsequent to 31 H. 8. may be read in a Tithe Cause. *Benson v. Olive*, T. 1730. *Bunb.* 284.]

[Entries in the Accounts of the Lord's Steward, admitted to prove a Modus to the Vicar, in Discharge against the Impropriator the Plaintiff. *Woodnoth v. Lord Cobham*, M. 1724. *Bunb.* 180.]

[A Bailiff's Accounts have been admitted as Evidence of Quit-rents. *Sed. 2.* as to a Lord of a Manor's Books. *Anon.* T. 1719. *Bunb.* 46.]

[That an Account may be Evidence of Quit-rents, it must appear to be a Bailiff's, and signed by him. *Franks v. Carry*, H. 1740. 2 *Atkyns* 140.]

[An Entry in a Man's Book of Accounts, may, on a Reference to a Master, be read, not as Evidence of the Debt, but of a Claim of it in the Life-time of the Deceased. *Lefebure v. Worden*, M. 1750. 2 *Vezey* 54.]

[Letters or Books of an Agent or Servant may be read if he is dead, otherwise not. *Peacock v. Monk*, H. 1750. 2 *Vezey* 190.]

[So a Feme covert having a separate Estate, and giving Bond, her Declarations may be read. *Ibid.*]

[An Inquisition of Lunacy, and other Inquisitions, may be read, but are not conclusive Evidence, for they may be traversed. *Sergeon v. Sealey*, M. 1742. 2 *Atkyns* 412.]

[The Customs of neighbouring Manors may be admitted to shew the Custom of the Manor in Question, in Mine Countries and Fen Countries, where there is a Similitude. *Dean of Ely v. Warren*, T. 1741. 2 *Atkyns* 189.]

[A Certificate of an original Agreement between Rector and Vicar, from the Abbot of a foreign Abbey, cannot be read, if it does not appear that it came out of

of the Charter-House of the Abbot, or that he is the proper Officer to keep the Records. *Carle v. Ball*, P. 1747. 3 *Atkyns* 496.]

[Items in a Partnership Account relating to the particular Interest of the Book-keeper, will not be supported. *Smith v. D. Chandos*, P. 1741. 2 *Atkyns* 139.]

[If a Bond, &c. has been delivered up to Plaintiff, he cannot read parol Evidence to the Contents of it, whether the Bill is to be relieved against it, or whether it comes in by way of collateral Evidence. *Cole v. Gibson*, T. 1750. 1 *Vezey* 303.]

[A List of Bank Notes in Testator's Hand-writing, some marked as received, others as not received, cannot be read in Evidence, tho' many Years have elapsed without any Demand on the unreceived Notes, which are supposed to be lost. *Glynn v. Bank of England*, M. 1750. 2 *Vezey* 38.]

[Exhibits proved *viva voce* at the Hearing, cannot be read where there is a Right to controvert, or to a Cross-examination. *E. Pomfret v. Ld. Windsor*, T. 1752. 2 *Vezey* 472.]

[A Deed may be proved *viva voce* at the Hearing, but not a Will. *Harris v. Ingledew*, H. 1730. 3 P. W. 91.]

[A Will of a real Estate shall not be proved as an Exhibit. *Niblett v. Daniel*, M. 1731. *Bunb.* 310.]

[The Court will order publick Books (as of a Manor Court) to be produced, in whatever Hands they are, but not private. *Anon.* T. 1754. 2 *Vezey* 578.]

[An Executor who was Counsel and drew the Draught of an Annuity, to set aside which a Bill is brought, shall be obliged to leave the Draught with his Clerk in Court, but not on Oath. *Stanhope v. Roberts*, M. 1741. 2 *Atkyns* 214.]

[A Corporation, as Trustees for a Charity, shall not be obliged to produce their Books relating to the Trust, tho' they submitted by their Answer to produce as the Court should direct. *Attorney-general v. City of Coventry*, M. 1730. *Bunb.* 290.]

[If Defendant's Witness proves a Deed, and refers to it, yet Plaintiff cannot compel him to produce it. *Hodson v. E. Warrington*, H. 1729. 3 P. W. 35.]

(V) Interlocutory Orders.

THE Orders made by the Court upon Hearing are Interlocutory, or Final and Decretal. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 253.

The Interlocutory, (which comprehend all Orders made by the Court before the Decree) shall not be explained by Petition, but by Motion upon Notice to the other Party. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 255.

[An Interlocutory Order, or even a Decree, if gained by Collusion, may be set aside on Petition. *Sheldon v. Fortescue* A. P. 1731. 3 P. W. 104.]

[An Order on a Petition made on hearing Counsel on both Sides, is not discharged on Motion; on a Petition *ex parte*, it is. *Bishop v. Willis*, M. 1750. 2 *Vezey* 113.]

[The Court can make an Order in the Nature of a Decree, on Motion or Petition, with Consent of all Parties, but not for Sale, or Mortgage of a Term, to be a Charge on the Inheritance of an Infant Plaintiff. *Beard v. E. Powis*, T. 1751. 2 *Vez.* 399.]

[Yet on Plaintiffs affirming their Consent to a Petition, (tho' the Cause is abated by the Infant Plaintiff's Marriage with Defendant, and not revived) the Court will declare it will not restrain Trustees from raising and paying. *Ibid.*]

An Order made without Mention of a former Order, concerning the same Matter, is surreptitious, and shall not be used. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 256.

Nor shall it be entred after the 8th Day from the pronouncing it, exclusive. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 256. *Vide*, for the Entry, *Ante*, (B. 6.)

The Consent of the Solicitor to an Interlocutory Order is sufficient. *Ca. Ch.* 86.

In the *Exchequer*, after Judgment upon an Hearing, or Rule upon a Motion pronounced, the Minutes ought to be repeated openly in Court, before the Hearing of another Cause, or Motion, to the Intent, that any Mistake may be rectified. *Rules and Orders in Exchequer* 12. Rule 30.

[An Order that a Cause shall stand over indefinitely, does not imply, that it is put off only to next Term. *P. 1737. 2 Atkyns 2.*]

[If there is a Variation between the original Will and the Probate, the Cause must stand over, and the Parties may apply to the Spiritual Court for Amendment. *Marsh v. Howe, T. 1740. 2 Atkyns 50.*]

[The Court never orders any Thing to be pulled down on Motion, rarely on Decree. *Ryder v. Bentham, T. 1750. 1 Vezey 543.*]

(W. 1.) Reference to a Master.

WHEN the Court would be informed of any Fact, it is usually referred to a Master; as, to examine the Sufficiency of an Answer. *Vide Rules and Orders in Chancery* 119. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery*, 305, 6.

To take Accounts. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 305.

[A Party may have the Affidavit of his own Solicitor referred for Impertinence. *Phillips v. Phillips, M. 1746. 3 Atkyns 391.*]

[If Defendant pleads a Decree of Dismission of a former Cause for the same Matters, in Bar to Plaintiff's Demand on his new Bill, if Plaintiff does not apply to refer to a Master to state whether there is such Decree, but sets down the Cause for Hearing, it is a Waiver of his Right of Application for such Reference, and the Court will determine it. *Morgan v. Morgan, H. 1738. 1 Atk. 53.*]

[The Court will not make an Order for a Master to admit Depositions in a former Cause between the same Parties to be read, for he may judge if they are proper, and if he is mistaken, you may except. *Anon. T. 1747. 3 Atk. 524.*]

[Reservation of further Directions does not reserve Interest which ought to be expressly directed by the Decree to be reserved; but after Direction of Trial at Law, Reservation of general Directions includes Costs, Interest, &c. *Champ. v. Moody, T. 1752. 2 Vezey 470.*]

But a Reference of the State of the Case is not frequent, without Consent of the Parties. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 306.

Nor a Reference to determine the Cause, except where the Parties are poor, or of kin, or do consent. *Ibid.*

Nor a Reference to take Accounts, 'till the Hearing of the Cause. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 307, 309.

A Reference to examine Court Rolls is made to two Masters. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 307.

[The Court will compel Witnesses (tho' Strangers) to attend. *Shorter v. Scortin, T. 10. G. Bunb. 169.*]

[A Party once examined may be examined again on new Interrogatories to the same Matter without an Order, the Master being Judge; but a Witness may not, without Order. *Cowslade v. Cornish, P. 1751. 2 Vezey 270.*]

[A Master may proceed *ex parte* without Order, if the other Party does not attend. *Ex parte Bax, T. 1751. 2 Vezey 388.*]

(W. 2.) Report.

The Report or Certificate of the Master ought to be succinct and plain, without Recital of all the Points of the Order of Reference, or the Debates of the Counsel, upon which it was founded. *Ord. per Cla. Rules and Orders of Chancery* 118. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 320.

The Master usually delivers his Opinion in the Report, if the Case be not difficult. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 319.

And if it be difficult, he shall make a special Report; but that shall not be upon the Importunity of Counsel, but only when the Court, or the Intricacy of the Case, in his Judgment, requires it. *Ord. per Cla. Rules and Orders of Chancery* 118. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 319, 320.

[Masters special Reports shall not set forth the Evidence and their Opinion on it, but only state the bare Matter of Fact. *Diff. Marlbnol v. Wheat, H. 1736. 1 Atkyns 454.*]

The Report ought not to exceed the Order of Reference. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery 320.*

[Under a Decree to account, the Master may state *special Matter*, tho' there is no Direction so to do. *Anon. T. 1743. 2 Atkyns 621.*]

It shall be made upon Consideration of the whole Answer, or Matter referred, that thereby the Court may be fully informed. *Ord. per Cla. Rules and Orders of Chancery 119. Vide Practical Register in Chancery 320.*

As, if it be referred, whether such a Thing be confessed or alledged by the Answer, the Master shall also consider, how such Confession is balanced, or avoided, by another Part of the Answer. *Ord. per Cla. Rules and Orders of Chancery 119. Vide Practical Register in Chancery 320.*

After the Report is made, it shall be filed with the Register, under the Hand of the Master, and then confirmed by the Court, unless Cause is shewn to the contrary, within seven Days, by the other Side. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery 323.*

If Cause is not shewn, it shall be confirmed absolutely.

[If a Report is confirmed *nisi*, and by the Register's Minutes at a subsequent Seal in the same Cause, it is taken down *Order absolute*; but never entred; the Court will not order it to be entred *nunc pro tunc*, unless on recent Application, on a Motion of Course; after Length of Time there must be Notice. *Anon. T. 1747. 3 Atkyns 521.*]

Yet a Report, being positive, and not to ground a Decree, shall be of Force, and Process shall be awarded immediately for the Performance, unless the other Party, upon Notice, files Exceptions to it with the Register within 8 Days in Term-time, or in the Seals, or if it be after the Seals, within 4 Days of the next Term. *Ord. per Cla. Rules and Orders of Chancery 120. Vide Practical Register in Chancery 323.*

By Order 29 Oct. 4. *W. & M.* Reports shall be filed with the Register, within 4 Days after Signing, who shall indorse the Day of filing; and all Proceedings thereon before filing shall be void. *Rules and Orders of Chancery 189. Vide Practical Register in Chancery 321.*

In the *Exchequer*, a Report ought to be delivered six Days before the Time fixt for the Hearing of the Cause, to the Clerk in the Cause, who shall forthwith give Notice thereof to the Clerk on the other Side. *Rules and Orders in Exchequer 14. Rule 36.*

(W. 3.) Exceptions to the Report.

If Exceptions are taken to the Report, they ought to be filed with the Register within 8 Days after the Report filed, if it be within the Term, or the Seals. *Vide Rules and Orders of Chancery 120. Vide Practical Register in Chancery 323.*—In the *Exchequer*, two Days before the Hearing of the Cause. *Rules and Orders in Exchequer 14. Rule 36.*

If in the Vacation, within 4 Days of the next Term. *Vide Rules and Orders of Chancery 120. Vide Practical Register in Chancery 323.*

* Marginal Note of Clar. Ord. is 5 l. and so is Practical Register in Chancery 169,

And he, who files the Exceptions, shall deposit 40 s. * with the Register, to be paid to the other Party, with other Costs as the Court shall think proper, if they are disallowed. *Ord. per Cla. Rules and Orders of Chancery 120.*

If they are allowed, the 40 s. * shall be returned. *Ord. per Cla. Rules and Orders of Chancery 120, 1.*

So, if any one Exception is allowed, as, when the Master reports an Answer insufficient in several Particulars, and the Exceptant prevails in some Particular, which is not insufficient in it, the 40 s. shall be returned. *Per Cowper, H. 4 Anne.*

But by Rule 12. Feb. 1670. The Exceptant shall pay 10 s. over the 40 s. for every Exception, or distinct Part of an Exception over-ruled. Confirmed by Rule 30 Apr. 2 J. 2. *Rules and Orders of Chancery 142, 168.*

And

And by Order 17 January, 1 W. & M. Tho' the Exception be waived; and if the Exception is declared to be frivolous and impertinent, he shall pay for it 20s. *Rules and Orders of Chancery* 186. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 169.

The Register shall enter the Exceptions in Course, to be determined by the Court. *Ord. per Cla. Vide Rules and Orders of Chancery* 120. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 325.

And the Paper of the Day shall be set up by the Register in his Office for two Days before. *Ord. per Cla. Rules and Orders of Chancery* 120. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 325, 6.

And Notice of the Day shall be given, by the Exceptant, to the other Party. *Ord. per Cla. Rules and Orders of Chancery* 120. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 325.

[If a Bill is referred for Impertinence, and the Master reports it Pertinent, the Defendant may except generally, and go upon it without pointing out the particular Impertinence by the Exception. *Mackworth v. Briggs*, P. 1741. 2 *Atkyns* 182.]

[No Matter not objected to before the Master, shall be gone into. *Huse v. Lawes*, in Sc. M. 1721. *Bunb.* 93. *Ex parte Bax*, T. 1751. 2 *Vezey* 388.]

[If a Master varies his Report on Objections, the Party may take Exceptions without other Objections. *Ex parte Bax*, T. 1751. 2 *Vezey* 388.]

[A Party may obtain Leave to file an Exception, tho' the Master was attended by his Solicitor, who made no Objection, and tho' Conveyances have been drawn and executed in consequence of the Master's Approbation in his Report. *Baskerville v. Baskerville*, H. 1741. 2 *Atkyns* 279.]

[If the Error in the Master's Report is owing to the Exceptant's not laying a material Evidence before him, the Court will not order him to review his Report, but on the Exceptant's giving up his Deposit. *Hodges v. Cardonel*, T. 1742. 2 *Atkyns* 408.]

[After Exceptions argued, and the Report confirmed, the Court will not order the Master to review his Report; but Errors in Computation merely, may be set Right at any Time. *Hawkins v. Day*, M. 1748. 1 *Vezey* 189.]

[If a Report is confirmed without Exception or Objection, the Court will not open it on a Point of Form, if material Justice is done; tho' a Lunatick is interested. *E. Bath v. E. Bradford*, T. 1754. 2 *Vezey* 587.]

(W. 4.) Final References.

Sometimes the Court refers a Cause to a Master, or others, to be determined by their Award. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 306.

But such Reference is made by the Consent of all Parties. *Ca. Ch.* 86.

And the Consent of the Solicitor is not sufficient. *R. Ca. Ch.* 86, 7.

Nor is it sufficient, that any Party attends upon the Reference, unless he does actually consent. *Ca. Ch.* 87.

But the Solicitor, who consents, shall not pay Costs, tho' the Award was made upon his Consent, and afterwards reversed for that Reason; for his Consent was void, and it was the Folly of the other Side to proceed upon it. *Ibid.*

And tho' such an Award be afterwards affirmed by a Decree, it shall be reversed upon a Review, if it does not appear to have been made by the Consent of all Parties. *R. Ca. Ch.* 86, 7.

So, if the Award be only of Part of the Matters referred. *R. Ca. Ch.* 87.

Or, impossible, or repugnant. *R. Ca. Ch.* 87.

(X.) Trial by Common Law.

SOMETIMES the Court refers the Matter to a Trial by the Common Law, upon an Issue by them directed. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 223.

As, if it be doubtful, whether the Plaintiff, who sues as Administratrix to her Husband, has her Husband living, or not. *R. Ca. Ch.* 50.

[If a Man and Woman deny their Marriage by their Answer, it shall be left to a Jury. *Revel v. Fox*, P. 1751. 2 *Vezey* 269.]

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In a Bill for a Legacy, &c. if the Defendant controverts the Will, it ought not to be established by a Decree, before a Trial at Law of the Validity of the Will. *R. inter Cook and Parsons, 6 Feb. 13 W. 3. and a Decree per Finch Cont. reversed. R. Eq. Ca. 90.**

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2 Mod. Ca.

[On an Issue directed to try the Validity of a Will, the Court may give special Directions to know, if the Jury finds against it, whether it is for Forgery or Defect in the Execution. *Barnsley v. Powell, T. 1748. 1 Vezey 119.*]

Or, if it is doubtful, whether a prior Mortgage is executed, or satisfied. *Eq. Ca. 39.**

So, if a Fact be controverted, a Trial is usually directed; as, whether there is such a Custom, Prescription, &c. *Vide 1 Ver. 489.*

[Granted on a Bill against a Judgment by Default, on a South-Sea Contract, to try if Defendant was possessed of Stock. *Anstruther v. Christie, T. 1724. Bunb. 178.*]

[On a Bill for Tithe of Fish by Custom, tho' there was a former Decree establishing the Custom, signed by 130 Parishioners, and no Evidence by Defendants against it. *Gweaves v. Kelyhax, T. 1727. Bunb. 239.*]

[The Court may direct an Issue to try a Modus, tho' the Evidence varies a little from the Bill. *Laitkes v. Christian, M. 1734. Bunb. 340.*]

[If on a Bill for Tithes a Modus is set up, and it is admitted by the Parson, that there have been such customary Payments Time immemorial, but he insists the Modus is void, as unreasonable, uncertain, &c. the Court will not over-rule the Modus without directing an Issue. *Hardcastle v. Smithson, T. 1745. 3 Atkyns 245.*]

[The Court will order a Trial on Motion, if it is agreed that the Point must be tried, as, whether Defendant has a Right to build, whereby Plaintiff's Lights are obstructed. *Ryder v. Bentham, T. 1750. 1 Vezey 543.*]

Whether a Judgment, Bond, Debt, &c. be satisfied. *Ch. R. 3.*

So the Court sometimes directs a Trial of a Fact, which gives a Right, tho' it was in Issue before, upon a Commission to examine Witnesses. *2 Ca. Ch. 3.*

So, if the Question in Issue be, whether there was an Agreement, the Court may direct a Trial thereupon, whether the Agreement was waived. *R. 2 Ca. Ch. 46.*

So there shall not be a Decree to bind the Inheritance generally, without two Trials, if the Parties desire it. *Vide 1 Ver. 293.*

So, if the Matter be of Value, a second Trial shall be directed. *R. 2 Ver. 75.*

[There must be an original Motion for a new Trial, for the Court will not answer a Petition for it when the Cause comes on, upon the Equity reserved. *Attorney-general v. Montgomery, T. 1742. 2 Atkyns 378.*]

[New Trial will not be granted, unless the Application be recent, even tho' the Equity reserved has not been set down sooner, for the Party wanting it should have set it down. *Legard v. Daly, H 1748. 1 Vezey 192.*]

[After Issue directed, and Trial had, the Court will not direct a new Trial, because the Verdict gives Defendant more than he claimed by his Answer, nor on pretence of Surprise, if Plaintiff opposed putting off the Trial, nor because one of the Plaintiffs is an Infant, nor because one of Defendant's Ancestors was attainted (which gives Right to the King but not to Plaintiff) tho' the Thing in Dispute is Land of great Value. *Ibid.*]

[If there have been two Trials, the last at Bar, the Court will suffer that to prevail, and not grant a new Trial. *Attorney-general v. Montgomery, T. 1742. 2 Atkyns 378.*]

But after a Plea to a Bond, *quod solvit ad diem*, if the Defendant in Chancery suggests that the Bond was not executed, or that it was obtained by Fraud, Chancery may well order Payment of the Bond, without directing a Trial of the Validity of it, which was admitted by the Defendant's Plea upon the Suit at Common Law. *R. in Parl. Ca. Parl. 16.*

So, if the Defendant by Fraud suppresses a Deed, the Court will make a Decree, without directing a Trial. *Ca. Ch. 293.*

So a Trial seems to be in the Discretion of the Court.

So the Court may direct a Special Issue, or, if there is no Impediment, put the Party to his Action at Law. *2 Ver. 503.*

[The Court may send a Case to be argued before two Judges at their Chambers, *Rigden v. Vallier*, H. 1741. 3 *Atkyns* 731.]
When a Trial shall be enforced upon an Original Bill. *Vide Post*, (4 V.)

(Y. 1.) Decree.

A Decree by the Court shall be drawn with convenient Brevity, reciting only the Substance of the Proceedings briefly. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 127.—So in the *Exchequer*. *Rules and Orders in Exchequer* 12. Rule 32.

If it be made by the Master of the Rolls, or a Judge, it shall be signed by them, and afterwards by the Chancellor, or Keeper. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 123, 127.

And before it is presented to them to be signed, it shall be signed by the Six-Clerk, to whom it belongs, or his Deputy. *Ord. per Cla. Rules and Orders of Chancery* 117. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 123.

And the Six-Clerks are to keep a publick Book of all Decrees made and signed; and therefore the Register, at the Beginning of every Term, shall give them a List of all the Decrees and Dismissions signed by the Chancellor, in the Term or Vacation precedent. *Ord. per Cla. Rules and Orders of Chancery* 117.

Every Decree shall be drawn, signed, and inrolled before the first Day after the Michaelmas or Easter Term next ensuing the pronouncing of it. *Ord. per Cla. Rules and Orders of Chancery* 116, *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 123.

And shall not be afterwards signed and inrolled, without Leave of the Court. *Ord. per Cla. Rules and Orders of Chancery* 116, 117. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 124.

[A Caveat may be entered against inrolling a Decree without assigning Reason, which stops it for a Month. *Anon. M. 1749. 1 Vezey* 326.]

[The Court will vacate the Inrolment of a Decree, tho' strictly regular, if it is extremely quick, and it appears the other Party intended to enter Caveat but came too late by mistaking the Place. Thus Courts of Law set aside Judgments, as on Surprise, tho' strictly regular. *Ibid.*]

[The Court never suffers a Decree to Account to be signed and inrolled, because it would tie up their Hands if there should be any Defect in the Directions. *Staunton v. Oldham*, T. 1742. 2 *Atkyns* 383.]

So in the *Exchequer*, a Decree of Dismission, shall not be entred after the last Day of the next Term, without Leave of the Court, upon Motion. *Rules and Orders in Exchequer* 12. Rule 31.

In *Chancery*, it may be inrolled after the Death of the Defendant. 2 *Ca. Ch.* 227.

So, if a Guardian is decreed to pay Money, having confessed Assets, he shall be bound, tho' the Infant dies before the Inrolment. 2 *Ca. Ch.* 199.

If the Decree concerns Land, or a Lease, it shall be entred in the Docket of the Register, within six Months; otherwise a Purchaser shall not be prejudiced by it. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 128.

It ought to recite the Facts, which are agreed, or proved; otherwise a Bill of Review would be prevented. 1 *Ver.* 214.

If a Decree be for Relief against a Judgment in another Court, the Judgment shall first be read, and then the Decree does not vacate the Judgment, but corrects the unreasonable Part. *Vide Post*, (3 W.) *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 127, 8.

[In a second Cause between the same Parties, the Court will not make an inconsistent Decree, because it would create Confusion; but will direct the Cause to stand over, that Plaintiff may lay the Matter before the Court, by Bill of Review or otherwise. *Shepherd v. Titley*, T. 1742. 2 *Atkyns* 348.]

[Acquiescence under a Decree of Dismission in a former Cause may be insisted on, unless it was without Prejudice to the present Question. *Ibid.*]

[If a Bill is brought, and Decree made in *Wales*, and an Appeal to the Lords who affirm, and Defendant to avoid Execution flies into *England*, an original Decree may be had here on a Bill stating all the Facts. *Semb. Morgan v. —* M. 1737. 1 *Atkyns* 408.]

[If any Matter is reserved at the Hearing till after the Master's Report, the Court will not determine it on Motion, but it must be set down on the Equity reserved. *Cooke v. Gwyn*, M. 1748. 3 *Atkyns* 689.]

[But it will grant a Receiver on Motion, notwithstanding such Reservation. *Ibid.*]

[If Plaintiff is intitled to Relief against Defendants *A.* and *B.* and *A.* is decreed to pay Plaintiff, the Court will give *A.* leave to prosecute the Decree against *B.* *Walker v. Preswick*, T. 1755. 2 *Vezey* 622.]

[In a suit where the Attorney-General, a Party, leaves it to the Court to make a Decree, so as not to prejudice the Rights of the Crown, the Court will decree with a *Salvo Jure* to the Crown, and also give Leave to the Parties to resort back, if the Execution is by Act or Right of the Crown obstructed. *Penn v. Ld. Baltimore*, P. 1750. 1 *Vezey* 444.]

[When a Cause comes on after the *Poslea* returned, upon the Equity reserved, the Decree is always absolute. *Geale v. Winter*, in Sc. P. 1719. *Bunb.* 40.]

If a Decree be by the Consent of Counsel, and no other Cause appears for it, it shall be reversed; for Consent of Counsel is not sufficient Ground for a Decree. 1 *Ver.* 274.

By a Privy Seal, the Chancellor, or Keeper may sign and enrol a Decree of his Predecessor. 1 *Ver.* 132.

(Y. 2.) Who are bound by a Decree.

All Parties, and Privies are bound by a Decree.

So, a Purchaser after the Decree. *Ca. Ch.* 231. 1 *Ver.* 459.

So, a Purchaser *pendente lite*. *Ca. Ch.* 152. 1 *Ver.* 459, 460.

So, a Decree for Foreclosure of a Redemption against a Tenant in Tail binds his Issue. *Ca. Ch.* 220.

So it binds the Remainder-Man, who claims by a voluntary Settlement of the Tenant in Tail, altho' no Party to the Decree. *Semb. Ca. Ch.* 220.

So, if a Person, present at the pronouncing of a Decree, pays Money to an Executor contrary to the Decree, tho' he was no Party to the Suit, nor served with an Order for the Non-payment, he shall be bound by the Decree. *R.* 1 *Ver.* 57, 123.

So, if four Parishioners are named to defend for all, and there is a Decree against them; another Parishioner, not Party or Privy to those four Defendants, shall be bound by the Decree. *Ca. Ch.* 272, 282.

If the Lord of a Manor is decreed to admit Copyholders upon a Fine certain; a Copyholder, not a Party, shall take Advantage of the Decree. *Hard.* 169.

(Y. 3.) Who not.

But a Purchaser *bona fide* before the Bill exhibited, not being a Party by the Bill, nor by Order, shall not be bound by the Decree. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 125, 6.

Nor any one, who does not appear *gratis*, nor was served with Process *ad audiendum Judicium*. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 125.

Nor any one, who has an Interest, and is not Party, or Privy. *R. Ca. Ch.* 48.

[Copyholders in Fee, or Freeholders for Life, not Parties, are not bound by a Decree against the Lord of the Manor. *Poore v. Clerk*, H. 1742. 2 *Atkyns* 515.]

So, if one Defendant is in Contempt to a Sequestration, and a Decree is made against other Defendants; that does not bind the Defendant in Contempt but he may afterwards appear, and answer, and have the Cause heard. 1 *Ver.* 228.

A Decree in Chancery does not bind the Right, but only the Person. *Vide Ante*, (D. 7.) *Vide Ca. Ch.* 301.

(Y. 4.) Execution of a Decree.

After a Decree made, the Defendant ought to be served with it, under the Seal of the Court.

And

And in the *Exchequer*, No Person shall be in Contempt, for not performing an Order or Decree, until he is served by Delivery of a true Copy to him, and shewing him the Order or Decree under the Seal of the Court. *Rules and Orders in Exchequer* 14. Rule 35.

Or, if he cannot be found to be served personally, upon an *Affidavit* thereof by Order of Court, a Writ of Execution may be left at his House or last Abode, or a Copy shall be left with his Clerk in Court. *Rules and Orders in Exchequer*, 14. Rule 35.

In *Chancery*, if the Defendant, being served with the Decree, does not pay Obedience to it, all the Procefs for Contempt shall issue against him successively. *Vide* what they are, *Ante*, (D. 3. &c.) *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 174.

[If Defendant is in Custody on an Attachment, Sequestration shall not issue till Return of Attachment, and then if he does not obey it, may issue against his Land and Goods, tho' his Body is in Custody. *Martin v. Kerridge*, H. 1733. 3 P. W. 240.]

[Cattle sequestred may not be sold till the Commission returned, and then a *Venditioni exponas* for the Cattle, and a new Sequestration for the Remainder of the Debt. *Tarrot v. Seys*, P. 1720. *Bunb.* 62.]

[On Affidavit of Opposition to Sequestrators, a Writ of Assistance shall be granted. *Granlade v. Baker*, T. 10 G. *Bunb.* 168.]

[A Sequestration must be returned before it shall be discharged on Motion on the Death of the Party. *Anon. in Sc. M.* 1718. *Bunb.* 31.]

[There is no absolute stated Fee for a Sequestrator, it is discretionary. *Wood v. Freeman*, P. 1743. 2 *Atkyns* 542.]

And a Sequestration may issue of an Estate Real or Personal, tho' the Decree be only for a personal Duty. *R. Ca. Ch.* 92, 242.

And the Sequestration shall be continued against the Heir, if the Defendant dies under it. *Ca. Ch.* 241, 2.

[If there is a Decree for Payment of Money, but not signed and inrolled, and a Sequestration for Non-performance, and Plaintiff dies, the Sequestration abates, and there must be a Bill of Revivor. *Wharam v. Broughton*, M. 1748. 1 *Vezey* 180.]

Tho' the Heir claims by a voluntary Settlement of his Father, with Power of Revocation, made before the Suit. *R. Ca. Ch.* 242.

Otherwise, if it was without Power of Revocation, (tho' voluntary. *R. Ca. Ch.* 242.)

If the Defendant be taken by the Serjeant at Arms, or committed, he shall not be discharged, until he performs the Decree in all Things presently to be performed, and gives Security for the Performance of the Parts to be performed in futuro. *Ord. per Cla.* *Rules and Orders of Chancery* 117. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 175. — So, in the *Exchequer*. *Rules and Orders in Exchequer* 14. Rule 37.

And the Chancellor also may fine him for the Contempt, and estreat the Fine. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 175.

And if he procures himself to be removed into B. R. and then escapes, he may be recommitted. *Ca. Ch.* 32.

If there is a General Pardon after Commitment, by which all Contempts are pardoned, he shall not be discharged. *Dub. Hard.* 192.

If the Decree is for Land, and the Defendant, being imprisoned, will not perform it, the Court grants an Injunction for the Possession. *Vide Ante*, (D. 7.) *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 177.

And upon an *Affidavit* of Service, and that it is not obeyed, a Commission shall be granted to Special Justices, and a Writ of Assistance directed to the Sheriff, if necessary, to put the Party into Possession. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 177. [*Stribley v. Hawkie*, M. 1744. 3 *Atkins* 275.]

If a Degree is *Quousque*, or Temporary, and a Bond, or Assurance is also decreed for the Performance of it, and the Assurance is given absolutely, yet it shall be guided by the Decree. *R. Ca. Ch.* 251.

So, a Fine acknowledged, or a Recovery suffered pursuant to a Decree, shall be restrained of Operation beyond the Intent of the Decree. *R. Ca. Ch.* 49.

(Y. 5.) Re-hearing.

*Vide Review.
Ante (G.)*

[The Decree must be made compleat against the Defendant, tho' he has made Default, before you can petition for a Rehearing. *Baxter v. Wilson, H. 1740. 2 Atkyns 152.*]

[A Rehearing is not permitted, till the Decree is drawn up. *Crosby v. Shadforth, H. 1723. Bunb. 142.*]

[The Court will grant a Rehearing, tho' the Parties have entered into an Order by Consent to abide by the Decree, and not to appeal. *Buck v. Farocett, H. 1733. 3 P. W. 242.*]

[A Decree by Consent shall not be set aside. *Harrison v. Rumsey, T. 1752. 2 Vezey 488.*]

Before the Inrolment of a Decree, the Cause may be allowed to be reheard, for good Cause. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery 311.*

As, if the Fact, or Proof, upon which the Decree is founded, be mistaken. *Ca. Ch. 54.*

So, if there be any Omission in the Inrolment of the Decree. *2 Vent. 359.*

So, after an Inrolment irregularly made, or by Surprise. *1 Ver. 131, 132.*

[If Plaintiff continues an Infant till near pronouncing the Decree, and his Solicitor has been grossly negligent, so that the Merits have not been heard, the Court will discharge the Inrolment of Decree, (on paying Costs of the Day) and permit him to apply for Rehearing. *Kemp v. Squire, H. 1748. 1 Vezey 205.*]

But generally after an Inrolment a Rehearing shall not be allowed, for then the Decree is upon Record, which ought not to be vacated. *1 Ver. 131.*

[No Rehearing shall be granted, unless applied for within six Months after the Decree. *Drake v. Hopkins, M. 1731. Bunb. 309.*]

So, by Order 12 May 2. *Jac. 2.* No Rehearing shall be granted, if the Party does not deposit 5*l.* for Costs, if he has no Relief. *Rules and Orders of Chancery 167.*

And by the same Order, a Rehearing does not stay Proceedings upon the Original Decree without Special Order. *Rules and Orders of Chancery 167.*

So, by Order, 23 Oct. 1*W. & M.* The Court shall be attended two Days before the Rehearing, with a Copy of the Decree, and Petition for Rehearing. *Rules and Orders of Chancery 186.*

[A Cause originally heard before the Chancellor, must be opened on Rehearing as a Case. *Anon. T. 1740. 2 Atkyns 50.*]

(Y. 6.) Decree enforced by an Original Bill.

A Man decreed to do such an Act may have an Original Bill to enforce the doing of it; as, if a Mortgagee be decreed to account for Profits received before and since his Assignment, he shall have a Bill to enforce the Assignee to account for the Time since the Assignment. *Ca. Ch. 3.*

So, if a Decree be for the King, it may be enforced upon an Original Bill. *R. 1 Rol. 373. l. 50.*

So a Decree in an inferior Court of Equity may be enforced upon a Bill here. *R. 1 Rol. 373. l. 30.*

So after a Decree affirmed in Parliament, a Bill may be brought for the Discovery of a Deed imbeziled *pendente lite*, in Aid of the Decree, or for explaining of it. *1 Ver. 417.*

So, if a Decree be for a special Purpose, or *Quousque*, an Original Bill may be brought, to shew the Matter satisfied, or the Purposes performed. *R. Ca. Ch. 251.*

So, if the Decree be for aiding a defective Conveyance of Land, there may afterwards be an Original Bill against the Heir, for the mesne Profits. *R. 2 Ca. Ch. 134. 72.*

Tho' the Plaintiff by his first Bill had prayed an Account of the Profits. *2 Ca. Ch. 134.* But this seems not to have been prayed. *2 Ca. Ch. 71, 72.*

Vide Practical Register in Chancery 312. where the Deposit is increased to 10*l.* and afterwards to 20*l.

So an Original Bill for the Execution of a Decree, against a Purchaser, who claimed under Parties to the Decree, was allowed upon Demurrer. 26 Car. 2. *Ca. Ch. 231.*

So a Decree by Commissioners of charitable Uses was confirmed by Original Bill. *C. Ch. 193. Vide Post, (2 N. 1.)*

[If A. conveys a real Estate for a Charity, then makes his Will and gives 3000*l.* (the exact Value of that Land) to the same Charity, and 250*l.* to the same, and gives the Estate to C. Wife of B. and to D. as Tenants in Common; and on a Bill brought for Settlement and Decree, and Directions to the Master to receive a Scheme, and he reports a Scheme for laying out the Money in Purchase of these Lands, and the 250*l.* in other Lands fit for the School, and Report confirmed and decreed that all should be carried into Execution, B. and C. acquiescing; C. survives and dies; D. settles his Moiety on himself in tail, and dies, leaving an Infant Son; the Court will not enforce the Execution of the former Orders. *Attorney-general v. Day, H. 1748. 1 Vezey 218.*]

So, if there be an Original Bill for the Execution of a Decree, a Parol Agreement after the Decree cannot be pleaded in Bar, but the Party ought to enforce his Agreement by a new Bill, to which the other may give an Answer. *R. 2 Ca. Ch. 8.*

So a Decree may be revived by *Scire Facias*, after it is signed and inrolled, to be put in Execution. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery 351.*

But a *Scire Facias* lies only for a Party or Privy; and therefore shall not be allowed for a Purchaser or Assignee; for he wants Privy. *1 Ver. 426.*

Yet a Defendant cannot plead in *English*, to a *Subpœna Scire Facias*, if he is not Privy, but shall apply to the Court by Motion. *Eq. R. 234.**

[Tho' in general the Court only enforces, and does not vary, yet on Circumstances it will consider the Directions, and whether there was any Mistake. *West v. Skip, R. 1749. 1 Vezey 239.*]

* In the Exchequer in Ireland.

(Y. 7.) Or Avoided.

[An original Bill cannot be brought to affect or alter a Decree, unless obtained by Fraud; but if the Decree is signed and inrolled, it must be by Bill of Review, if not, by Application to bring Supplemental Bill in Nature of a Bill of Review. *Wortley v. Berkhead, T. 1754. 3 Atkyns 809.*]

So a Decree, that a Mortgagee Account for Profits received before, and since his Assignment, was avoided by an Original Bill, shewing that the Assignee had a Title Paramount to the Mortgage. *Ca. Ch. 3.*

So a Decree absolute for the Enjoyment of Land, upon Non-payment of Money due upon an Account, was avoided by an Original Bill, shewing the Necessity of the Non-payment, by Matter subsequent to the Decree. *Ca. Ch. 64.*

So a Decree obtained by Fraud may be avoided by Original Bill, by a Stranger, who may be admitted to falsify the Suggestions, upon which the Decree was founded. *Ca. Ch. 152.*

So a Decree for Alimony upon a Separation, affirmed upon a Bill of Review, and by the House of Lords upon an Appeal, shall be disannulled upon an Original Bill brought by the Husband, who tenders Co-habitation. *Eq. Ca. 6.** *2d Part of 2 Mod. Ca.*

So a Decree against an Infant may be avoided by Original Bill, during his Infancy, and a Rehearing, or a Review is not necessary; but it is proper to recite the Errors of the Decree in the Bill. *P. W. 737.*

But a Decree shall not be explained by an Original Bill, upon a Matter precedent to the Decree; as, if a Man has a Decree upon an Agreement to convey a Manor, being of 110*l.* per Ann. to which a Farm of 250*l.* per Ann. had fallen in, and then the Decree is made for the Conveyance of the Manor, generally, it shall not be explained by Original Bill, that it did not extend to the Farm. *R. Ca. Ch. 45.*

[If a Decree has been made to sell a Trust Estate for Payment of Debts before the Master to the best Purchaser, and afterwards the Trustees enter into Articles

with *A.* for it, and then scruple to convey, lest it should not be a Purpursance of the Decree; the Court will not compel them, but the Sale must be had before the Master under the Decree, and *A.* may purchase if he pleases. *Annesley v. Asbury*, *1734*. 3 *P. W.* 282.]

Nor shall there be a Bill to discover Assets, upon a Decree to pay Costs out of the Assets, &c. till the Decree is signed, and inrolled. *R. Cb. R.* 33. 4.

(Z) Accident.

ACCIDENT, Fraud, and Trust, are proper for Relief in Chancery. *Fran.* 27. *Vide Post*, 3 *M. T.* &c. 4 *W. T.* &c.)

If *A.* executes a Bond as Surety for *B.* but by Mistake of the Writer, his Name is omitted in the Bond, the Obligees shall be relieved against *A.* in Equity. *R. 3 Cb. R.* 99.

[If a Deed granting a Rent-charge, or a Bond is lost, a Bill may be brought for the Rent or Money, because an Action at Law must be with a *Profert*, &c. *Anon.* *P.* 1740. 2 *Atkyns* 81.]

So, tho' the Party provides for Accidents, Chancery sometimes relieves beyond the Provision of the Party; as, if an Attorney, who takes 120*l.* with a Clerk, agrees that 60*l.* shall be returned if he dies within a Year, and he dies within three Weeks; his Executor shall return 100 Guineas. *1 Ver.* 460.

(2 A.) Account.

(2 A. 1.) When it shall be decreed.

CHANCERY will oblige any one to give an Account for Money by him received.

As, a Guardian, or any one, who receives Rents and Profits as Guardian. *Ca. Cb.* 126. *1 Ver.* 296. *Vide Post*, (3 O. 1.)

A Woman, who receives Rents, &c. upon Pretence of a Devise, which appears afterwards to have been revoked. *Ca. Cb.* 126.

An Executor, or Administrator, who receives the Personal Estate of a Deceased; Tho' the Testator says, that the Executor shall distribute the Residue to such and such Persons, without Compulsion, and all of them acquiesce, except one. *R. 2 Ca. Cb.* 198.

A Man, who enters without Title, where the Entry of the Plaintiff was prevented by a Lease in esse. *Ch. R.* 285.

If he enters by Title, to receive such Part of the Profits, and receives the Whole, he shall account for the Overplus. *Eq. C.* 32.

[On a Bill to redeem, where the Mortgagee has been in Possession, 37 Years, and has received more than the Value on it, and has kept the Accounts intermixed with those of his own Estate, the Court will decree him to account, and afterwards order all Books, Papers, &c. relating to the Account, to be produced on Oath. *Dean v. North*, *M.* 1730. *Bunb.* 288.]

[If a Man brings Bill, praying that a Deed may be produced at the Trial of an Ejectment which he has brought against Defendant, and delivered up for Plaintiff's Benefit, and for Relief generally, and an Affidavit is annexed of the Want of the Deed, and it appears Plaintiff could not come at the Deed without the Assistance of this Court, and that he had an equitable Title only, there being a Term of Years in Trustees which this Court removes, and Plaintiff recovers in Ejectment, this Court will decree an Account of Rents and Profits from the Time Plaintiff's Title accrued, tho' the Bill does not charge that Defendant was in Possession. *Dormer v. Fortescue*, *P.* 1744. 3 *Atkyns* 124.]

If a Share in the *New River* is settled on *A.* for Life, with Remainders over, and after his Death his Heir having the Settlement conceals it, and claims the Share, and levies a Fine of it, he shall account for the Profits from the Time the Title accrued. *Ld. Townsend v. Windham*, *Alb.* *P.* 1745. 3 *Atkyns* 336.]

A. receives

A. receives Pay for a Company, he shall account to the Captain for the Whole, not for the Personal Pay of himself and Servants only. *R. 2 Ver. 682.*

So a Factor Agent, &c. shall be accountable to his Principal. *2 Ca. Ch. 1122.*

So an Account shall be demanded in Chancery, against the Executors of a Guardian, with an Averment of Assets, tho' they are not Privies. *R. upon Demurrer, Carey 54.*

Or, by an Executor, or Administrator. *1 Ch. R. 261.*

So against an Executor of an Executor, who was guilty of a Devastavit. *Simb. Ca. Ch. 303. Ch. R. 39.*

So, against Executors of Feoffees to a Use, before the Statute 27 H. 8. 4 Inst. 87.

And against Executors, or Administrators of a Trustee. *R. 4 Inst. 86, 7.*

So an Account shall be demanded against a Lessee, where the Lessor covenants to allow his Part of Law-Suits. *Ch. R. 235.*

So, against an Administrator, after his Administration repealed, and granted to another. *R. Ch. R. 40.*

[A Creditor of a Partner deceased, may bring a Bill against the surviving Partner, as well as against the Representative of the Deceased; and this tho' the Representative has already brought Bill for an Account against the Survivor. *Newland v. Champion, T. 1748. 1 Vezey 105.*]

So, against a Factor, for himself and his Co-factor, now dead, tho' his Executor is accountable. *Eq. Abr. 5.*

Or, against the Executor or Administrator of an Apprentice employed as a Factor. *Eq. Abr. 6.*

So there shall be an Account by one Joint-tenant, Parcener, &c. against the others. *1 Ch. R. 49. Vide Post. (3 V. 6.)*

So an Account shall be demanded, by a Legatee, against an Executor of an Executor of the Testator, altho' a Co-executor of the first Testator be living upon a Suggestion that Goods came to his Hands; for every one, who has Goods of a Testator, is accountable to a Legatee. *R. upon Demurrer, Ca. Ch. 57.*

[If a Trustee to whom Rents and Profits are devised, has Notice thereof, and does not renounce, but receives them, he shall account to the Claimants under the Will, tho' he pretends he received them not as Trustee, but for the Son and Heir at Law as his Factor, and accounted to him. *Conyngbam v. Conyngbam, T. 1750. 1 Vezey 522.*]

So there shall be an Account in Equity for mesne Profits. *1 Ch. R. 48.*

So every Trustee is accountable to the *Cestuy que Trust.*

[A Trustee, named Executor, not proving, but Power reserved, and Money coming to his Hands, may be decreed to account, but not as Executor, and shall have proper Allowances before the Master. *Moore v. Moore, T. 1755. 2 Vezey 596.*]

So, if the Trustee employ *A.* as his Servant, *A.* shall be accountable to the *Cestuy que Trust.* *R. 2 Ca. Ch. 121.*

Altho' *A.* had accounted to the Trustee himself in his Life-time. *R. 2 Ca. Ch. 121.*

So, if an Infant, who used to receive Money from *B.* by the Order of his Guardian, after full Age receives Money by Order of the same Guardian from *B.* and then accounts with the Guardian, but does not put those Sums into the Account, and there are General Releases between them, he shall be accountable to *B.* for those Sums. *R. Ca. Parl. 17.*

So *A.* shall account as Bailiff to *B.* tho' *B.* seizes his Papers, but afterwards restores them. *R. 2 Ver. 33.*

So there shall be an Account in Equity, where there are mutual Debts, tho' one is upon Bond, and the other upon simple Contract, and 18 Years are passed; for a Discount is natural Justice, *Abr. Ca. 8.* altho' the Discount is against an Executor, or an Assignee of a Commission of Bankrupt. *Abr. Ca. 8. Vide 2 Ver. 428.*

[If Plaintiff claims as a Creditor under Articles, and also as a Legatee under a Will, and the Legacy is so large as to cover the whole personal Estate, the Court will direct an Account to be taken of Testator's personal Estate, at the Time of making

making the Will; and at the Time of his Death, in order to judge whether Plaintiff shall take under both Articles and Will. *King v. Philips*, P. 1749. 1 *Vezey* 232.]

[If a Man cohabits with a Woman, and receives her Rents, and they make Agreement that he shall leave her by his Will as much as he receives of her Estate, deducting what she is indebted to him, the Account shall be taken immediately, tho' the Payment is in future. *Rattray v. Darlay*, T. 1752. 2 *Vezey* 424.]

[If Money is over-paid in pursuance of an usurious Contract, the Court will decree it to be accounted for, notwithstanding the Agreement of the oppressed Party to allow such Payments. *Bosanquet v. Dashwood*, M. 8 G. 2. C. T. T. 38.]

[If Defendant acknowledges any particular Sum due, tho' he swears that those Sums are discharged, it is Ground for directing an Account. *Brace v. Taylor*, H. 1741. 2 *Atkyns* 253.]

[The Court will direct an Account after a very great Length of Time, if no Presumption of Satisfaction arises from it, and if Plaintiff's Right was not fully disclosed to him in due Time. *Ex. Pomfret v. Ld. Windsor*, T. 1752. 2 *Vezey* 472.]

[Especially, if it is in Part for the Execution of a Trust of real Estate, tho' when executed it will become personal. *Ibid.*]

[If a Person has offered by Letters or Messengers to account, or to refer, an Account shall be decreed, notwithstanding the Statute of Limitations. *Ibid.*]

(2 A. 2.) When not.

[Where an Account has been stated, unless particular Errors are assigned. *Dawson v. Dawson*, M. 1737. 1 *Atkyns* 1.]

A Purchaser of the Land of a Delinquent (against whom he had a Judgment, which was allowed in the Purchase) shall not be compelled to account for the Profits; for they are pardoned by the Act of Oblivion. R. Ca. Ch. 172, 30.

[The Court will not decree an Account of Rents and Profits of an Estate, where Possession has not been recovered, as Trespas will not lie at Law for them till then. *Norton v. Frecker*, H. 1737. 1 *Atkyns* 524.]

[Nor of Rents received by the original Debtor and Owner of the Estate, *pendente lite*, from the filing of the Bill, even where a fraudulent Conveyance has been set up and removed in Favour of Judgment Creditors. *Higgins v. York-buildings Company*, M. 1740. 2 *Atkyns* 107.]

[Nor against a Mortgagor left in Possession, in Favour of a Mortgagee. *Ibid.*]

[An Account of the Profits of Coals dug cannot be decreed unless Plaintiff shews Possession; if he has not had Possession he must ascertain his Right by Ejectment, and then may have Account, and if the Bill is for settling Boundaries also, the Court will retain it till after Ejectment, otherwise will dismiss it. *Sayer v. Pierce*, P. 1749. 1 *Vezey* 232.]

Nor shall an Executor of a Creditor, who recovers against a Bankrupt, and converts the Goods before the Bankruptcy is known, be obliged to account with the other Creditors, as if his Testator had made a *Devastavit*; for his Testator was in the Nature of a Purchaser. *Ca. Gb. 303*.

[The Court will not order an Account between two Merchants, Partners 24 Years ago. *Bridges v. Mitchell*, T. 1726. 1 *Burb.* 217.]

Nor shall an Executor of a Merchant account to another Merchant, who is accountable for so much to him in another Business; for all Accounts between Merchants, by Custom, are evaded by Way of Estoppel. D. 2 Ca. Ch. 7.

[The Court will not order an Account between the Executor of a House Steward and the Executor of his Master, when many Years are elapsed between their Deaths without Demand made. *Lacen v. Briggs*, T. 1744. 3 *Atkyns* 105.]

A Counsellor shall not have an Account against a Solicitor for Fees. *R. upon Demurrer*, 1 Ch. R. 38.

[If two Parsonages (as the Registers of the Prerogative) do not agree in appointing a Clerk, and the Deputy does appoint one, who acts and takes the Fees, he is the Officer *de facto*, and intitled to the Fees, and the Court will not order him to account. *Seymour v. Bennet*, M. 1742. 2 *Atkyns* 482.]

So, if *A.* enters and takes the Profits of Land for his Life, his Executor shall not account to him who claims the Estate, where there was no Trust, or Infancy in the Case, and no Entry by him who claimed the Right. *R. 2 Ver. 724.*

So *A.* shall not account for Profits, not received for an Infant, or as a Trustee, or when there is no Entry upon the Estate by another. *Eq. Abr. 7.*

And if a Man covenants to secure 500*l.* and afterwards pays Part of the Money, he shall not be obliged to give Security for the Money due upon the Account, before the Account stated. *R. Ca. Ch. 294.*

So, if a Bill is brought by an Infant, for an Account of Profits of Land, recovered against him by a Verdict, he shall not have an Account, till he has established his Title at Law. *R. 1 Ver. 295.*

So, *Detainer of Charters, or Writings*, is a Plea in Bar of an Account. *2 Ver.*

33. So an Infant shall not be compelled to account upon a Contract, or for Goods for his Trade, or as Bailiff, altho' he is Factor for another. *Abr. Ca. 6.*

If a Receiver, appointed by a Guardian or a Trustee, has accounted to him, he shall not account, at the full Age of the Infant, to him. *R. Pr. Ch. 535.*

So, if the *Royal Exchange Assurance*, or other Company, lend to a Director, or other Person, who hath Stock in the Company, Money upon Interest, the Company, without an Agreement or By-Law which subjects the Stock to such Debt, cannot discount their Debt, or refuse Transfer of the Stock till their Debt is paid. *R. Abr. Ca. 9.*

So a Lord of a Manor cannot refuse his Copyholder, to surrender to another, till his own Debt is paid. *Abr. Ca. 9.*

[If a Father Administrator *durante minore etate* of his Daughter, Executrix and residuary Legatee of her Grandmother, agrees on her Marriage to give her 800*l.* which is called a *Portion*, and in Consideration of Love and Affection, and it is admitted that the Residue of the Grandmother did not exceed 500*l.* the 800*l.* shall be deemed a Satisfaction for it, and his Representative shall not account for it, tho' he died worth 8000*l.* and left only a Son and this Daughter. *Wood v. Briant, H. 1742. 2 Atkyns 521.*]

[After the Death of Husband and Wife, her Representatives shall not account for Money received during Coverture, whether she had separate Estate or not, unless a special Case is made. *Peacock v. Monk, H. 1750. 2 Vezey 190.*]

[Nor shall Trustee of Part of personal Estate be called on to account by a particular pecuniary Legatee; he must account to the Executor. *Moore v. Moore, T. 1755. 2 Vezey 596.*]

(2 A. 3.) Account stated.

So after an Account stated, a Man shall be obliged to give an Account *de novo*, upon shewing Particulars, in which the Account was mistaken.

So, after an Account stated, with the Testator, and a Bond given for the Balance, upon Allegation that 200*l.* paid and entred in his Books, (which he had not at the Time of the Account,) was not allowed, the Executor was compelled to answer, with a Rule not to proceed further, without Leave of the Court. *R. upon a Flea of an Account stated, Ca. Ch. 262.*

So, after an Account settled before a Master between a Mortgagor and Mortgagee, upon Allegation by a second Mortgagee, that it was done by Collusion between them, and shewing the Particulars mistated, the first Mortgagee shall be compelled to give an Account *de novo*. *Semb. Ca. Ch. 299.*

So, when no Particulars are shewn, the Defendant shall answer to the Collusion. *Semb. Ca. Ch. 299.*

So, after an Account stated upon a Treaty of Marriage, by the Guardian of the Wife, to the Husband, and the Balance paid, and a Bond given by the Husband, to give a Release of all Accounts after the Marriage, the Guardian, before the Release executed, may be compelled to give an Account *de novo* after the Marriage. *2 Ca. Ch. 158.*

So after an Account given of an Orphan's Estate before the Aldermen of London,

don, an Account *de novo* shall be compelled to be made in Chancery. *R. upon a Plea, 2 Ca. Ch. 170.*

So, after an Account stated between a Mortgagor, and the Heir of the Mortgagee, upon Proof, that it was agreed, that the Account should be reviewed, if there was any Mistake, and that Interest upon Interest was computed, a new Account *ab origine* was decreed. *Ca. Ch. 55. 3 Ch. R. 18.*

So, after an Account between Partners, and a Note given for the Balance, where it was by Surprise, &c. *Ch. R. 431.*

Or, if it appears to the Court, from the Nature of the Account, that Interest upon Interest was computed. *3 Ch. R. 18.*

So, after an Account stated, and a Release given. *Skin. 148.*

[A Dividend made between the Parties is not sufficient to support a stated Account. *Dawson v. Dawson, M. 1737. 1 Atkyns 1.*]

[When Defendant sets forth a stated Account, he shall not be obliged to go on upon a general one, for a stated Account may unravel what would remain confused on a general one. *Summer v. Thorpe, H. 1736. 2 Atkyns 1.*]

[If a Bill is brought for a general Account, and Defendant sets forth a stated one, Plaintiff must amend and pay Costs of the Day only. *Ibid.*]

[If there are only Mistakes and Omissions in the stated Account, the Party objecting shall only surcharge and falsify; if Fraud appears, the Whole shall be opened tho' of 23 Years standing, and the fraudulent Person dead. *Vernon v. Vawdry, H. 1740. 2 Atkyns 119.*]

[Where Parties have mutual Dealings, it is not necessary that the Account should be signed, to make it a stated Account, but only that the Person to whom it is sent, keeps it a Length of Time without making Objection. *Willis v. Jerne-gan, H. 1741. 2 Atkyns 251.*]

[The Delivery of Vouchers, is an Affirmation that it is a stated Account, but it is not necessary in order to make it one. *Ibid.*]

[If a Man aged 30, intitled as the Son of a Freeman, and also to the Orphanage Share of his Sister who died an Infant, states an Account with his Mother the Executrix, it shall not be unravelled, but the Parties shall be at Liberty to surcharge and falsify. *Coomes v. Elling, H. 1747. 3 Atkyns 676.*]

[If pending Suit, Parties come to Composition, it shall not be set aside on new Discovery, because there is no particular Account by *Items*. If a minute strict Account is entered into, it may be otherwise on new Discovery. *Sewell v. Bridge, T. 1749. 1 Kezey 297.*]

[After an Account stated, if Leave is given to surcharge and falsify, the *Onus Probandi*, lies on the Party having that Liberty; and if the Account was between Persons of great and equal Abilities, the Evidence must be strong to make any Alteration. *Pit v. Cholmondeley, T. 1754. 2 Vezey 565.*]

So, after an Account in the Spiritual Court, and a Decree thereupon. *R. 2 Ver. 47.*

So, after an Account with the Mortgagor, and a Decree for Foreclosure, *A.* who would redeem, by a subsequent Mortgage, &c. shall have an Account *de novo*; and the former Account is no Bar. *R. 2 Ver. 663.*

But if a Man would compel an Account *de novo*, after an Account stated, he ought to shew in what Particulars it is mistaken. *Ca. Ch. 299. 1 Ver. 180.*

And after an Account stated and rested on for a long Time (as 14 Years) without Exception, the Accountant shall not be obliged to give an Account *de novo*. *Ca. Ch. 127.*

So, after 7 Years. *Ch. R. 66.*

[A Bill may be brought for Errors in an Account, much more than four Years after it is settled. *Roberts v. Kuffin, M. 1740. 2 Atkyns 112.*]

So, if the Mortgagee employs a Servant of the Mortgagor to receive the Profits, and after the Death of the Mortgagee, the Mortgagor accounts with his Executor, takes the Accounts of the Executor, and agrees by Writing, that he will not charge him for so much, as his own Servant received, he shall not afterwards compel the Executor to account. *R. upon a Plea, Ch. R. 5.*

So if a Man buys Goods, sold by the Sheriff, upon an Execution at the Suit of *B.* against *C.* where they were offered to *B.* at the same Price and refused, it shall be a good Plea in Bar, to an Account. *Eq. Abr. 11.* So

So an Account between Partners shall be taken only from the last Balance made. *Cb. R. 190.*

If no Balance, from the Commencement of the Partnership. *Ibid.*

So an Account of the Voyage of a Ship, settled by the major Part of the Part-Owners, binds the Rest. *1 Ver. 465. Vide Post, (2 A. 7.)*

So an Account between Merchants, where no Objection was made, after the Trade between them ceased, until one of them died, shall be regarded, and the Parties sent to Law. *R. 2 Ver. 276.*

If no Objection is made by a Merchant for two or three Posts, after an Account received, it imports an Allowance of the Account. *Per Hutchins, 2 Ver. 276.*

[If a Merchant sends an Account current to another in a different Country, on which a Balance is made due to himself, and the other keeps it two Years without Objection, it shall be considered as a stated Account. *Tickel v. Short, H. 1750. 2 Vezey 239.*]

So an Account upon a Decree, for a Tenant for Life, against his Trustees, before the Birth of a Son in the Remainder, binds the Son. *R. 2 Ver. 527.*

So, if an Account is decreed against an Executor, and is settled and perfected and acquiesced in for many Years, the Executor shall not have an Account for a Debt due to himself. *2 P. W. 665.*

[If there is an Account stated between a Minor just come of Age and his Solicitor, for Composition of a Cause, the Court favouring such Compositions will not over-haul it. *Brown v. Pring, H. 1749. 1 Vezey 407.*]

[But Accounts stated between them, where there are *Items* "For all Law Charges—What you please.—" "For Bill of Fees and Disbursements," (when none such had been delivered;) "For Risk run in Money laid out," (when no Risk run, and Money improperly laid out;) all such shall be set aside, and a general Account directed. *Ibid.*]

(2 A. 4.) The Manner of the Account.

[If one of the Parties appears to be a weak Man, and easily induced to say any Thing, tho' untrue and against his own Interest, the Court will order that the Master shall examine him in Person, and see that no Advantage be taken of his Weakness. *Piddock v. Brown, T. 1734. 3 P. W. 288.*]

[A Party who is at Liberty to surcharge and falsify, is not confined to Errors in Fact, but may take Advantage of Errors in Law. *Roberts v. Kuffin, M. 1740. 2 Atkyns 112.*]

The Accountant shall be allowed, upon his Oath, all Sums expended under 40 s. *2 Ca. Cb. 249.*

[The Accountant must swear peremptorily to Sums under 40 s. his Belief is not sufficient. *Robinson v. Cumming, T. 1742. 2 Atkyns 409.*]

If he mentions in his *Affidavit*, To whom, and when paid. *1 Ver. 283, 470.*

If the Whole do not exceed 100 l. *1 Ver. 470.*

But other Sums, &c. he shall not be allowed, without Proof. *Semb. 2 Ca. Cb. 12.*

[If there is no positive Proof of Fraud, but only Circumstances of Suspicion, the Court will not order, no Sum to be allowed Defendant but what he shall produce Receipts for, or are proved by Witnesses present at the Payment, but will only give Leave to surcharge and falsify. *Townsend v. Lowfield, T. 1747. 3 Atkyns 536. 1 Vezey 35.*]

[If Notes are found forged on an Issue directed, the Party whether suing in his own Right, or as Assignee, shall not be allowed to set up other Evidence. *Kemp v. Mackrell, T. 1754. 2 Vezey 579.*]

So if he loses his Papers without his own Default, as by Seizure in a foreign Realm, &c. he shall not be charged, but upon his Oath, for Money gained by the Sale of his Merchandize. *R. Ca. Cb. 128.*

So Expences are allowed, upon Oath, that they were necessary. *Cb. R. 119.*

So Seeds, &c. sold and delivered in his Trade to a Gardener, under 40 s. Value, shall be allowed upon his Oath, but not Trees sold by the Gardener to the Seedsman. *2 Ver. 176.*

(2 A. 4.)
What Allow-
ance an Ac-
countant shall
have; and
what not.

In an Account by a Merchant against a Factor, he shall be allowed upon the Account all Customs saved from a foreign King. *R. Ca. Ch. 25, 76.*

Otherwise, of the Customs saved from our own King. *R. Ca. Ch. 30.*

So in an Account by an Infant against his Father-in-Law for a Legacy, he shall be allowed a Sum for putting him Apprentice, &c. *2 Vent. 353. Eq. Abr. 7.*

But not for Maintenance, so as to diminish the Principal. *R. 2 Vent. 353.*

So a Trustee for an Infant shall be allowed, upon Account, Money of which it is proved that he was robbed; and his Oath shall be allowed, as to the *Quantum* of which he was robbed. *2 Ca. Ch. 2.*

If a Parcener, &c. avoids the Lease of his Ancestor, without the Privity of his Companion, he shall account for a Moiety of the Profits. *1 Ch. R. 49.*

If there are three Part-Owners of a Ship, and two of them navigate the Ship against the Consent of the other, and the Ship is lost in the Voyage, he, who did not consent, shall have an Account of the Profits, if there were any, and shall bear his Part of the Loss. *R. 1 Ver. 297.*

A Trustee shall be allowed a Salary, for a Bailiff for the Trust Estate; but not for himself, if he manages it. *1 Ver. 316. Eq. Abr. 7.*

So in an Account against *A.* by the Administrator of *B.* who had mutual Dealings with *A.* for a long Time, *A.* shall be allowed a Debt for Goods sold by him to *B.* *R. Pr. Ch. 582.* So, for Diet given to *B.* *Eq. Abr. 8.*

If a Settlement be for *Default of Issue Male to Daughters*, until 3000*l.* is paid by *B.* in the Remainder, in an Account to *B.* the Daughters shall be allowed Interest for the 3000*l.* and the Rents shall not go in Diminution of the Principal, till a third Part is raised. *Eq. Abr. 8.*

[If a Father creates a Term, the Trustees do not take Possession, Heir at Law takes Possession, and then purchases the Term, and is to account for Profits from a Year after being confirmed, and there is some Delay in making out the Title, and Lives fall in; the Court will direct him to account for Heriot's received, and Fines taken on letting the Estate. *Blount v. Blount, P. 1748. 3 Atkyns 636.*]

So in an Account to a Partner, the Defendant shall be allowed Money borrowed of him by the Plaintiff. *Eq. Abr. 9.*

But the *South-Sea Company* shall not be allowed Money borrowed of them, on a Bill to transfer Stock in the Company, if the Stock was not made a Security for the Payment. *Eq. Abr. 9.*

If *A.* accounts, he shall not have an Allowance for the Diet of the Plaintiff, who was his Relation, and came by his Invitation. *1 Ver. 19.*

If an Executor accounts for Assets, he shall not be allowed a Judgment confessed *pendente lite.* *1 Ver. 457.*

Nor, a Payment made *sponte*, without Suit, *pendente lite.* *1 Ver. 369.*

[In an Account of the Rents and Profits of a real Estate, the Court will order annual Rests to be made, but not in an Account of personal Estate received by an Executor. *Robinson v. Cumming, T. 1742. 2 Atkyns 409.*]

[If a Debtor whose Lands are extended by *elegit* comes here for Relief, the Creditor shall account for the Whole he has received, and not for the extended Value only; and the Debtor shall pay Interest tho' it exceed the Principal. *Godfrey v. Warson, P. 1747. 3 Atkyns 517.*]

[So a Mortgagee who has tacked a Judgment to his Mortgage, shall be allowed Interest upon the Debt secured by the Judgment, tho' it exceeds the Penalty. *Ibid.*]

[A Mortgagee in Possession is not obliged to lay out Money, further than to keep the Estate in necessary Repair, but if he expends Money in Support of the Mortgagor's Title, when impeached, he may add it to the principal Debt, and it shall carry Interest. *Ibid.*]

[A Mortgagee shall not be allowed for his own Trouble in receiving Rents, but if the Estate lies at such a Distance that he must have employed a Bailiff had it been his own, he shall be allowed what he paid the Bailiff. *Ibid.*]

[Tho' an Account against a Mortgagee or an Executor is decreed without future Words, yet he shall account for what he receives after the Decree. *Bulstrode v. Bradley, M. 1747. 3 Atkyns 582.*]

[If

[If a long Time intervenes before filing the Bill, the Court will not (always) order it to be taken from the Time the Right accrued. *Rigden v. Vallier*, H. 1741. 3 *Atkyns* 731.]

[A Receiver appointed by this Court may distrain for Rent, without a particular Order, unless there is a Doubt who has the legal Right to the Rent. *Pitt v. Snowden*, H. 1752. 3 *Atkyns* 750.]

[If two Parties employ an Attorney to settle a Matter in dispute between them, and when it is intirely finished voluntarily agree to give him 2000 *l.* apiece, and rest on this for several Years, he shall be allowed his 4000 *l.* in Account; especially if one of the Parties after Bill brought for Account, ratifies this Gift. *Oldham v. Hand*, P. 1751. 2 *Vezey* 259.]

[If on an Assignment or Purchase an Agent pays Money to the Assignee, and the Assignment is afterwards set aside, the Agent shall be allowed the Sums paid. *Taylor v. Rockfort*, P. 1751. 2 *Vezey* 281.]

[The Depositions in a cross Cause may be read on taking an Account directed in the original Cause, tho' the Cross-bill be dismissed. *Loubiere v. Genou*, T. 1754. 2 *Vezey* 579.]

A Man, who hath lost his Papers, without his own Default, shall not be charged but upon his Oath. R. Ca. Ch. 128. Where the Papers, &c. were seized upon an Embargo in Spain. (2 A. 3.) For what he shall not be charged.

So an Agent, Factor, &c. shall not be charged for Goods disposed of according to his Orders. 2 Ca. Ch. 12.

Altho' not delivered accordingly, when the Omission was by Accident, or without his Default. *Ibid.*

And it is sufficient by his Answer to say generally, That all, by him received, was disposed of according to the Order of his Master. 1 *Ver.* 136, 208.

Yet he ought to answer, for it is no Plea, That he paid to his Master. 1 *Ves.* 95, 136.

[If a Receiver is appointed, and the Owner of the Estate is in Possession, the Parties should apply to the Court to have Possession delivered to the Receiver, who cannot distrain the Owner; and therefore, if Loss happens he shall not be charged. *Griffith v. Griffith*, T. 1751. 2 *Vezey* 400.]

So a Man, charged to account for mesne Profits of Land, shall be charged only for so much as he hath received, or might have received, without his Default. *Semb.* 1 *Ver.* 44, 45.

If an Heir is decreed to account for Profits to a Purchaser, he shall not be charged for that which was applied for Payment of the Debts of the Vendor, or received by the Purchaser himself. R. Ca. Ch. 101.

A Woman, charged for the Profits of Land devised to her, which Devise was afterwards revoked, shall not be charged for Legacies devised out of the Land, paid before Notice of the Revocation. R. Ca. Ch. 126.

If Partners account, they shall not account for Debts compounded but according to the Composition. Ch. R. 191.

So after a long Time, &c. as 20 or 14 Years, an Accountant shall be discharged, upon his Oath, where Proof of Debts paid, &c. cannot be made by Bonds cancelled, &c. *Eq. Abr.* 11.

So a Trustee shall not be charged, with the Value, which was only imaginary; for he ought to account only as a Bailiff. 1 *Ver.* 144.

So if Sequestrators fell Timber to the Value of 700 *l.* and pay only 200 *l.* to the Party, he shall not account for more; for the Sequestrators are the Agents of the Court, and not of the Party. 1 *Ver.* 160.

So a Defendant shall not be charged in his Account by the Affidavit of the Plaintiff. 1 *Ver.* 272.

So a Trustee shall be charged for Money received by himself only, and not for Money received by his Co-trustee, unless he joins in a Receipt for it. 1 *Ver.* 303.

So an Executor, who *bonâ fide* lends Money upon real Security, not suspicious, but afterwards it is lost, shall not account for the Loss, tho' the Security was not taken with the Approbation of the Court. *Per Harcourt*, 1 P. W. 141.

[If a Receiver of an Estate under Order of this Court, in order to remit a considerable Sum to *London*, takes Bills of a Tradesman of good Credit in the Country, who fails afterwards, he shall not make good the Loss. *Knight v. E. Plymouth*, P. 1747. 3 *Atkyns* 480.]

So, where mutual Credit is given, as well as where there is a current Account, the one shall account to the other, or, if he be a Bankrupt, to the Assignees, only for the Balance. *Per Cowper*, 1 P. W. 326.

[If *A.* Tenant in Tail, lets a Lease to *B.* his Son, and afterwards he comes insolvent and is discharged by the Statute, *B.* shall account from the Time of *A.*'s Discharge only. *Smith v. Cooke*, T. 1746. 3 *Atkyns* 378.]

(2 A. 6.)
For what he
shall be charged.

An Accountant shall be charged for all Goods or Monies delivered to him, or his Order, or which came to his Use. 2 *Ca. Ch.* 12.

Altho' delivered according to his Instructions, if afterwards employed by his Order, or to his Use. R. 2 *Ca. Ch.* 12.

So, if the Delivery was to another Hand, if the Benefit afterwards came to his Use. 2 *Ca. Ch.* 12.

So he shall account for all received, or which he might have received, without his Default. 1 *Ver.* 44, 144. *Vide Post*, (4 A. 6.)

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So a Factor shall account for himself and his Co-factor, now dead, tho' his Executor may be compelled to account. *Eq. Abr.* 5.

If *B.* enters, and takes the Profits of an Estate of an Infant, and continues to receive them, for several Years after the Infant is of full Age, he shall account for all the Profits received after, as well as before his full Age. *Eq. Ab.* 7.

So, if *A.* and *B.* purchase in Moieties, and Incumbrances are to be paid out of the Purchase Money, and the Creditors abate Interest out of Friendship to *A.* and for his sole Benefit, he shall account to *B.* for his Share of Abatement. *Eq. Abr.* 7.

If the Mate of a Ship, upon the Death of the Captain in the Voyage, takes the Money, of the Captain, intended for Traffick, and improves it by Trade; it is not sufficient to repay it with Interest, but he shall account for his Improvement. *Per Harcourt*, 1 P. W. 140.

So a Man, who continues in Possession of the Estate of an Infant, shall account to the Infant for the Profits, from the Time when his Title accrued, and not from the filing of the Bill only. 2 P. W. (645).

(2 A. 7.)
When bound
by an Account
with another.

If Land is in Mortgage to *A.* and afterwards to *B.* and a Bill is brought by *A.* for Redemption, *B.* shall be bound by the Account between the Mortgagor and *A.* upon such Bill. 2 *Ca. Ch.* 32. R. If Collusion be denied. *Ca. Ch.* 299.

[On Bill brought by Husband and Wife, an Account taken shall be binding on a contingent Remainder-man when his Title vests. *Allen v. Papworth*, M. 1748. 1 *Vezey* 163.]

So, if Land is mortgaged to *A.* and afterwards settled for a Jointure, and then the Mortgagor becomes Bankrupt; the Account between the Mortgagee and the Assignees binds the Jointress; for the Assignees stand in the Place of the Mortgagor. R. 1 *Ver.* 179.

So an Account settled by the major Part of the Part-Owners of a Ship, binds the other Owners. 1 *Ver.* 465. *Vide Ante*, (2 A. 3.)

So, if a Book in which an Account is entered by the Defendant is produced to charge him, it shall be allowed for his Discharge. *Eq. Abr.* 10.

If a Defendant is charged only by his Account annex to the Answer, and upon Proofs in the Cause, nothing is disproved, but a Matter, which might have been proved, is verified by Proof before a Master, the Defendant in other Particulars, shall be discharged by the same Account. *Eq. Abr.* 10.

So, if *D.* is charged only by his Oath, he shall be discharged by the same. *Ibid.*

But

But generally, an Account with *A.* does not bind *B.*

So an Account by Workmen with the Government, did not bind the *D.* of *Marlbrough* for the building of *Blenheim*. *Eq. Ca.* 26.* (2 A. 8.) When not.

So an Account by *J. S.* with a Trustee of a Trust-Estate, who authorized him to manage it, does not bind the *Cestuy que Trust*. *Eq. Abr.* 6. * 2d Part of 2 Mod. Ca.

Yet, if *A.* receives Money as Servant to *B.* and pays it to him, he shall not account afterwards to another Person, to whom *B.* is accountable, unless there is Cellusion between them, if he declare this by his Answer. *Ibid.*

And it is sufficient to say generally, That all received by him, was received and disposed of by the Order of his Master. *Ibid.*

(2 B.) Administrator.

(2 B. 1.) When he shall have Relief.

AN Administrator shall be relieved in *Chancery* against a Fraud to his Administration; as, if an Administration is wrongfully obtained, and afterwards repealed upon Citation, an Assignment of a Term in Trust for himself, shall be revoked and avoided by the subsequent Administrator. *R. 2 Ca. Ch.* 129. *Vide Admini- strator, and Administra- tion.*

[If *A.* and *B.* are Administrators, and empower *C.* and *D.* Sons of *B.* to get in the Intestate's Effects, and *B.* without the Privity of *A.* settles an Account with them, receives the Balance, gives a Release and dies, tho' this Release being given to Persons acting under the Letter of Attorney of both, and therefore accountable to them in their own Right, would be good in Law, yet Equity will set it aside if it appear unfairly obtained. *Hudson v. Hudson*, *M.* 1737. 1 *Atkyns* 460.] *Vide Post, (3 G. 1.)*

So an Administrator may exhibit a Bill for the Discovery of the Personal Estate of his Intestate.

Altho' there is a Suit in the 'Spiritual Court for revoking the Administration; for that is no Plea for the avoiding of a Discovery. *R. 1 Ver.* 106.

[If Administration is not taken out when the Bill is filed, and this is not objected to in the Answer, it is sufficient if it is procured before Hearing. *Fell v. Lut- widge*, *H.* 1740. 2 *Atkyns* 120.]

(2 B. 2.) When there shall be Relief against him.

So upon a Bill by a Legatee, the Husband Administrator *de bonis non*, &c. to his Wife, Executrix and Residuary Legatee *cum Testamento annexo*, shall be obliged to give Security for the Legacy, upon a Suggestion of his Insolvency. *R. 2 Ver.* 249.

[If a Person in debt has assigned his Effects to one abroad, dies intestate, and the next of Kin applies for Administration, and is going to his usual Residence out of the Jurisdiction of this Court, it will order him to give Security to abide the Decree to be made on Hearing. *Baker v. Dumaresque*, *M.* 1740. 2 *Atkyns* 66.]

But if an Executor or Administrator pays a Debt upon Bond to a Trustee for himself, who had obtained Judgment; a Creditor shall not be aided against him. 2 *Ch. R.* 103.

Altho' the Bond was given to leave his Wife 1500*l.* at his Death, when her Portion was but 500*l.* *R. 2 Ch. R.* 103.

Altho' the whole Portion was not paid; but the Part not paid shall go in Satisfaction *pro tanto*. 2 *Ch. R.* 104.

So, if an Administration is repealed and granted to another, and the prior Administrator has accounted in the Spiritual Court to the second, and delivered to him all the Effects; he shall not afterwards be charged by Creditors of the Intestate, because he had Goods of the Testator in his Hands, without an Account *de novo*. *R. Ch. R.* 123.

So, if there is a Settlement for a Jointure in Bar of all Share of the Husband's Personal Estate, which the Wife may have by Custom or otherwise, she shall be barred

barred of the Share, which she would have had by the Statute of Distribution, 22 & 23 Car. 2. if she survives her Husband. *R. per Lord Nottingham, reversed by Lord Guilford, and affirmed by Jefferys, 1 Ver. 15. Vide Post, (2 M. 10.)*

[An Administrator shall not be charged with Interest, on account of personal Estate in every Case; but if he has it long in his Hands, and Part is out at Interest, he shall. *Wilkins v. Hunt, H. 1740. 2 Atkyns 151.*]

[If *A.* and *B.* are Sureties with *C.* in an Administration Bond, and *C.* exhibits an Inventory, and *D.* a Creditor of Intestate by Bond brings Action against *C.* who pleads no Assets *ultra*, &c. and thereupon *D.* gets Assignment of Administration Bond, and brings three Actions against *A.* *B.* and *C.* for that *C.* had not exhibited a perfect Inventory, and no Defence being made has Judgment by Default; this Court will on a Bill for an Injunction order an Account only of what was exhibited upon the Inventory, and that the Verdict shall stand as a Security for so much as that shall fall short of satisfying Defendant's Principal and Interest. *Greenside v. Benson, T. 1745. 3 Atkyns 248.*]

[A Solicitor in disburse for his Client, shall be paid out of a Duty decreed to his Administrator, and has a Lien upon it before the Bond-creditors of the Intestate. *Turwin v. Gibson, T. 1749. 3 Atkyns 720.*]

(2 C) Agreement.

(2 C. 1.) When decreed.

(2 C. 1.)
Upon Articles
for the Assu-
rance of
Lands.

CHANCEERY will enforce the Performance of an Agreement. As, if Articles are signed for the Conveyance of Lands for Money, and the Vendor afterwards refuses, he shall be compelled to make such Assurance as a Master shall approve. *R. (b. R. 20.*

[If a real Estate is devised to Trustees to sell and pay Debts, &c. and the Residue to the Heir at Law, and *A.* agrees with one of the Trustees to purchase, and enters on Part of the Premises, the Court will compel him to compleat his Purchase, tho' the Will is not proved in Equity against the Heir who is abroad. *Colton v. Wilson, T. 1733. 3 P. W. 190.*]

So, if the Articles are to make a Jointure, Lease, &c. *Vide Post, (3 Z. 1.)*

So, if Articles are to levy a Fine; a Fine shall be decreed *in Specie.* *R. 2 Mod. 91.*

So, if Articles are signed, tho' not sealed, nor the Money paid.

So, if a Settlement upon the Sister of *B.* by their Father, is acknowledged by the Mother and Guardian of *B.* and Possession delivered, with a Covenant by the Mother upon her Marriage, that she shall have the Lands to her and her Heirs, to which *B.* during his Nonage was a Witness: It shall be decreed, tho' there be no Proof of a Settlement by the Father. *Ca. Ch. 47.*

[If *A.* Tenant for Life, Remainder to his first, &c. Sons in Tail, Remainder to his right Heirs, and his two Sons *B.* and *C.* release to Trustees, to hold (as to Part) to the Use of *A.* for Life, to *B.* for Life, to *D.* and *E.* Trustees to preserve, &c. to his first and other Sons in Tail, to *C.* for Life, to the Daughters of *B.* in Tail, to the Daughters of *C.* in Tail, Remainder to the Right Heirs of *A.* and as to other Part to *A.* for Life, to *C.* for Life, &c. in like Manner, with Covenant to suffer Recovery in Twelve Months, and for further Assurance, (but the Trustee in the original Settlement not a Party) and by other Lease and Release to which the Trustee in the old Settlement is a Party, *A.* *B.* and *C.* make *D.* and *E.* Tenants to the *Præcipe* to suffer a Recovery for the Purpose in the former Settlement; and before the Recovery *B.* dies, leaving a Son, and then *A.* and *C.* covenant to suffer a Recovery, *D.* and *E.* to be Tenants to the *Præcipe*, to the Use (as to Part) of *A.* in Fee, and as to other Part to the Use of *A.* for Life, Remainder to *C.* in Fee, and the Recovery is suffered accordingly; and it is found that *B.* was a Bastard, yet his Son shall have the Lands limited to him by the first Deeds, and the Benefit of the Covenants therein; and *C.* shall have those limited to *A.* for Life, with Remainder to him *C.* for Life. *Stapilton v. Stapilton, T. 1739. 1 Atkyns 2.*]

[If Father and Son on the Son's Marriage execute Articles, and settle Part of the Estate to the Son for Life, then in Aid of other Lands to secure Wife's Jointure, then to raise additional Portions to Daughters, then to Trustees to preserve, &c. to Sons in Tail Male, then to Sons by other Marriage, then to his second Daughter *A.* and her Heirs Male, unless the Father makes other Appointment, then to his other Daughters in Tail, then to *B.* and then to the Father's right Heirs; and the Father and then the Son die; the Articles shall be carried into Execution for the Benefit of *A.* *Goring v. Nash*, *M.* 1744. 3 *Atkyns*. 186.]

[If *A.* on Marriage with *B.* agrees to settle her Fortune on her for Life, then if no Children to himself; and afterward, an Accession of Fortune comes to *B.* on her Sister's Death, to arise by Sale of her Father's Estate, which is sold, and the Money received by *C.* a Trustee in the Marriage Articles, to whom *A.* gives a Receipt for his Share, which he thereby promises to lay out pursuant to the Trust reposed in *C.* this Note binds *A.* his Representatives and Claimants under his Will to perform, and the Court will decree the Money to be so laid out. *Whorwood v. University College*, *T.* 1750. 1 *Vezey* 534.]

So, if upon a Purchase, there is a Covenant to give Collateral Security that his Wife shall not revoke, it shall be decreed, that the Heir of the Wife shall convey, or that such Collateral Security shall be given. *Cb. R.* 192.

So, if there is an Agreement for the Sale of an Estate, the Heir shall be decreed to convey, tho' the Money shall be paid to the Executor. 2 *Ver.* 215.

So, if the Agreement is by Bond, to settle before such a Day, and the Obligor dies before the Day, by which there can be no Performance, and the Bond is saved. *R. Eq. Abr.* 18.

If there is an Agreement, before the Death of *B.* to divide all that *B.* should devise to *A.* and *C.* between them, it shall be decreed. 2 *P. W.* 183.

If an Agreement is by a Vestry, upon a valuable Consideration, that a Bell shall not be rung in a Morning early. 2 *P. W.* 267.

If there is an Agreement for the Purchase of Land, and the Purchaser dies, the Executor shall be decreed to pay the Money, tho' the Agreement was voluntary, and the Land shall be conveyed to the Heir. 2 *P. W.* 175, (631.)

[If a Contract for Stock be executed, the Court will not break into it, if it be only executory, Plaintiff must seek his Remedy at Law. *Capper v. Harris*, *M.* 1723. *Bunb.* 135.]

[An Agreement for a Lease from a Dean and Chapter, signed by the Dean only, for himself and Chapter, shall bind the Chapter. *Dean of Ely v. Stewart*, *T.* 1740. 2 *Atkyns* 44.]

[If *A.* treating with the Agent of *B.* consents he *B.* shall build, on Condition he employs him *A.* in his Trade, the Agent says nothing, *B.* builds and does not employ *A.* and *A.* builds a Wall to obstruct the Lights; *A.* shall be decreed to pull down the Wall, and *B.* shall employ him. *East-India Company v. Vincent*, *M.* 1740. 2 *Atkyns* 83.]

So an Agreement shall be decreed against a subsequent Purchaser, with Notice. *R. Ca. Ch.* 212. *Vide Post*, (4 I, &c.—4 W. 28.)

(2 C. 2.)
Against whom
it shall be de-
creed.

Altho' a Conveyance and Fine be executed to him. *Semb. Ca. Ch.* 212.

[But if *A.* being indebted to *B.* by Judgment, agrees to assign a Lease to him who is to give him a Defeazance, and *A.* sends the Lease to *B.* and a Letter to a Scrivener to draw such Assignment and Defeazance, and before Execution dies; and his Executor, without Notice, assigns the Interest of Lease to *C.* and *D.* in Trust for himself, and then for them, (who were all Judgment Creditors.) Tho' this is a good Lien on the Testator, and on the Executor, and within the Statute, yet as the Executor and *C.* and *D.* have a legal as well as an equitable Title, the Court will not decree the Agreement to be carried into Execution. *Smith v. Watson*, in *Sc. H.* 1719. *Bunb.* 55.]

So there shall be a Decree against an Heir, who claims by a voluntary Conveyance, where the Articles are upon a valuable Consideration. *R.* 1 *Ch. R.* 146, 7. *Vide Post*, (3 M. 5.)

So if *A.* who has only a Possibility, in case his elder Brother dies without Issue, agrees to settle Lands, after his Decease, if they descend to him, upon a Relation, who married without his Father's Consent, to the Intent that his Father should be reconciled, tho' there was no other Consideration. *R. 1 Ch. R. 159.*

So an Agreement with an Infant, if he receives Interest under it after his full Age, shall be decreed against him. *1 Ver. 132.*

So an Agreement with the Trustees of the Inheritance, after an Estate for Life in *A.* for the Purchase of the whole Estate, shall be decreed against *A.* if made with his Consent. *R. 1 Ch. R. 228.*

[If Money is devised to be laid out in Land, to the Use of *B.* in Tail, Remainder to *C.* in Fee, and they agree in Writing to divide the Money, and *B.* dies without Issue before it is divided, the Agreement shall be decreed against *C.* in Favour of *B.*'s Executor. *Carter v. Carter, P. 6 G. 2. C. T. T. 271.*]

So an Agreement with Husband and Wife to levy a Fine, make a Surrender, &c. shall be decreed against the Wife surviving. *R. 2 Ver. 61.*

So, by an elder and younger Brother, it shall be decreed against the Younger, after the Death of the elder Brother. *Dub. Winch. 4, 5.*

But an Agreement, by Tenant for Life, or in Tail, Lord of a Manor, for a Copyhold Estate, shall not be decreed against him in the Remainder, or Reversion. *1 Ver. 472.*

[If Tenant in Tail, with or without Remainder over, contracts for Sale, receives the Purchase-money, and dies without Fine or Recovery, the Agreement shall not be carried into Execution against the Issue in Tail, or Remainder claiming *per Formam doni*; even tho' Tenant in Tail had been decreed to perform. *Hinton v. Hinton, T. 1755. 2 Vezey 631.*]

An Agreement by a Joint-tenant for his Moiety, shall not be decreed against the Survivor. *1 Ver. 63.*

Yet, an Agreement upon a Marriage to make a Settlement, after the Issues of the Marriage, upon other Sons of the Father, shall be decreed against the Covenantor, at the Suit of the younger Son, tho' not within the Consideration. *2 P. W. (594.)*

So a voluntary Settlement shall be decreed against the Heir.

So a voluntary Settlement upon one Daughter, shall be decreed against the other Daughter and Co-heir, tho' the Father by his Will devised the Estate to them both. *R. 1 Ch. R. 167.*

So an Agreement by *A.* and *B.* upon the Account of a Parish, for Pavement, or other Work done for the Benefit of the Parish, where *A.* has the Agreement in his Custody, shall be decreed against *A.* and *B.* and they must pursue their Remedy against the other Parishioners. *R. Hard. 205.*

If *A.* and others undertake the draining of a Level, and are allowed a third Part of the Level, and thereupon agree to maintain the Banks of the Whole; *B.* upon this Agreement, shall be aided against *A.* and the others, if they do not maintain them, altho' he is not Party or Privy to the Agreement. *R. Hard. 169.*

(2 C. 3.)
When upon a
Parol Agree-
ment, and
when not.

So, if there be an Agreement by *Parol*, if it is in Part executed, as if the Money, or the greatest Part of it is paid to the Vendor. *Vide Eq. Abr. 19.*

[An Agreement is binding on a Party who has not signed it, if he has done a particular Thing thereon, as if he has paid Part of Purchase-money. *Owen v. Davies, H. 1747. 1 Vezey 82.*]

So if a Man exchanges Land by *Parol*, and one Party enters upon the Land, he shall be compelled to convey his Land to the other. *Vide Eq. Abr. 21.*

So, a *Parol* Agreement, executed by Delivery of the Possession, was decreed against a Purchaser with Notice after Conveyances to him executed. *1 Ver. 364. Eq. Abr. 21.*

So, a *Parol* Agreement in Consideration of a Marriage with the Party's Niece, where the Husband has made a Settlement accordingly on his Part. *R. Ch. R. 405.*

So, upon an Agreement for the Surrender of a Term, where the Lessor accepts the Key, he shall be bound to accept of the Surrender. *R. 2 Ver. 113.*

So,

So, if *A.* offers 1200*l.* for a Purchase, which is accepted, and *A.* has Possession given, and a Conveyance is directed, but afterwards *A.* would recede, he shall be decreed to proceed, if the Title is good. *R. 2 Ver. 455.*

[If *A.* has paid Part of the Purchase-money for Copyhold Lands, and *B.* given him a Note acknowledging the Receipt in Part, and promising to make good Title, &c. and brought his Writings to *A.*'s Counsel, who approved, and *A.* had done Acts of Ownership, and made Promises, &c.; the Court will compel *A.* to a specific Performance. *Borret v. Gomeserra, in Sc. M. 1721. Bunb. 94.*]

So, if an Agreement is executed for the making of a Jointure, &c. and afterwards, by Parol Agreement, Part of the Portion is deposited, for making a Purchase for the Jointure, and 100*l. per Annum* is purchased therewith, and afterwards mortgaged, there shall be a Decree against the Mortgagee. *R. 2 Ver. 619.*

[If there is an Agreement in Writing for taking a House at 32*l.* Owner to put it in Repair, and afterwards Parol Agreement for 40*l.* Owner having rebuilt with Tenant's Consent, and Lessee brings Bill for specific Performance of the written Agreement, Parol Evidence may be given of the new Agreement to rebut the Equity prayed. *Legal v. Miller, T. 1751. 2 Vezey 299.*]

[If a Man gives Bond on his Son's Marriage to pay his Wife and the Survivor 150*l. per Annum*, Parol Evidence may be given that the real Agreement of all Parties was for 100*l.* only. *Pitcairne v. Ogbourne, T. 1751. 2 Vezey 375.*]

But a Parol Agreement was not decreed, when the Money was not paid, tho' it was provided for the Vendor; but only Damages given for the Money provided.

So, where the Draught of a Conveyance was agreed to and ordered to be ingrossed, the Agreement not being signed, nor any Money paid, it was not decreed.

[The Vendees ordering Conveyances to be drawn, in pursuance of a Parol Agreement, and going several Times to see the Premises, and a Letter from the Vendor mentioning the Agreement but not the Price, are not sufficient Evidence to have the Agreement decreed; but taking Possession, or such other Act, in pursuance of Agreement, is. *Clerk v. Wright, H. 1737. 1 Atkyns 12.*]

[If a Steward makes an Agreement with a Tenant to deliver up Part of his Premises, and to have a new Lease of the Rest on certain Terms, and the Tenant delivers the Agreement to the Steward to be entred in his Lord's Contract Book, which is done, and the Tenant delivers up the Part of his Premises accordingly; yet the Lord is not bound by this Agreement. *Charlwood v. D. Bedford, H. 1738. 1 Atkyns 497.*]

[If *A.* and *B.* agree, that if *B.* will surrender his Copyhold to *C.* *A.* will secure him an Annuity of 5*l.* and *A.* surrenders his Copyhold to *C.* charged with the Annuity, but *B.* refuses to surrender his, *C.* shall not be obliged to pay the Annuity, and Parol Evidence may be admitted to rebut the Equity set up by the Bill. *Walker v. Walker, M. 1740. 2 Atkyns 98.*]

[But *C.* might bring his Bill to compel *B.* to surrender. *Ibid.*]

[If Husband gives Bond to Trustees to secure 500*l.* to his Wife; if she survives, parol Evidence cannot be admitted to shew it was intended in Lieu of Dower. *Tinney v. Tinney, M. 1743. 3 Atkyns 8.*]

[If a Bill is brought to carry into Execution Agreement for the Lease of a House, Defendant the Lessor shall be admitted to Parol Proof that Plaintiff, who wrote the Agreement, omitted to make the Rent (which was reduced to 9*l.* instead of 14*l.* the former Rent) payable clear of all Taxes. *Joynes v. Statham, M. 1746. 3 Atkyns 388.*]

[If *A.* Tenant in Tail, to raise Money to pay Debts on his Estate, proposes to his Brother *B.* Tenant in Tail in Reversion, to join in Mortgage and Bond for 1000*l.* which is done, and the Money all paid to *A.* parol Evidence shall not be admitted to prove that this Debt shall be entirely on the Estate of *B.* *Semb. Robinson v. Gee, 1749. 1 Vezey 251.*]

[If a Mother agrees to give her Daughter a Portion on Marriage, which is recited in Articles to which she is not a Party, but sets her Name as Witness, she shall be decreed to pay. *Welford v. Beezley, M. 19 G. 2. Wilson 118.*]

So, after 18 Years passed, and a Fine levied of the Land, and no Claim within five Years, a Parol Agreement was not decreed.

So, where only 10s. was paid; or 20s. 1 *Ch. R.* 241.

So, a Lease by *Parol* only shall not be decreed against the *Heir*. *R. 2 Ca. Ch.* 202.

[Where there is a whole Agreement by *Parol*, that Part of it executed, Equity will decree specific Execution of the Whole; but where there is an Agreement by Writing executed, Evidence cannot supply any Defect in that Agreement, which was intended to be Part of that Agreement, but not inserted in it. *Binsted v. Colman*, in *Sc. T.* 1720. *Bunb.* 65.]

[To add to an Agreement in Writing, by admitting *parol* Evidence of what will affect Land, is against the Statute, and against the Rule of Common Law prior to it. *Parteriche v. Powlet*, *T.* 1742. 2 *Atkyns* 383.]

(2 C. 4.)
Since the *St.*
29 *Car.* 2.
ch. 3.

[Equity will not lay down any other Rule of Construction of this Statute than Law does. *Hayward v. Hammond*, *M.* 1738. 1 *Atkyns* 13.]

And by the *St.* 29 *Car.* 2, 3. All Leases, Estates, or Interests of Freehold, or for Years, or any uncertain Interests in or out of Lands, Tenements, &c. not put in Writing, and signed by the Parties, or their Agents, authorized in Writing, shall have no Effect but as Estates at Will, except Leases not exceeding 3 Years, whereof the Rent shall be two Thirds of the true Value. *Vide Post*, (3 *Z.* 2.)

And no Action shall be to charge a Defendant, on any Agreement on Consideration of Marriage, or on any Contract, or Sale of Lands, &c. or any Interest concerning them, unless such Agreement, or some Note of it, be in Writing signed by the Party, or some authorized by him.

And therefore an Agreement by *Parol* shall not be decreed, tho' the Plaintiff expends Money in Confidence of it. 1 *Ver.* 151.

[So if *A.* agrees to sell Land to *B.* and writes to his Agent to give him the Title Deeds, he having agreed to dispose of it to him, and then *A.* sells it to *C.* who had Notice of this Transaction; yet this Letter does not take it out of the Statute of Frauds and Perjuries, for the Agreement does not appear in it. *Seagood v. Neale*, *P.* 7 *G.* *Str.* 426.]

So, when an Agreement is in Writing, and an additional Agreement is afterwards made by *Parol*, this shall not be helped. *R. 2 Ca. Ch.* 142.

If *A.* in Treaty for a Purchase desists, upon an Agreement by *B.* to permit him to have Part of the Land, tho' *B.* thereupon purchases. *Cont. at the Rolls*, but *per Cowper acc.* 2 *Ver.* 627.

So, if there is a Letter agreeing to give so much with a Daughter, and afterwards a different Agreement is written, but not signed, it shall not be decreed. *Semb.* 2 *Ver.* 34.

Yet an Agreement to assign a Term and Goods, and that it should be put in Writing, was decreed to be executed, it being Part of the Agreement that it should be put in Writing, and Part of the Money being paid. *R. upon a Plea of the St.* 29 *Car.* 2.—2 *Ca. Ch.* 135, 6. *Adm.* 1 *Ver.* 151. Especially if the reducing it into Writing is prevented by Fraud. *Eq. Abr.* 19.

If a Bond is given by a Woman to *A.* to settle her Estate on him in Fee, after Marriage; altho' the Bond is made void by the Marriage, it shall be Evidence of the Agreement, which shall be decreed. 2 *P. W.* 244.

So, an Agreement to sell a House, &c. signed only by one; he shall be enforced to perform it, tho' it was not signed by the other. *R. 2 Ca. Ch.* 164.

So, if an Agreement be by *A. B.* and *C.* to make a Lease, and it is executed by *A.* it shall be decreed that *B.* and *C.* who were the Sons of *A.* shall execute it, tho' the Agreement was by *Parol*; for it is out of the Statute. *R. upon a Plea of the St.* 1 *Ver.* 210.

An Agreement for a Mortgage shall be decreed, tho' by *Parol*, where it was executed by one Party. *Eq. Abr.* 20.

So if *A.* upon a Treaty of Marriage between his Daughter and *B.* writes by Letter, that he will give 1500 *l.* in Answer to a Letter by *C.* and afterwards *C.* by another Letter says, that he will go no further in the Treaty, if *A.* will not give more, and *A.* afterwards by *Parol* declares that he will give 1500 *l.* he shall be decreed so to do, tho' the first Promise to *C.* seemed to be waived by his Answer.

—*R.*

R. 1 Ver. 111, 201. R. where there was such a Letter, without more; and affirmed in Parliament, 2 Ver. 322.—Dub. Eq. Abr. 20.

But a Letter, that he will give 3000*l.* not shewn to the Husband, who accepts of 2000*l.* given by Will, is not a Ground for more. *2 P. W. 75.*

So, if a Joint Lessee agrees by *Parol* to assign his Part of the Lease, to his Companion, and accepts of any Thing to bind the Contract, the Statute is no Plea. *1 Ver. 472, 3.*

[So if there is a *Parol* Agreement for a Lease for 21 Years, and Lessee enters and enjoys for several Years, he shall not plead the Statute. *Earl of Ayleford's Case, M. 1 G. 2. Str. 783.*]

So, if Money is expended, in Confidence of a *Parol* Agreement, Equity will relieve for the Money. *1 Ver. 159.*

So, if a Lease by *A.* to *B.* is agreed by *Parol*, and drawn and ingrossed by the Counsel of *B.* and afterwards executed by *A.* it shall not be avoided by *B.* *Semb. upon a Plea of the Stat. and the Plea over-ruled. 1 Ver. 221, 2.*

[A Person subscribing a Deed as a Witness only, and knowing the Contents, is a Signing within the Statute, if it is a compleat Agreement reduced to a Certainty; for where the Substance has been complied with, the Forms of the Statute have not been insisted on. *Welford v. Beaseley, P. 1747. 3 Atkyns 503. 1 Vezey 6.*] *Wilson 118.*

So, if an Agreement, upon a Treaty of Marriage, is drawn by an Attorney, but before the Signing they part, yet the Marriage is solemnized, with the Privy of them all; it shall be decreed. *R. 2 Ver. 200.*

[So if the Defendant before Marriage promised verbally to settle the Plaintiff's Estate to her separate Use, and after Marriage declares by Letter, that he is ready to sign the Writings according to her Desire; he shall not be permitted to plead the Statute of Frauds and Perjuries. *Viscount. Dowager Mountacute v. Maxwell, M. 6 G. in Canc. Str. 236.*]

[If an Agreement is made previous to Marriage, that an Estate shall be, after the Mother's Decease, enjoyed by the Wife for her separate Use during the Coverture, and the Deeds are drawn, limiting it to the Husband, and she refuses to execute till rectified, whereupon a Note is given and signed by the Husband, that she shall so enjoy; this Note shall be looked on as Part of the Agreement and Settlement, and the Wife shall be relieved against the Husband or his Assignees. *Tyrrell v. Hope, P. 1743. 2 Atkyns 558.*]

[If there is Agreement that 500*l.* shall be settled to Wife's Use during Coverture, and afterwards as she shall appoint, but the Parties are married before it is executed; afterwards it is prepared, and Alterations made in Husband's Writing, who tells Wife they are for her Benefit, and suffers her to receive to her Use during Coverture; the Statute of Frauds cannot be pleaded to a Discovery of such Agreement. *Taylor v. Beech, T. 1749. 1 Vezey 297.*]

If signed by the Plaintiff, but the Defendant tears the Articles, yet assents to the Marriage, the Defendant shall be decreed to execute. *R. 2 Ver. 373. Eq. Abr. 20.*

If an Agreement prayed to be performed be confessed by the Answer, it shall be decreed, altho' by *Parol.* *Eq. Abr. 19. Eq. Ca. 86.**

* 2d Part of
2 Mod. Ca.

And an Agreement may be decreed, tho' it is not equal; as, if a Man agreed to assign a College Lease, for an Abatement of 420*l.* when the Lease was purchased for 4320*l.* when the King was restored; the Agreement was decreed against the Son, after the Restoration. *R. Ca. Ch. 42.*

(2 C. 5.)
Decreed, tho'
not equal.

If *A.* agrees to pay 750*l.* per Ann. for Rent of Water to the City of London, and it is not of the Value of 300*l.* per Ann. he shall not be aided; for a losing Bargain shall be decreed as well as a beneficial one. *R. 2 Ver. 423.*

If *A.* agrees to pay 40*l.* per Ann. to *B.* an Executor, in Consideration of the personal Estate of the Testator transferred to him, and there is not sufficient for Payment of Debts, if there was no Misrepresentation, it shall be decreed to be carried into Execution. *R. 1 P. W. 542.*

(2 C. 6.)
Tho' founded
upon Mistake.

So, an Agreement founded upon Mistake, may be decreed; as, if Tenant in Tail devises Freehold Land to his Youngest Son, and Copyhold to the Eldest, and the Youngest sets up a Recovery, whereupon it is agreed, that the Youngest and Eldest Son shall enjoy their respective Devises; the Agreement was decreed against the Eldest Son, tho' no Recovery was completed. *R. Ca. Ch. 85.*

So, Marriage Articles to make a Settlement upon a Son, for Life, to his Wife for Jointure, then to the first, second, and other Sons of the Marriage, then to the right Heirs of the Son, shall be allowed, tho' the Father insists, that he was surprized, and intended, upon Default of Issue Male, to have limited a Provision for the Issue Female of the Marriage, and then to his second Son, &c. *1 Ver. 320.*

[If the proper Papers are before the Parties and their Counsel, when preparing an Agreement, they shall be supposed to be acquainted with the Consequences at Law; and after an Agreement has settled all Disputes between Parties, the Court will not enter into a Question which might have been started had there been no such Agreement. *Pullen v. Ready, M. 1743. 2 Atkyns 587.*]

[If a Man devise an Annuity payable out of real Estate, and the Annuity is paid for many (16) Years, without any Deduction, the Court will presume it was by mutual Consent, and will not decree the Annuitant to refund the Land-tax, tho' for the future he shall be subject to it. *Nicholls v. Leeson, M. 1747. 3 Atkyns 573.*]

[The Court will not relieve against a Contract in Writing, (as a Policy of Insurance) unless there is express Proof of the Mistake of the Intention of the Parties. *Henkle v. Royal-Exchange Assurance, M. 1749. 3 Vezey 317.*]

(2 C. 7.)
Tho' the
Consideration
was remote.
Vide Post,
(2 T. 9.)
4 H. 9.
4 O. 7.)

So an Agreement shall be decreed, tho' it be for the Settlement of a Remainder, after an Estate-Tail. *Cont. Ca. Ch. 244.*

So, if a Woman agrees with the Heir, who claims the Inheritance, that if she dies without Issue, she will leave him the Land, or 500*l.* and afterwards marries and dies; the Agreement shall be decreed against the Husband. *1 Ver. 48.*

So, if an Agreement for a Jointure, Provision for Children, &c. is voluntary, it shall be decreed. *1 Ver. 427, 8.*

But, where *A.* settles Land, upon the Marriage of *B.* his Son for Life, afterwards to his Wife for Life, afterwards to the Heirs of the Body of *B.* and covenants to make a Settlement of other Land to the same Uses; and makes *B.* his Executor, and dies, without making any other Settlement; *B.* levies a Fine of the Lands settled, and gives 200*l.* to *C.* his Son, upon Condition, that he releases all Demands to his Executrix; *C.* shall not be aided, in respect of the Covenant of the other Settlement made by *A.* because by such Settlement *B.* would have been Tenant in Tail, and might by Fine, or Recovery have barred *C.* *1 Ver. 480.*

(2 C. 8.) But an Agreement shall not be decreed.

(2 C. 8.)
If made with-
out a Consi-
deration.
Vide Post,
(2 T. 9.)

But an Agreement shall not be decreed, if there be not any Consideration for it.

Or, if the Consideration does not extend to the Plaintiff: As, if *A.* upon the Marriage of his Son with *B.* covenants to settle Lands, To the Use of himself for Life, then to the Son for Life, then to *B.* for Life, then to the first and other Sons of the Marriage in Tail, Remainder to *D.* his Cousin, &c. After the Death of the Son without Issue, *D.* shall not compel the Execution of the Covenant, against the Devisee of *A.* *R. in Exch. H. 5 Geo. 2. inter Parry and Hughs, 2 P. W. 256.*

[An Agreement to settle Boundaries mutually is a Consideration for the Court to decree specifically. *Penn v. Ld. Baltimore, P. 1750. 1 Vezey 444.*]

If *A.* has a Personal Estate by Will, which gives it, if *A.* dies without Heirs Male of his Body to *D.* and afterwards *A.* upon Marriage agrees to purchase Land to be settled *ut supra*, and before the Settlement is made *A.* dies without Issue Male, having three Daughters; *Qu.* Whether *D.* shall compel Execution. *Temp. G. 2. 10. Vide infra.*

[If Tenant for Life contract for Sale of Lands, the Agreement shall not be decreed for the Son, because the Lien was not reciprocal. *Armiger v. Clarke*, T. 1722. *Bunb.* 111.]

But, if the Consideration extends to him in the Remainder, it shall be decreed; as, if *A.* and his Son, upon the Marriage of the Son, covenant to make a Settlement, after the Issue of the Marriage, upon *B.* the second Son, it shall be decreed, if there was an Estate in the Eldest Son; for perhaps the Settlement on *B.* was an Inducement to *A.* to join. 2 *P. W.* 256, (594.)

So, If a Testator had limited a Personal Estate to the Son of *A.* and after his Death without Heirs Male of his Body, to *B.* the second Son. 2 *P. W.* (600.)

[An Agreement to pay Money in Consideration of stifling a Prosecution for Felony shall not be decreed; but for stifling a Prosecution for a Fraud, it may. *Johnson v. Ogilby*, P. 1734. 3 *P. W.* 277.]

Or, if it is apparently unreasonable; as a Marriage Agreement, by which the Daughter would have more than the Father, who was in Debt, and the Mother and two other Daughters would have left, where the Husband afterwards made his Addresses to another Woman, and then, without reducing the Agreement into Writing, married this Daughter, was not decreed. 2 *Ca. Ch.* 17. (2 C. 9.) If it be unreasonable.

So, where *A.* agreed to sell Land to *B.* for 15,000 *l.* which was to be paid in Money, or Land to such a Value returned for it, and afterwards sold, at an Under-value; Part to *B.* on Pretence, that it was immaterial what Value was expressed, and then *B.* would have returned the Residue in Land; the Agreement was not decreed, altho' performed in Part. *R.* 2 *Ver.* 186.

So an Agreement of a Woman in Consideration of 10 *l.* to pay 100 *l.* if she married, shall be relieved for all but 10 *l.* *Ow.* 34.

So an Agreement, for 30 *l.* and 20 *l.* per Ann. for the Life of a Father, to convey the Party's Remainder in Tail, after the Death of his Father, of the Value of 800 *l.* if he came into Possession, shall not be decreed. *R.* per *Nottingham.* *Cont. per North*, but *Acc. per Jeffrys*, 1 *Ver.* 167, 271.

[If a Daughter left an Infant, soon after coming of Age, agrees with the Widow concerning the Distribution of her Father, an Intestate's Estate, and her Husband afterwards ratifies the Agreement, yet if it appears that it was considerably more valuable, and that Daughter and Husband were both ignorant of it, the Agreement shall be set aside. *Cocking v. Pratt*, H. 1749. 1 *Vezey* 400.]

If it becomes unreasonable by Matter *ex post facto*. *Vide Post*, (2 T. 13.)

So, if it is void by Law; as, if the Agreement is to give Re-entry to a Stranger. (2 C. 10.) Or void in Law.

[This Court will not carry into Execution an Agreement for Assignment of the Fees and Profits of the Office of keeping a House of Correction, for it is contrary to the Intent of 23 *H. 6. c.* 10.; nor the Profits of the Tap-house, for it tends to increase Debauchery. *Metbwood v. Walbank*, H. 1750. 2 *Vezey* 238.]

So if there be an Agreement by Husband and Wife, it shall not be decreed against the Wife, after the Death of her Husband. 2 *Ca. Ch.* 27.

Yet, where an Agreement cannot be performed specifically, by Reason of an Incumbrance, there shall be a Settlement for a Recompence out of the Personal Estate of the Party. *Ch. R.* 406.

So, if an Agreement be discharged, it shall not be afterwards decreed.

Altho' an Agreement in Writing was discharged by Parol only. *R.* 1 *Ver.* 240. (2 C. 11.) Or, discharged afterwards.

So, if there be an Agreement to pay 50 *l.* for a Share in the *Lutespring* Company, which is afterwards prohibited. 2 *P. W.* 220.

So, if it is obtained by Practice; as, If *A.* refuses to sell Land to *B.* and afterwards *B.* obtains an Article for a Sale to *D.* at an Under-value; for Articles executed in Equity ought to be obtained without Surprise, or Circumvention. *R.* 1 *Ver.* 227. *Eq. Abr.* 18. *Vide Post*, (2 T. 11.—3 M. 1.—4 L. 1.) (2 C. 12.) Or, obtained indirectly.

[If a Man selling Timber, asserts upon his Honour, that *A.* and *B.* Timber-merchants valued it at 3500 *l.* and it appears they valued it at 2500 *l.* the Agreement shall not be decreed. *Buxton v. Lister*, T. 1746. 3 *Atkyns* 383.]

So, if, upon a Purchase by *B.* the Agent of the Vendor agrees, that he himself shall have one Farm at such a Price, or 1300*l.* *Ch. R. 32, 3.*

So, if a Man upon his Marriage with the Daughter of *B.* makes an Agreement, that he will give to his Father privately so much of the Portion; it shall be disallowed in a Court of Equity. *R. 2 Ver. 765. Vide 1 P. W. 121, 496.*

So, if the Daughter promises *B.* that if he will give such a Portion as was required, she will repay so much afterwards. *Vide Eq. Abr. 88.*

So, if a Father takes a Bond of his Son to pay him so much after Marriage; for it was extorted from him, by his Awe of his Father, *1 Sal. 158. Vide 1 P. W. 121.*

[But if a Father, and Son of full Age, come to an Agreement to alter the Limitations under a Settlement, the Court will not set it aside, on Pretence of being drawn in by the Father's Authority. *Tendril v. Smith, M. 1740. 2 Atkyns 85.*]

So, if a Man agrees to release to the Guardian of his Wife, after Marriage, for the Peace of the Family, all Accounts for the mesne Profits of an Estate of the Wife, it shall be disallowed; for every Thing, which a Father or Guardian insists upon for his private Gain, or any Security for it, is Extortion. *R. per Cowper, 1 Sal. 158.*

[If two Executors and Trustees, one an Attorney who drew the Will, refuse to prove, and say they will obstruct the *cestuique Trust* from administering, till he executes a Deed to allow them certain Sums above their Legacies; tho' this Deed is settled by his Counsel, the Court will set it aside as unduly obtained. *Ayliffe v. Murray, M. 1740. 2 Atkyns 58.*]

[An Agreement shall not be set aside because one of the Parties was drunk, unless some unfair Advantage was taken; nor a reasonable Agreement to settle Family Disputes, because paternal Authority interposed. *Cory v. Cory, T. 1747. 1 Vezey 19.*]

(2 C. 13.)
Or, made
without pro-
per Parties.

So, if an Agreement is not made between proper Parties: As an Agreement with *Cestuy que Trust* of the Surplus, without the Trustees. *D. Ca. Ch. 175.*

If the Husband of an Executrix makes an Agreement for the Assignment of an Annuity to Creditors, but before Assignment the Executrix dies, the Agreement shall not be decreed. *2 Ca. Ch. 17.*

So an Agreement by 3 Trustees only, where 4 are intrusted, shall not be decreed. *R. 2 Ca. Ch. 202.*

(2 C. 14.)
Or, not Mu-
tual.

Or, if the Remedy upon the Agreement is not reciprocal. *D. Ca. Ch. 209.*

So, if a Bond is given, with a Penalty, for the making of a Settlement of an Estate to such and such Uses, a specific Performance shall not be decreed; for he has relied upon the Penalty. *R. Ca. Ch. 188.*

(2 C. 15.)
So Failure of
one Party ex-
cuses the
other.

If an Agreement is, upon Payment of lesser Sums at future Days, to deliver up all Securities; if Payment is not precisely made at the Days limited there shall not be a Decree for Performance. *D. Ca. Ch. 110. R. 1 Ver. 210. Ch. R. 23.*

[But Articles for the Purchase of an Estate shall be performed, tho' the Vendor did not produce his Title-deeds, and Tender a Conveyance within the Time limited by the Articles. *Gibson v. Paterfon, H. 1737. 1 Atkyns 12.*]

If a Devise is, that *A.* paying the Arrears of an Annuity, in 3 Years, shall have an Abatement of 100*l.* and all Interest: If he does not pay the Arrears, within 3 Years, he shall not have the Abatement. *Ca. Ch. 52.*

If an Agreement is for the Sale of a Ship, Land, &c. and Possession delivered, and a Bond given for the Money; if the Vendor afterwards refuses a Conveyance, upon Demand, the Vendee shall have his Bond delivered up. *2 Ca. Ch. 5. Vide Post, (4 D. 18.)*

If an Agreement is by Articles for the Assignment of a Term, and afterwards, upon a Debate concerning the accruing Rent, Counsel propose to procure another Purchaser within 14 Days, and he makes an Assignment to *B.* on the last Day of the 14; there shall not be a Decree against *B.* for an Assignment to *A.* pursuant to the Agreement, tho' *B.* had Notice. *R. Ca. Ch. 122.*

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[If an Agreement is made for Purchase of Timber, and that Articles shall be drawn with usual Covenants, and the Seller refuses to insert such Covenants (as to indemnify the Purchaser against a Stranger, on whose Land the Trees and Hedge-rows would probably fall) it shall not be sent to a Master to see proper Covenants (as in the Case of Land) but the Agreement shall not be decreed. *Buxton v. Lister*, T. 1746. 3 *Atkyns* 383.]

(2 C. 16.) Specific Performance in the Discretion of the Court.

And in all Cases, it shall be in the Discretion of the Court, whether Performance *in Specie* shall be decreed, or not. *D. Ch. Ch.* 42.

And therefore, where an Agreement is suspicious, the Court will not decree it, nor direct that it shall be surrendered, or cancelled. 2 *Ver.* 632.

[If an Agreement is not *certain, fair, and just*, in all Parts, this Court will not decree specific Performance. *Buxton v. Lister*, T. 1746. 3 *Atkyns* 383.]

[If Articles for Purchase of an Estate are obtained suspiciously (as of a Man whose Speech is lost, and Understanding impaired by the Palsy) tho' the Court will not set them aside, yet it will not aid in carrying them into Execution; if the Vendee will give them up, he shall be allowed for lasting Improvements, but not if he proceeds at Law and fails. *Savage v. Taylor*, H. 10 G. 2. C. T. T. 234.]

[The Court will not decree a partial Performance of Articles; if any Part is very unreasonable they dismiss the Bill: But in Case of Mistake or Fraud, they go on other Ground, striking out the Mistake, or setting aside the Fraud, and so relieving against the Settlement itself. *Going v. Nash*, M. 1744. 3 *Atkyns* 180.]

[If a Bill is brought for specific Performance, if the Act is impossible, the Court gives no Relief, but leaves the Party to his Remedy at Law. *Green v. Smith*, M. 1738. 1 *Atkyns* 572.]

[In general, this Court will not entertain a Bill for a specific Performance of Articles for Chattels not affecting the Realty, or for Merchandise; but where the Agreement is not final, but to be made complete by subsequent Acts, a Bill to carry it into Execution will be allowed. *Buxton v. Lister*, T. 1746. 3 *Atkyns* 383.]

[If an Uncle articles with his Nephew *A.* for Sale of a Copyhold, for an inadequate Consideration, and *A.* agrees with *C.* for Sale of it for an inadequate Consideration, and Uncle surrenders to *A.* and his Wife, and the Heirs of their Bodies, and Remainder to *A.* in Fee, the Court will not decree specific Performance. *Underwood v. Hitchcox*, T. 1749. 1 *Vezey* 279.]

[If *A.* undertakes to make out the Title of *B.* to an Estate, and is to have Part of the Lands, tho' the Agreement is artfully drawn by way of Wager of a Sum of Money, and the Land made only a Security for it, yet the Court will not decree a specific Performance. *Powel v. Knowler*, M. 1741. 2 *Atkyns* 224.]

[But if *B.* afterwards by Will directs the Agreement to be carried into Execution, the Court will decree the Share to *A.* from the Time *B.*'s Possession was quieted by Injunction, without Arrears of Rent. *Ibid.*]

[If there is an Agreement to pay a *compounded* Sum at a Day certain, and it is not paid, the Court will not relieve, but the whole Debt shall be paid. *Leigh v. Barry*, M. 1747. 3 *Atkyns* 583.]

[The Court will not decree specific Performance of Covenants, for Repairs in old Church Leases, continued down without Variation in the Form. *Dean of Ely v. Stewart*, T. 1740. 2 *Atkyns* 44.]

[Specific Performance may be decreed against one become a Lunatick since the Agreement, if the legal Estate is in Trustees. *Owen v. Davies*, H. 1747. 1 *Vezey* 82.]

[Performance shall be decreed tho' the Time is lapsed, especially if the Non-performance has not arisen by Default of the Party seeking Relief. *Penn v. Ld. Baltimore*, P. 1750. 1 *Vezey* 444.]

[Performance may be decreed, tho' the Court cannot enforce it *in Rem*, but only *in Personam*. *Ibid.*]

[If *A.* and *B.* execute Articles for Purchase of an Estate, with Proviso, that if either Side break the Agreement he shall pay 100*l.* and *B.* being offered two

Years Purchase by another, accepts it, the Court will decree a specific Performance. *Howard v. Hopkins*, T. 1742. 2 *Atkyns* 371.]

[The Rule is different as against Purchasers, and between Relations, in which last the Court considers whether it will be attended with Hardships or not, or whether a superior or inferior Equity arises on the Part of the Person applying for a specific Performance. *Goring v. Nash*, M. 1744. 3 *Atkyns* 180.]

[The Court will decree specific Performance of Marriage Articles, even as to Collaterals. *Ibid.*]

[If on Marriage of a Daughter intitled to 500*l.* on her Father's Death, and to real Estate from her Mother, it is decreed the Father shall give her the 500*l.* in present, and the real Estate be settled to her and her Issue, then to her Sister and Issue, then to the Father and his Heirs; the right Heir of the Father shall have a specific Performance. *Stephens v. Trueman*, H. 1747. 1 *Vezey* 73.]

[On a Covenant to build, the Lessors are intitled to come into this Court for a specific Performance; but not on a Covenant to repair. *City of London v. Nash*, P. 1747. 3 *Atkyns* 512. 1 *Vezey* 12.]

[On a Covenant to rebuild, rebuilding some Houses, and repairing others, or pulling down fore and back Front and rebuilding, is not a Performance of the Covenant, for the Whole must be rebuilt. *Ibid.*]

[If the Lessor has seen the Repairs going on for some Time, without making an Objection to it, he comes too late afterwards for specific Performance, and the Court will only give Relief by an Issue to try the Damages. *Ibid.*]

If there is a Contract for *South-Sea Stock*, and the Defendant by his Answer offers to pay the Difference, the Court will not decree a specific Performance. *Cont. per Master of the Rolls, but Acc. per Parker upon an Appeal*, 1 P. W. 570.

[On a Contract for a Stock, with a Deposit forfeitable on Non-performance, no more than the Deposit shall be recovered. *Shenton v. Jordan*, T. 1733. *Bunb.* 132.]

But if he demurs, or plead. the Statute of Frauds, That it was above 10*l.* it will be over-ruled. 2 P. W. 305.

So, if there is an Agreement for a Copyhold with Tenant for Life, and Part of the Money is paid, but before the Residue is paid, the Tenant for Life dies, his Executor shall return the Money received, altho' Delay of the Performance was by the Default of the Plaintiff. R. 1 *Ver.* 472.

If there is an Agreement for a Purchase, and Part of the Money is paid, and then an Order by Consent is made, that the Residue of the Money shall be paid on such a Day, or that the Money paid shall be lost, and the Articles cancelled: If the Money is not paid at the Day, the Court will enlarge the Time; for the Order was only for Security of the Payment. 2 P. W. 66.

(2 C. 17.) In what Manner an Agreement shall be decreed to be executed.

An Agreement shall be decreed according to equitable Construction, in Pursuance of the Intent of the Parties, and not according to the Words: As, if by Marriage Articles, the Father covenants, upon Payment of the Portion to him, upon the Marriage of his Son, that he will settle a Jointure upon the Wife and her Issue, and the Wife dies without Issue; the Father, having the Portion, ought to make a proportionable Settlement on his Son. *Semb.* 1 *Ver.* 199.

[If a Rector agrees with a Parishioner for a certain Sum, payable yearly at *Michaelmas*, and dies before it; his Executor shall have a Proportion of the Sum to the Time of his Death. *Anon.* M. 1730. *Bunb.* 294.]

[If a Man by Articles previous to his Marriage, agrees to settle Lands in S. to himself and Wife for Life, and the Life of Survivor, Remainder to the Heirs of their two Bodies begotten, with Remainders over, and afterwards makes a Settlement of these Lands in the same Words, and has Issue a Son and two Daughters, and on the Son's Marriage settles other Lands on him in the usual Manner, and after the Son's Death levies a Fine of the Lands in S. to the Use of himself in Fee, and afterwards devises

devises these Lands to his Daughters, and all his other Lands to Trustees for his Son's Son for Life, with usual Remainders; the Grandson is not bound by the Deed, which tho' in the same Words is of different Import to the Articles; but he must make his Election, and if he chuses the Lands which ought to have been settled, his Aunts, (the Daughters) shall be reprimed out of the Lands devised to him. *Streetfield v. Streetfield*, H. 9 G. 2. C. T. T. 176.]

[If by Settlement before Marriage Securities are assigned to a Trustee, to be laid out in Purchase of Freehold to be settled to the first Son in Tail Male, Remainder to second and other Sons, Remainder to Daughters in Tail, and the Father and Mother die before the Money is invested in Freehold, leaving several Sons and Daughters; the Court will order the Money to be laid out in Land, and settled accordingly, in order to give the Remainder-men their Chance, unless they consent in Court, and then it will order the Money to be paid to the eldest Son. *Collet v. Collet*, P. 1749. 1 *Atkyns* 11.]

[If a Man under Articles to purchase and settle, purchases but does not settle, they shall be decreed to be settled accordingly to make good the Articles; if Freehold, not if Copyhold. *Whorwood v. University College*, T. 1750. 1 *Vezey* 534.]

[If A. in Marriage Articles recites he is to be intitled to all B. his Wife's personal Estate; therefore, for further Provision, covenants, that for any Sum to come to her afterwards, he will make further Settlement in proportion of 100 l. for 1000 l. and if no Issue, then B. to be paid back half such Sums as A. should receive or become intitled to in her Right; and they bring a Bill for her Share of her Grand-Father's Estate, obtain a Decree, and A. is offered 400 l. by the Person in whose Hands it is, but refuses to accept it, and does not act under the Decree, and dies without Issue; B. is intitled to 40 l. *per Annum*, and half of the 400 l. *Prime v. Stebbing*, T. 1752. 2 *Vezey* 409.]

If there be an Agreement for a Lease of Lands in the County of N. where the Lessor usually repairs, at 30 l. *per Ann.* without saying, who shall repair, if it appears that the Land is of greater Value, it shall be decreed, that the Lessee shall take a Lease, and do the Repairs, and pay 30 l. *per Ann.* without Deduction, except for Taxes by Parliament. R. 2 *Ver.* 231.

[If on Application to the Court of Aldermen for Licence for A. to marry a City Orphan, they require him to take up his Freedom, and the Marriage takes Effect, but he dies without taking up his Freedom; the Court will direct his Estate to be distributed according to the Custom, altho' there was another compleat Agreement between A. and his Father, and the Orphan and her Relations, previous to the Marriage, in which the Freedom is not mentioned. *Frederick v. Frederick*, T. 7 G. Str. 455.]

[If A Tenant for Life lets a Building-lease to B. for 61 Years, by virtue of an Act of Parliament, with Liberty to B. to quit after 20 Years, on Notice; but the Covenants usual in Building-leases are not inserted, and B. is expressly exempted from rebuilding in case of Fire; B. assigns to C. who builds, and pays Rent to A. till he dies, and then to D. his Son and first Remainder-Man in Tail, who accepts it during six Years, and then ejects for want of the usual Covenants: This Court will order new Lease with the usual Covenants, and decree quiet Possession to C. *Stiles v. Cowper*, H. 1748. 3 *Atkyns* 692.]

[Contracts for Merchandise are to be construed according to the Usage of Trade. *Baker v. Paine*. P. 1750. 1 *Vezey* 456.]

So, if by Marriage Articles, it is covenanted that A. will settle an Estate, and by the Settlement shall covenant, that it is free from Incumbrances; if a known Incumbrance is upon the Estate, Equity will not enforce a Discharge of it, or a collateral Security to be given against it, before the Parties are thereby actually prejudiced; for by the Deed the Parties seemed to be content with their Covenant. *Eq. R.* 6.

So, if the Covenant is, that the Party shall covenant that B. shall enjoy free from Incumbrance. *Eq. R.* 8.

Otherwise, if the Incumbrance was concealed from the Parties, and afterwards discovered; for that is a Fraud. *Eq. R.* 7.

[Houses

[Houses purchased in London are not a Satisfaction of a Covenant in Marriage Articles; tho' Farm-Houses, &c. which go along with the Estate, may. *Pennel v. Hallet*, P. 1751. 2 *Vezey* 276.]

[If A. covenants that 100 l. South-Sea Annuities, and a Note from C. shall be paid to B. if he survives, and A. aliens Part of these Sums, he shall give Security that the Sums shall be forthcoming. *Flight v. Cook*, T. 1755. 2 *Vezey* 619.]

[If an Agreement to let Plaintiff into a Trade is decreed to be performed, the Court will not decree an Account of the Profits from the Time he ought to have been let in, tho' he might have had Damages for it at Law. *Anon.* T. 1755. 2 *Vezey* 2.]

[Articles of Agreement may be rectified by the Minutes. *Baker v. Paine*, P. 1750. 1 *Vezey* 456.]

(2 D.) Alimony.

(2 D. 1.) When it shall be decreed.

Vide Eq. Abr.
67.

CHANCERY will compel the Husband to give Alimony to his Wife. 1 *Ch.* R. 44, 164. *Dub. Eq. R.* 1. *Adm. cont. Eq. R.* 153.

Such Decrees were introduced in the Time of the Rebellion, and confirmed by the St. 12 Car. 2. 12. s. 1. for Confirmation of Judicial Proceedings. R. 1 *Ch.* R. 187, 224. 2 *Sho.* 282.

If the Wife is separated by the Cruelty of the Husband, and afterwards 6000 l. Part of her Portion, is prayed to be vested in Lands, to be settled pursuant to Articles, upon the Husband for Life, &c. the Court will direct, that they shall be settled for the separate Use of the Wife, until Cohabitation. R. 2 *Ver.* 493.

[If A. marries B. with a good Fortune, and previously draws and gives her a Bond to secure 1700 l. if she survives; B. behaves indecently, A. uses her cruelly, B. leaves him, A. breaks open her Cabinet and takes the Bond, B. brings Bill for separate Maintenance, A. after Answer leaves the Kingdom; the Court will order what remains of the Wife's Fortune to be placed out in a Trustee's Name, the Interest to be paid during the Joint Lives to the Wife for her Maintenance, till A. returns and maintains her, and 1700 l. to be secured for her if she survives. *Watkins v. Watkins*, M. 1740. 2 *Atkins* 96.]

So, an additional Portion, which accrues to the Wife after Separation. R. 2 *Ver.* 671.

So, the Interest of a Bond for Part of the Portion where the Husband is extravagant. R. 2 *Ver.* 752.

So, if the Husband has a Trust-Estate which remains under the Direction of Chancery, the Court will decree Alimony to the Wife, after a Divorce *propter Sævitiā*. R. 4 *An. Eq. R.* 1.

So, if there is an Agreement for a separate Maintenance, Chancery will decree the Performance. R. *Eq. R.* 152.

[On a Bill to establish an Agreement for separate Maintenance, when the Wife has sworn the Peace, and the Husband by his Answer says he is desirous of cohabiting, the Court will on Motion order him to pay a gross Sum for the Time they have been separate till the Answer came in; and this, abstracted from the Decree that may be made. *Head v. Head*, H. 1745. 3 *Atkins* 295.]

[If the Husband says, by Letter to the Wife's Father, "I will allow so much while we continue separate," and the Husband, under Pretence of Insanity, has endeavoured to shut her up in a Madhouse, and she has thereupon obtained a *Supplicavit*, and the Husband still says he thinks her mad, and, if she returns, shall treat her as such, but still offers to receive her; the Court will order the Arrears to be paid; if she returns in a Month, the Maintenance to cease; if she returns, and he does not receive and treat her as a Wife, the Maintenance to continue. *Head v. Head*, T. 1747. 3 *Atkins* 547. 1 *Vezey* 17.]

So an Agreement for Pin-Money shall be decreed to be performed.

And if the Husband dies, the Pin-Money being in Arrear for a Year and 3 Quarters, the Arrears shall be decreed to the Wife. *R. Eq. Abr. 140. Vide Eq. Abr. 66.*

(2 D 2.) When not.

But Alimony shall not be decreed, except where there is a Separation. *Ca. Ch. 251. Mo. 874.*

And if Alimony is decreed, it may be suspended, if the Husband by a new Bill offers Cohabitation. *Ca. Ch. 251. Eq. Ca. 6.* Eq. Abr. 67.*

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But such Offer shall not discharge the Arrears of the Alimony. *R. Ca. Ch. 251.*

So, if the Husband by his Answer offers Cohabitation, the Wife shall not be aided in a Settlement for Alimony, beyond what the Law will aid her. *1 Ver. 53.*

Yet, if by Practice the Tenants surrender to avoid a Remedy by Law, the Court will give Relief, so far as to put her in *statu quo*, &c. *1 Ver. 53.*

So, if there is an Agreement that the Husband and Wife shall separate, and the Husband gives Security to repay the Portion to the Father of his Wife, being discharged from the Maintenance, and Debts of his Wife, and their Children, the Husband shall not be relieved against that Security, upon an Offer of Cohabitation and Payment of the Maintenance 'till that Time. *R. 2 Ver. 386.*

[The Court cannot make a Decree establishing a perpetual Separation between Husband and Wife, or to compel him to pay her a separate Maintenance, unless upon an Agreement between them, and then unwillingly. *Head v. Head, T. 1747. 3 Atkyns 547. 1 Vezey 17.*]

[In Case of Elopement and Adultery, the Court will not grant separate Maintenance; but the Proof must be full. *Watkins v. Watkins, M. 1740. 2 Atkyns 96.*]

[Depositions to prove criminal Conversation cannot be read, unless it is charged in the Answer; but it is not necessary it should be in gross Terms. *Ibid.*]

(2 D 3.) When in the Ecclesiastical Court.

The Ecclesiastical Court is the more proper Court to decree Alimony. *Litt. 78.*

And therefore, where an Application was made for it to the Judges of Assize, they recommended it to the Bishop. *Litt. 78.*

And if the Bishop orders Alimony, which is confirmed by the Court of the Marches in *Wales*, the Confirmation is void. *Semb. Litt. 79.*

(2 E.) Apportionment.

IF Rent be reserved upon a Lease, it may be apportioned in *Equity*, when it shall not by *Law*: As, if Common is recovered out of Part of the Land demised, tho' the Land itself is not evicted, yet the Rent shall be apportioned, after the Recovery the Rent reserved is too great. *Semb. Ca. Ch. 31. Vide* *What shall be an Apportionment at Law, vide Suspension, (E).*

Post, (4N. 5.)

So, if a Parson, Incumbent of a Rectory, and the Grantee of the next Avoidance, join in a Lease of Tithes, the Rent to be paid at *Easter* and *Martinmas*, and the Parson dies before *Martinmas*, the Lessee having collected the greatest Part of the Tithes, Equity will apportion how much Rent shall be paid to the Executor of the Parson, and how much to the Grantee. *Semb. 2 Ver. 204.*

If Monies are secured by Mortgage to be vested in Land for him and his Heirs, and the interest, payable at *Lady-Day* and *Michaelmas*, to be paid to the Person intitled to the Land; if the Mortgagee dies before *Mich.* tho' the Rent due at *Mich.* would have been all paid to the Heir, the Interest shall be apportioned between him and the Executor. *2 P. W. 176.*

[But if Money settled to be laid out in Land, and till then to be vested in *South Sea* Annuities, the Profits to go as the Rent of the Land would, and the Person who would be Tenant for Life dies in the Middle of a Quarter; there shall be no Apportionment of the Dividend. *Wilson v. Harman, T. 1755. 2 Vezey 672.*]

If a Portion is bequeathed to a Daughter at the Age of 18, or Marriage, and a Maintenance of 80*l.* per *Ann.* in the *interim*, by half-yearly Payments at *Lady-Day*

Day and Michaelmas, and she arrives at the Age of 18 on the 16th of *August*; her Maintenance shall be apportioned and paid up to the 16th of *August*. R. 2 P. W. 501.

But if a Man settles a Rent-charge for the Jointure of his Wife, and afterwards devises Part of the Land to her, without saying, that it shall be in Lieu of any Part of the Rent; the Rent shall not be apportioned. R. 1 Ver. 347.

If a Man devises to *A.* in Tail, Remainder to *B.* and if the Estate comes to *B.* he shall pay 1000*l.* to his Daughters; if *A.* suffers a Recovery of a Moiety, and then dies without Issue, whereby the other Moiety comes to *B.* he shall pay the whole 1000*l.* and it shall not be apportioned; for the Daughters claim *Paramount* to *A.* who suffered the Recovery. 2 Ver. 360.

When there shall be an Extinguishment, *Vide Post*, (4 N. 6, 8, 9.)

(2 F.) Appointment.

(2 F. 1.) What sufficient to charge Land.

AN Y Signification of an Intent, to make a Charge upon Land is sufficient to subject the same Land to other equitable Charges: As, if a Man devises that his Wife shall have Land in *B.* to the Value of the Portions charged upon her Jointure, if she pleases; if she refuses, &c. the Portions shall be charged on the Land in *B.* R. 2 Vent. 363.

[If a Wife has a Power, in case she survives her Husband, and has no younger Children, to dispose of 4000*l.* charged on real Estate, by Writing executed before three Witnesses, and before her second Marriage appoints, before two Witnesses only, 2000*l.* to the Use of her intended Husband; the Court will supply this Defect, as it is for valuable Consideration, and only the Execution of a Trust. *Sergison v. Sealey*, M. 1742. 2 Atkyns 412.]

[But if the Appointment is by Will, before two Witnesses only, as it is voluntary and without valuable Consideration, it is void, and the Money sinks into the real Estate. *Ibid.*]

If a Man settles Land for the Jointure of his Wife, and agrees that she shall have the Land, 'till his Heir pays 100*l.* to her Executors, Administrators, or Assigns; if she by Will in the Life-time of her Husband, gives the 100*l.* to *A.* it shall be a good Appointment. 1 Ver. 244, 5.

If a Man upon his Marriage settles Land to the Use of himself for Life, and afterwards to his Wife for Life, Remainder to the Heirs of his Body by his Wife, Remainder to his own Right Heirs; Proviso, that if there is no Issue of their Bodies, *B.* the Feoffee shall convey as the Survivor shall appoint; this operates as a Proviso to revoke, and limit new Uses; and *B.* shall convey as the Wife surviving appoints, tho' the Husband by his Will had devised the Land to other Uses. R. 2 Ver. 376.

If there is a Devise to Trustees to convey to an Infant and his 1st, 2d and other Sons in Tail, and if he dies without Issue, that *B.* shall have the Estate for Life, and afterwards *A.* shall have it to him and his Heirs, but if *A.* dies before the Estate devolves to him, it shall be conveyed to his Heir, if *A.* devises it by his Will it shall be a good Appointment, and the Devisee shall have it. *Per King*, C. Temp. Geo. 2. 8.

[If *Feme-covert*, having Power to receive Profits of an Estate to her separate Use, brings Bill jointly with her Husband for Account, and submits they shall be applied to pay his Debts, and it is decreed accordingly, it is a good Appointment. *Allen v. Papworth*, M. 1748. 1 Vezey 163.]

(2 F. 2.) What Appointment to the Person is sufficient.

So, if a Man bequeaths the Goods of such a House to *A.* for Life, and afterwards to the Heir of *B.* and by the same Will in another Part mentions the Person, who was the Heir; the Executor of such Heir, if he dies before *A.* shall take, and not he who was Heir at his Death. R. 1 Ver. 35.

If a Term is assigned to *A.* for Life, and afterwards to his Issue, the Term shall not all be in *A.* for by the Appointment to the Issue, all the Issues take by Purchase. 2 Ver. 24.

So, if a Term, upon Marriage, is assigned in Trust for the Husband for 99 Years, if he live so long, and afterwards to the Heirs of the Body of the Husband by his Wife; the Husband doth not take the whole Term, but it shall be an Appointment to the Issues of the Husband and Wife. R. 2 Ver. 23.

So, if upon a Marriage, a Term is assigned to the Husband for Life, then to the Wife for Life, and afterwards to the Heirs of the Body of the Wife by her Husband, the Words *Heirs of the Body of the Wife* are an Appointment to the Issues of the Marriage, who shall take, and the Estate does not vest in the Wife. Cont. per Lord Chancellor Jefferies, but the Decree was reversed by the Lords Commissioners, and the Reversal affirmed in Parliament. 2 Ver. 43, 196. R. 2 Ver. 362.—Otherwise, if it had been to the Heirs of the Body of the Husband and Wife. R. Cont. per Master of the Rolls, but upon Appeal R. Acc. 2 Ver. 668.

But a Limitation of the Trust of a Term for Years to the Heir of the Termor, after a Limitation to one not *in esse*, does not amount to an Appointment of the Trust to the Heir; but it reverts to him who made the Trust. Ca. Ch. 8.

If a Woman, before her Marriage with *A.* covenants to stand seised, to the Use of herself in Tail, and afterwards to such Uses as she shall appoint, and, for Default of such Appointment, to *B.* her Cousin; and by her Will she appoints the Estate to *A.* and his Heirs; this, being a void Use in Law, shall not be decreed, as an Appointment in Equity. R. 2 Ver. 8. But a *Qu.* is there made.

[If *A.* suffers a Recovery, and declares it shall enure to the Use of himself, his Heirs and Assigns, and to such Uses, &c. as he by Will shall appoint, and by Will he appoints to the Use of *B.* and *C.* this is good, and not a Use upon a Use; for and shall be construed *or.* *Dobbins v. Bowman*; M. 1746. 3 Atkyns 408.]

(2 F. 3.) When it shall be defeated.

[If a Father having Power to appoint 3000*l.* among his younger Children, appoints 2900*l.* to one, subject to certain Devices in his Will; it is a void Appointment, for he cannot annex a Condition. *Pawlet v. Pawlet*, T. 21 & 22 G. 2. 1 Wilf. 224.]

If there is an Appointment, it may be defeated by Matter *ex post Facto*: As, if Trustees have a Power to distribute 4000*l.* amongst younger Children, in such Proportion as *A.* shall appoint; *A.* appoints 2000*l.* to the second Son, and afterwards the Estate comes to him by the Limitations of the Settlement; tho' the Appointment was good, when made, yet it is defeated by the Descent of the Estate; for the second Son had a defeasible Capacity, and took *sub Modo*, viz. as a Younger Child, but by the Descent of the Estate, he became Eldest Son, within the Intent of the Settlement. Per Lord Keeper Cowper, H. 4 Ann. in *Sir Thomas Dolman's Case*, 2 Ver. 528.

So, if no Appointment is made, the Court will make an Appointment.

And, if Distribution is to be made to the Children of *B.* after the Death of *A.* in such Manner as *A.* appoints, who dies without making any Appointment, and some of the Children of *B.* are dead leaving Issue; the Court will direct a Distribution *per Stirpes*, and not *per Capita*. 2 Ver. 50.

[If a Man leaves 600*l.* to his Wife, to be by her disposed of among his three Daughters, in such Proportion, and payable in such Manner, as she thinks fit, and she gives 200*l.* thereof to her Daughter *A.* who is dead, it is void, even if *A.* had left Children. *Maddison v. Andrew*, M. 1747. 1 Vezey 57.]

[For Default of Appointment of the Whole or any Part, such unappointed Part goes equally among those alive at the Mother's Death. *Ibid.*]

[The discretionary Power of a Parent to appoint does not devolve on the Court for want of Appointment. *Ibid.*]

(2 G) Assets.

(2 G. 1.) What shall be.

WHAT Things shall be said to be Assets at Law, *Vide in Assets.*[An Advowson in Fee in Gross is real Assets by Descent. *Robinson v. Tonge*, M. 4 G. 2. Str. 879. 3 P. W. 398. 2. If it is extendible. *Westfaling v. Westfaling*, H. 1746. 3 Atkyns 460.][A Fire-engine set up for the Benefit of a Colliery by Tenant for Life is personal Estate, and shall go to the Executor: so a Cyder-mill let in very deep into the Ground. *Lawton v. Lawton*, M. 1743. 3 Atkyns 13.][An Office (as Housekeeper of the Palace and House of Lords) granted for Years is liable to Debts, and a Fee, being an Allowance by Lord Chamberlain's Warrant, for particular Purposes is Part of the Office, tho' a voluntary Grant of the Crown, and tho' it may be varied. *Schellenger v. Blackerby*, M. 1749. 1 Vezey 347.][If A. Tenant for Life, Remainder to his Sons in Tail, Remainder to his Nephew B. in Tail, Remainder over, lets in B. immediately, on his agreeing to permit A's Appointee to receive the Rents for as long Time after A's Death as he B. shall enjoy them during A's Life; this is Part of A's general Assets, tho' he has appointed to a Daughter unprovided for, and B. shall suffer a Recovery. *Ld. Townsend v. Windham*, T. 1750. 2 Vezey 1.]

If a Man dies seised of an Estate in Land, to him and his Heirs, lying in the foreign Plantations, it shall be Assets. R. 2 Vent. 358. 2 Ca. Ch. 145.

If an Executor puts out Money of the Testator at Interest, the Interest received shall be Assets. Cont. for the Executor was at the Hazard of losing the Principal. 2 Ca. Ch. 35. R. Acc. 2 Ca. Ch. 152.

If a Man purchases Land, in another's Name, in Trust for him and his Heirs, it shall be Assets in Equity in the Heir. R. Cont. per 3 Judges, tho' the Trust was decreed to the Heir. Ca. Ch. 14.—R. Cont. upon Demurrer, Ca. Ch. 128. *Dub. 1 Ver.* 173.But now by the St. 29 Car. 2. 3. A Trust in Fee-simple is made Assets, so that the Heir, by false Plea, Confession, or *nihil dicit*, &c. shall not be liable to the Debt out of his own Estate.

R. That it is Assets in Equity. 2 Ch. R. 145.

If Land is conveyed in Fee in Trust for A. and his Heirs, and a Term for Years is conveyed to A. in Trust to attend the Inheritance, this Term shall be Assets for the Debts of A. 2 Ca. Ch. 49, 152. Acc. If no Trust of the Term is declared. 1 Ver. 188, 9. 340, 1. Eq. Abr. 241.

So, if the Inheritance is conveyed to A. himself, and the Term is assigned to a Stranger upon Trust to attend the Inheritance, the Term shall be Assets for the Debts of A. R. 2 Ca. Ch. 152. Cont. 2 Ca. Ch. 49. Acc. 1 Ver. 1, 104. *Semb. Ch. R.* 64. *Vide Post*, (4 W. 22.)

If a Man by Covenant, &c. binds his Heir, and afterwards conveys Land to his Heir in Fee; it shall be Assets in Equity. R. 1 Ch. R. 18.

If a Man devises Lands, to his Executor, for the Payment of Debts, they are Assets. 1 Ver. 64. *Vide Post*, (3 A. 3, &c.)[If an Executor is also made Trustee in a Devise for Payment of Debts, the Assets shall be equitable, and the Creditors paid *pari passu*. *Lewin v. Okely*, T. 1740. 2 Atkyns 50.]

If Tenant in Tail levies a Fine and makes a Mortgage for 1000 l. and afterwards devises his Lands in the same County for Payment of Debts; a Term in Trust to attend the Inheritance, shall be Assets, if the Fine does not declare the Uses after the Mortgage paid, to be to the former Uses. 1 Ver. 100.

If a Copyhold is surrendered to the Use of a Man's Will, and he devises it to his Executrix for Life, paying his Debts, and that she shall pay 50 l. to his Heir; the Whole shall be Assets for Payment of Debts, and the Executrix may sell to such Intent. R. 1 Ch. R. 203.

[If a Copyholder in Tail accepts a Grant from the Lord, of the Freehold and Fee-simple, the Intail is extinct, and the Estate is Affets by Descent. *Dun v. Green, T. 1724. 3 P. W. 9.*]

If a Term, for raising a Portion for *A.* is merged by the Descent of the Inheritance, it shall be revived for the Benefit of Creditors. *R. 2 Ver. 91, 208.*

If there is a Mortgage in Fee, and the Equity of Redemption descends to the Heir, it shall be Affets in Equity. *Dub. Ca. Ch. 148. 1 Ver. 410, 411. R. 2 Ver. 55. 61, 2.*

[If one possessed of a Term for Years, mortgages it, and dies, leaving Bond and simple Contract Debts; the Equity of Redemption is equitable Affets, and liable to all the Debts equally. Case of Sir Charles Cox's Creditors, *M. 1734. 3 P. W. 341.*]

[But where a Bond is given to *B.* in Trust for *A.* or if a Term of Years be taken in the Name of *B.* in Trust for *A.* it shall be paid in a Course of Administration. *Ibid.*]

[If a simple Contract Creditor obtains a Decree that he and the Rest of the Creditors should come in before the Master, and be paid all their Debts; a Bond Creditor coming on the Foot of the Decree shall be paid only *pro Rata* with the simple Contract Creditors. *Ibid.*]

[And *semb. per Jekyll M. R.* if Bond Creditor having Notice of such Decree and Advertisement in Gazette, shall lie by, and afterwards bring Action against Executor; tho' Executor could not defend himself at Law, yet Equity would assist him, and compel the Bond Creditor to accept in Proportion with simple Contract Creditors. *Ibid. Sed quære.*]

[If *A.* by Articles on his Son *B.*'s Marriage covenants in three Years to pay 12,000 *l.* to be settled to *B.* for Life, to his Wife for Life, to Sons in Tail Male, to Daughters in Tail general; provided, if no Child but one Daughter, and *B.*'s Heirs should in three Months after his Death pay 4000 *l.* to Trustees, then the Uses limited to the Daughter and her Heirs in the 12,000 *l.* to cease, and to be to *B.* his Heirs and Assigns: *B.* dies, leaving only one Daughter, and devises the 12,000 *l.* subject to the Trusts to *A.* and makes him Executor, and he does not pay the 4000 *l.* in three Months; yet the reversionary Interest of *B.* in the 12,000 *l.* and the Right of redeeming it by the Payment of 4000 *l.* shall be real Affets, and liable to the Payment of a Judgment Creditor. *Fredrick v. Aynscombe, M. 1739. 1 Atkyns 392.*]

If a Man articles for the Purchase of Land, the Money shall be decreed for the Purchase for the Benefit of the Heir. *R. 1 Sal. 154.*

But, if there is a Deficiency of Personal Affets for Payment of Debts upon simple Contract, &c. the Money shall be Affets in the Hands of the Executor for that Purpose. *Semb. 1 Sal. 154.*

[An Estate made subject by Will to a Term for Payment of Debts, must first be applied before Creditors can come on the Estate descend to the Heir at Law. *Powis v. Corbet, T. 1747. 3 Atkyns 556.*]

[Affets descendible on the Heir at Law must be applied before Lands specifically devised. *Ibid. Chaplin v. Chaplin, T. 1735. 3 P. W. 365.*]

[A Man cannot possibly raise a Fee-simple to his own right Heirs, by the Name of Heirs, as a Purchase, so as to prevent the Reversion being Affets. *Godolphin v. Abington, M. 1740. 2 Atkyns 57.*]

[If Administrator *de bonis non* finding the Outgoings of a College Lease to exceed the Profits, neglects to renew, and suffers the Heir at Law of Testator (whose Lands lie intermixed with the Leasehold) to renew, such Heir will be liable to pay the Debts if the Rest of the personal Estate falls short. *Semb. for the Lessee in a new Lease, taking in the Right of the old, must take it, subject to all the Equity to which the original Lessee was liable. Edwards v. Lewis, T. 1747. 3 Atkyns 538.*]

[If *A.* gives several Legacies, and makes *B.* Executor and Residuary Legatee, and he receives all the Affets, and with the Money buys Land, and also the Equity of Redemption of an Estate on which Testator had a Mortgage, and dies, the Lands and the Equity of Redemption so purchased shall be Affets, and liable to the Legatees of *A.* *Ryall v. Ryall, H. 1739. 1 Atkyns 59.*]

So, if a Mortgage be to *A.* and his Heirs, for the Life of *B.* upon Condition, that if *B.* pays 100 *l.* it shall be void; this Estate *pur autre vie* would have been Assets for the Executor of *A.* before the *St. 29 Car. 2. 3. 1 Ch. R. 39.*

[An Estate *pur autre vie*, tho' it is devised, is liable to Specialty Debts; for the Devise is void by the Statute of fraudulent Devises. *Westfaling v. Westfaling, H. 1746. 3 Atkyns 460.*]

If an Heir sold the Estate descended before any Action commenced, the Money would have been Assets in Equity, before the *St. 29 Car. 2. Dub. 1 Ver. 282.*

So, if the Heir, for Money, release his Equity of Redemption, the Money is Assets. *2 Ver. 62.*

If by Marriage Articles Money is to be vested in a Purchase for the Husband and Wife, and their Children, afterwards to the Heirs of the Husband; after the Death of the Husband and Wife without Issue, the Money is Assets, and goes to the Executor, or Residuary Legatee. *R. 2 Ver. 295.*

If a Husband assigns an Estate, to which his Wife was intitled as Executrix, to Trustees to the Use which he shall appoint, and afterwards by his Will devises it to his Wife and Children; it shall be Assets in the first Place for the Payment of his Debts, and the Wife and Children take only as Legatees. *R. 2 Ver. 287.*

If *B.* upon a Purchase from *A.* gives a Bond to pay 500 *l.* as *A.* shall appoint, who by his Will appoints the 500 *l.* to be paid to his Relations; the 500 *l.* shall be Assets for the Creditors of *A.* for he had the Disposition of it. *R. 2 Ver. 319, 465.*

[If by Articles before Marriage of *A.* and *B.* it is agreed that 300 *l.* shall remain charged on Land till laid out in purchase of Lands to be settled to *A.* for Life, to *B.* for Life, and if no Children, as *B.* shall direct, and *B.* directs it to *A.* to be employed in charitable or other Purposes, as he thinks fit, and *A.* disposes of it by Will to three poor Clergymen's Children, in pursuance of his Wife's Directions; yet it is Assets, and liable to *A.*'s Debts. *Hinton v. Toye, M. 1739. 1 Atkyns 465.*]

So, if *A.* by Marriage Settlement reserves 3000 *l.* to be at his own Disposal, and by Will gives it to his Daughter. *R. 2 Ver. 465.*

[If a Man having a Power to charge his Wife's Estate with 2000 *l.* by Will gives 500 *l.* apiece to his two Sisters, yet the whole 2000 *l.* shall be liable to his Debts. *Bainton v. Ward, P. 1741. 2 Atkyns 172.*]

[If a Man has a Power to dispose of a Reversion in Fee, and makes no Disposition of it, yet it shall be Assets to satisfy Specialty Creditors. *Ibid.*]

[If *A.* on Marriage settles his Estate on himself for Life, his Wife for Life, Remainder to preserve, &c. Remainder to his first and other Sons in Tail Male, Remainder to himself in Fee, and there is Issue a Son, and *A.* dies indebted by Bond, and then the Son dies without Issue, having devised the Estate to *B.* in Fee; this Reversion in Fee now come into Possession is Assets to pay the Bond Debts of *A.* *Kinaston v. Clark, T. 1741. 2 Atkyns 204.*]

[If a Man after Marriage, yet in Consideration of a Portion paid at the Time, settles Lands to himself for Life, his Wife for Life, and his Son in Tail and afterwards makes a Purchase jointly with his eldest Son, and then another jointly with his youngest Son, paying the whole Purchase-Money, and long after gives a Judgment, and dies, leaving other Land mortgaged, the mortgaged Premises shall be sold, and the Money applied, first to pay the Mortgage, and then the Judgment, and if not sufficient, a Moiety of the two joint Purchases shall be sold and applied to pay the Judgment, and the Surplus, if any, paid to the two Sons respectively. *Stileman v. Ashdown, M. 1742. 2 Atkyns 477. T. 1743. 2 Atkyns 608.*]

[If a Man has Power to charge a Sum on Land by Deed or Will, and executes it by a voluntary Deed, it is personal Assets, and his Sons in Law claiming under Settlement before Marriage are not intitled to the Benefit of it. *Pack v. Batburst, T. 1745. 3 Atkyns 269.*]

[If a Person has a general Power to appoint to Uses, it is his absolute Estate, and shall be subject to his Debts. *Troughton v. Troughton, H. 1747. 3 Atkyns 656.*]

If a Term for Years is bequeathed, and the Executor assents to the Bequest, yet this Term shall be Assets in the Hands of the Legatee to satisfy the Debts of the Testator. *R. Ca. Ch. 257.*

Otherwise, if the Legatee sells it, for a valuable Consideration, it shall not be Assets in the Hands of the Purchaser; for he hath a good Title in Law, and shall not be prejudiced by a secret Trust for Creditors. *Ca. Ch. 257.*

(If *A.* mortgages his Estate to *B.* who gives no Money for it, but a Bond, and *A.* dies, and makes *B.* his Executor, the Bond, tho' extinguished at Law, shall be Assets in Equity. *Fox v. Fox, M. 1737. 1 Atkyns 463.*)

[If after a Bidder for an Estate under a Decree is confirmed the best Purchaser, he is kept out of Possession some Time by a Mortgagee, and in that Time several Lives fall in, whereby the Value of the Estate is greatly increased, the Court will order a further Sum to be paid by the Purchaser. *Davy v. Barber, M. 1742. 2 Atkyns 489.*]

(2 G. 2.) What not.

But if an Executor takes a new Bond to himself for a Debt of the Testator, he shall not be compelled to pay the Money, but only to assign the new Security to the Heir. *R. Ca. Ch. 74.*

If an Executor gives his Recognizance to pay Creditors, and Houses of London are burnt down by Fire, by which the greatest Part of the Assets is lost; there shall be no Remedy, upon the Recognizance, above the Value of the Assets which remain, *2 Ver. 57. Vide Eq. Abr. 85.*

If a Factor sells the Goods of his Principal, and afterwards lays out the Money in other Goods; these shall not be Assets for the Payment of the Debts of the Factor.

So, if a Factor sells Goods for *A.* and dies before Payment; nothing but the Factorage shall be Assets; for the Money belongs to *A.* for whom the Factor was only a Trustee. *R. 2 Ver. 638.*

So, if a Term is granted to *B.* who re-demises it to *A.* at a Pepper Corn Rent during his Life, and afterwards at 1500*l.* per Ann. during the Life of his Wife, for her Jointure, and afterwards at a Pepper Corn during the Residue of the Term; the Term shall not be Assets, being created for a special Purpose, but for Specialties, which charge the Inheritance. *R. 2 Ver. 58, 215.*

[If *A.* having a Church-lease, on Renewal inserts his Brother *B.*'s name with his own, *A.* paying the Fine and Rents, and receiving the Profits, if it is proved by one Witness that he intended *B.* should have the Survivorship, it shall not be Assets. *Maddison v. Andrew, M. 1747. 1 Vexey 57.*]

[But if *A.* makes a voluntary Settlement, reserving a Power to charge it with 1000*l.* and by his Will leaves a Legacy of 300*l.* to be paid by his Executor, chargeable on all his real and personal, and the Personal is insufficient, this shall be Assets tho' *A.* doth not refer to the Power. *Ibid.*]

If a Term is agreed, upon a Marriage, to be renewed, and assigned to the same Trusts, and *A.* renews, but does not assign the Term; it shall not be Assets for the Debts of *A.* but is assignable to the Trusts. *R. 2 Ver. 289.*

If a Reversion descends to an Heir as Assets, after Judgment against the Heir, he shall not be compelled in Equity to sell the Reversion, 'till it comes into Possession. *R. 2 Ver. 134.*

If *A.* sells Lands, and Part of the Purchase Money is left in the Hands of the Purchaser, which *A.* afterwards appoints to be paid to *B.* and dies; this Money is not Assets in the Hands of the Executor of *A.* *3 Ch. R. 3.*

[If *A.* binds himself and Heirs in a Bond, and mortgages Land for more than the Value, and the Heir has 200*l.* for joining in Sale of the Premises, the 200*l.* is not Assets. *Dun v. Green, T. 1724. 3 P. W. 9.*]

If Tenant for Life, Remainder to his eldest Son in Tail, Remainder to Himself in Fee, devises the Lands for Payment of his Debts, and dies, and afterwards the eldest Son levies a Fine, by which the Fee and Tail are consolidated; the Rents due in the Life-time of the Son, are not Assets, after his Death, for the Debts of the Tenant for Life. *R. Eq. Abr. 140.*

[If

[If *A.* Tenant in Tail in Remainder, in his Father's Life-time limits the Lands on his Marriage, and covenants after his Father's Death to suffer Recovery to the same Uses, with Power to revoke and create new, which he afterwards does, and suffers Recovery, declaring the Uses to Trustees for himself for Life, to Trustees to preserve, &c. to raise Portions, and to his first and other Sons in Tail-male, &c. these Lands were never Assets of *A.* nor are liable to Debts by Specialty, tho' they would to such Debts as are specific Liens. *Brown v. Durston, H. 1747. 3 Atkyns 631.*]

[If Tenant for Life assigns Rents and Dividends for 21 Years, in Trust to pay a Debt to *A.* by Instalments, and if he dies before all the Debt is paid, then the Trustee to apply the Residue of the Rents and Dividends due at making the Assignment, and accruing due afterward, towards Satisfaction for the Residue of the Debt. These Arrears are not Assets, but *A.* has a specific Lien on them. *Ld. Townshend v. Windham, T. 1750. 2 Vezey 1.*]

[If Part Owners of a Ship, *A.* being one, enter into Agreement empowering *A.* to contract for building, &c. a Ship for them, with covenant to bear proportional Shares of Expences, and *A.* dies intestate, his Share shall not go into his general Assets, but the other Part Owners have a specific Lien thereon, for what they have paid or shall pay for building and equipping the Ship. *Doddington v. Hallet, T. 1750. 1 Vezey 497.*]

[If *A.* lends *B.* 500*l.* on his Note, he assuring him that his Aunt had left him 4000*l.* which Chancery had decreed him; but it appears that this 4000*l.* was directed to be laid out in Land, and was so decreed, the Representative of *B.* is not obliged to pay it. *Trelawny v. Broth, P. 1742. 2 Atkyns 307.*]

[Lands in *Ireland* are not liable, except Banker's Lands for their Notes. *Cox v. Bateman, T. 1750. 2 Vezey 19.*]

(2 G. 3.) Bill for Discovery of Assets.

So, if there be a Bill against an Executor or Administrator for Discovery of Assets, it ought to charge, that Assets or Goods of the Testator came to his Hands. *R. upon Demurrer, Ca. Ch. 226. Vide Post, (3 B. 1.)*

If an Executor assigns Part of the Personal Estate to another, a Creditor may pursue it against the Assignee. *2 Ver. 76.*

So, tho' one Executor admits Assets, there shall be an Account against another, who does not admit them. *2 P. W. 145.*

[Admission of Assets, by Executor, to one Legatee, is an Admission to all. *Cook v. Martyn, P. 1737. 2 Atkyns 2.*]

[On a Bill for Discovery of Assets and Satisfaction; if Testator has given Judgment for his Daughter's Portion, which he articulated for before Marriage, that Judgment shall have Preference. *Ld. Townshend v. Windham, T. 1750. 2 Vezey 1.*]

[If Testator has given Judgment for the Balance of an Account stated between him and his Son-in-Law and Executor, a few Days before his Death, the Master shall inquire what Debts, &c. and the Judgment stand as a Security for the Balance, with Preference, and Executor may retain. *Ibid.*]

(2 G. 4.) If the Assets are exhausted by a Debt upon Security, that shall come in Aid.

If a Man is indebted to the King and others, and his Personal Assets do not suffice for the Whole, the Debt to the King shall be charged upon the Land whereby the Personal Assets may remain for the other Creditors. *1 Ver. 455.*

If there is a Mortgage and Debts upon Specialty, and the Executor pays the Mortgage out of the Personal Assets; the other Creditors shall have the Advantage of the Mortgage, for so much as was applied thereto out of the Personal Estate. *R. 2 Ver. 273, 763.*

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So, Creditors upon simple Contract. *R. 2 Ver. 763. R. Eq. Ca. 151.**

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If a Man, having a Statute or Recognizance, takes all the Personal Assets, and does not resort to the Land, whereby the Assets fail for Creditors and Legatees; the Land shall be charged to that Amount for the other Creditors and the Legatees; for the Land was the principal Security. 2 Ver. 182. 3. 477.

So, if A. executes a Judgment upon the Personal Assets only, and not upon the Land, tho' both are charged. *Semb. per Hutchins*, 2 Ver. 182, 3.

So, if A. has a Mortgage and a Recognizance for Performance of Covenants, and executes the Recognizance upon the Personal Estate, whereby the younger Children of the Mortgagor become destitute of any Provision. R. 2 Ver. 309.

But if A. is Surety for B. to C. and a Term is assigned to A. for his Security, and afterwards B. dies, and makes A. his Executor, who pays C. out of the Personal Assets; the other Creditors shall not have the Benefit of this Term. R. 2 Ver. 36.

If A makes a Settlement to the Use of his Wife for Life, Remainder to B. in Tail, with a Power of Revocation; B. is the Heir at Law and sells to C. the Estate of C. is not liable to the Creditors of A. 2 Ver. 44.

If A makes a Mortgage to B. and then settles his Estate upon his Son in Tail, and afterwards mortgages to C. who knew not of the prior Mortgage, and dies, and his Administrator pays off the prior Mortgage; he shall not be allowed it against C. R. 2 Ver. 305.

If A. makes an express Devise of an Estate in Mortgage, to a younger Son, and afterwards computes his Personal Estate to be 5000 l. and gives Legacies to his younger Children to that Amount, and directs that, if his Personal Estate falls short, there shall be a Deduction in Proportion, and that the Surplus shall go to them in the same Proportion; the Mortgage shall be paid out of the Personal Estate, tho' the other Legatees are thereby obliged to abate. 2 Ver. 477.

[Assets shall not be marshalled to support a Legacy contrary to Law, as if Testator devises real Estate to be sold, and the Money applied to Charities, and directs Debts and Legacies to be paid out of Personal, the Court will not order them to be paid out of the real, and the Personal to go to the Charity. *Mogg v. Hodges*, M. 1750. 2 Vezey 52.]

[If A. agrees to purchase Lands, and dies before he has paid the whole Purchase-money, and by his Will, after leaving 800 l. to B. his Sister, gives the purchased Lands, and all his personal Estate to C. his Executor, who commits *Devastavit* and dies, and the Lands descend to D. his Son, the Vendor shall take Satisfaction on the Lands, that B. may be paid out of the personal Assets. *Pollexfen v. Moore*, H. 1745. 3 Atkyns 272.]

[Simple Contract Creditors cannot stand in the Place of every Specialty Creditor to affect real Assets, but only of such as had Remedy against both real and personal Assets of the Debtor deceased. *Lacam v. Mertins*, M. 1749. 1 Vezey 312.]

[Therefore if a Woman in her Husband's Life-time levies a Fine of her Estate, making it subject to 2000 l. his Debt, and after his Death borrows 400 l. more, and charges the Estate with it; the simple Contract Creditors shall come on the real Estate for the 400 l. satisfied out of the Personal, but not for the 2000 l. which was not the Wife's Debt. *Ibid.*]

(2 H.) Assignment; What shall be a good one.

AN Assignment shall be allowed in Equity, which is not good at Law; as, if an Administrator of a Conussee assign a Statute before it is extended. *What good in Law, or not, Vide in Assignment.* 2 Vent. 362.

So, a *Chose in Action* is assignable in Equity, upon a Consideration, by him who has the Interest in it, and the Assignee shall recover it in Chancery. Ca. Ch. 169. 2 Ver. 595. 2 P.W. (608).

And the Release afterwards of the Assignor does not discharge it, unless it was made upon a Consideration paid by the Releasee, without Notice of the Assignment. Ca. Ch. 169.

So an Administrator, who has also the Interest in the *Chose in Action*, may assign it; as, a Husband, who takes Administration to his Wife, may assign the Money due for the Marriage Portion of his Wife. R. Ca. Ch. 169.

[If *A.* and *B.* are two Executors, residuary Legatees, and *A.* for valuable Consideration assigns Part of his *Residuum* to *G.* and afterwards for valuable Consideration assigns his whole residuary Share to *B.* without Notice, yet as it is but a *Chose in Action* even to the Executor, the first Assignment must take place. *Tourville v. Naisb, T. 1734. 3 P. W. 307.*]

[If an Executor assigns over a Mortgage of his Testator's to his own Creditor in Satisfaction of a Debt due from him, it is a good Alienation, and the Daughters of Testator's Creditors under a Settlement cannot follow it. *Nugent v. Giffard, M. 1738. 1 Atkyns 463.*]

[If *A.* a Banker having a Mortgage dies, leaving a Widow and five Children, and appoints the Widow, his eldest Son *Y.* and another Person, Executors, and devises to them all his real and personal Estate, in Trust to pay Debts, and the Residue to be equally divided between his Children; after Payment there is a large Residue; the Mortgage is left in a Master's Hands in a Suit; the Children come of Age; *Y.* is appointed Receiver of a great Estate of *B.* the Cash of which is kept at the Shop; he with the other two Executors, no ways concerned in Interest, assign the Mortgage to the Master as a Security for his Receivership, reciting, that the Money due was the Money of *Y.* and he dies indebted to the Estate, the Assignment shall not be set aside, and the Executors of *B.* shall have the Benefit of it for what is due on the Receivership. *Mead v. Orrery, T. 1745. 3 Atk. 235.*]

[An Assignment by an Executor for a valuable Consideration is never set aside but for Fraud between the Executor and Assignee. *Ibid.*]

So, a Husband, who has it in Right of his Wife, tho' it be only a Possibility or a Contingency. *2 P. W. (608).*

But an Assignment of a *Chose in Action* by an Administrator, who has not any Interest in it, shall not be decreed. *Semb. Ca. Ch. 169.*

[If *A.* insures a House for seven Years, and his Term expires before the Insurance, and afterwards the House is burnt, and then he assigns the Policy to *B.* the Landlord *B.* shall not recover against the Insurers. *Sadlers Company v. Hand-in-Hand Fire-Office, P. 16 G. 2. Wilf. 10.*]

So a Possibility may be assigned, or disposed of in Equity; as, the Remainder of a Trust of a Term for Years may be transferred to another. *Ca. Ch. 8. 1 Ch. R. 29. Cont. 2 Ver. 563. Eq. Ca. 103. 1 P. W. 572, 6. Vide Post, (4 W. 21).*

[If a Man devises Lands to his two Daughters and their Heirs, if either marry without Consent, she to have only Estate for Life; if either die unmarried, his Son *A.* or his Heirs shall take it to him and his Heirs, paying 500*l.* to the other Daughter: *A.* in the Life of both Sisters conveys these Lands, and all others to which he had any Claim, &c. to his second Son, and *A.* dies, and then one of the Sisters unmarried; this is a good Assignment, tho' the Word *Possibility* is omitted: And the eldest Son of *A.* cannot have the Lands on paying the 500*l.* *Wright v. Wright, H. 1749. 1 Vezey 409.*]

So, if Land, &c. is devised for Payment of Portions, &c. and the Surplus to the Heir; he by Will or Deed may dispose of the Surplus. *R. Ca. Ch. 211.*

So Debts may be assigned by *Parol* upon a Consideration. *Dub. 2 Ca. Ch. 7, 37.*

So an Assignment of Seaman's Wages before they are due, tho' a *Chose in Action*, shall be good in Equity; and there shall be a Compensation for the Money advanced for the Assignment, before other Debts of the Assignor. *R. 2 Ver. 595. Semb. cont. 2 Ver. 391.*

So an Assignment of a Debt in *Holland*, between Husband and Wife, shall be allowed here, because it is good there. *Ca. Ch. 232.*

So, if *A.* assigns Goods and Debts to *B.* and the Administrator of *A.* assigns his Letters of Administration to *B.* his Interest in the Debts, &c. is assigned, and the Administrator *de bonis non*, &c. are afterwards excluded. *Skin. 232.*

So, if after an Assignment of a Debt, or other *Chose in Action*, the Assignor releases to the Debtor, who has Notice of the Assignment; this does not hurt the Assignee. *Vide Ca. Ch. 169.*

So, if a Creditor gives a Letter of Attorney to *A.* who receives the Debt for Satisfaction of a Demand of his own upon good Consideration; it shall be void, if he had Notice of an Assignment. *Ca. Ch. 232.*

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But if a Debtor pays to an Attorney, having a Letter of Attorney from the Creditor, without Notice of an Assignment; it shall be a good Plea. *R. Ca. Ch. 232.*

So an Assignee shall be subject to the same Equity, with regard to the Thing assigned, as the Assignor was. *2 Ver. 692, 765.*

[If a Lessee, who has covenanted not to assign without Leave for himself and Executors, but not for Assigns, becomes Bankrupt, and the Lease is assigned, the Assignee is not bound by the Covenant, and may assign. *Philpot v. Hoare, M. 1741. 2 Atkyns 219.*]

[But if the under Assignee is insolvent, does not reside on the Premises, nor plow and sow, refuses to shew the Assignment, and Lessor has accepted no Rent, the Court will set aside the Assignment.]

If a Termor grants the Land to *A.* and his Wife, to the Use of *B.* for Life, and afterwards to the Heirs of his Body, and for Default of Issue to *A.* for 800 Years, nothing passes; because no Estate is limited to *A.* and his Wife, and the Term for 800 Years after the Death of *B.* without Issue will be void. *2 Ver. 684.*

[An Assignment by the Clerk of the Peace to Creditors, under an insolvent Debtor's Act, need not be sealed. *Barret v. Powell, H. 1741. 2 Atkyns 242.*]

[If *A.* Tenant for Life is discharged under an Insolvent Act by the compulsory Clause, and not by his own Claim, yet the Estate in Tail vests in the Assignee. *Smith v. Cooke, T. 1746. 3 Atkyns 378.*]

[If *A.* indebted to *B.* gives him a Draft on a Fund, due to him out of the Exchequer; this is a good Assignment, and shall prevail against Assignees of *A.* become Bankrupt. *Row v. Dowson, M. 1749. 1 Vezey 331.*]

[If the Obligee delivers a Bond, saying, "In case I die it is yours, and then you will have something," it is a sufficient *Donatio Causa Mortis*, and passes the equitable Interest of the Bond after the Death. *Snellgrove v. Bailey, H. 1744. 3 Atkyns 214.*]

(2 l.) **Average.**

CHANCERY will enforce an Average, or Contribution to be made, where it is necessary. *Ca. Parl. 19.* *Vide Post, (2 S)*

And therefore, if some Goods are thrown overboard in a Tempest for the Preservation of others, the Owner shall have Contribution of all the Goods saved by that Means, whereby the Loss of every one will be equal. *Mo. 297.*

So, if some Goods are given to a Pirate, or Enemy, who had taken the Ship, by way of Composition, for the Redemption of the Rest. *Mo. 297.*

So, if Merchants agree to pay an Average, when Goods are spoiled, &c. in Cases where an Average is not requisite, it shall be decreed. *R. Mo. 297.*

So Creditors and Legatees, &c. ought to make Contribution, or Abatement in Proportion.

If *A.* devises his Real Estate to his Son, and a Term to his Daughter, and there are Bonds and other Debts, but no Personal Assets; the Son and Daughter shall pay, in Proportion to the Value of the Estate of each of them. *R. 2 Ver. 756.*

[Tenant for Life of an Estate for the Lives of others shall pay One-third of the Fine and Charges of Renewal of the Lease, and the Remainder-man in Tail Two-thirds. *Verney v. Verney, P. 1750. 1 Vezey 428.*]

If an Estate subject to the Payment of Debts is devised to *A.* for Life, Remainder to *B.* in Fee; the Tenant for Life, who takes the Profits, ought to discharge the Interest. *R. 2 Ver. 566.*

So, a Husband, who has Land in Right of his Wife so subject. *Dub. 2 Ver. 566.*

So, if a Portion is charged to be raised by a Term upon Estates in *A.* and *B.* after two Lives; the Estate in *A.* comes into Possession, and the Owner to prevent the Sale of the Term upon his Estate pays the whole Portion; he shall have Contribution against the Owner of the Estate in *B.* *R. 2 Ver. 355.*

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But Average shall not be paid, except when some Goods are *lost* for the Salvage of the others: And therefore, if some Goods are damaged in the Ship, the others shall not be contributory to the Damage. *Ca. Parl. 20.*

So, if some of the Goods are taken by Violence of Pirates, the others shall not be contributory. *Mo. 297.*

So, if upon Apprehension of Enemies, some Goods are conveyed to Land and secured, and the Rest are taken; the Owner of the Goods taken shall not have Average of the Goods saved; for the Salvage of these is not the Cause of the Taking of the Rest, neither was the Taking of those the Cause of the Salvage of the Goods, which were secured. *R. Ca. Parl. 20.*

Altho' the Goods saved were not more ready to be secured, but were preferred, as being of the most Value. *Ca. Parl. 20.*

So there shall be no Average, when the other Goods are not saved by that Means; as, if some Goods are thrown overboard for the Salvage of the Ship, but afterwards the Ship is lost, without arriving at a Port. *Vide Ca. Parl. 20.*

Vide Post, (2 S.)

(2 K.) Award.

(2 K. 1.) When it shall be confirmed.

Vide Arbitrament.

CHANCERY will confirm an Arbitrament made pursuant to an Order of the Court. *Ca. Ch. 86.*

And may confirm it in Part, and make it void in Part. *Ca. Ch. 40.*

So Chancery will enforce an Award, made on Submission of the Parties, without an Order of the Court. *1 Ch. R. 85, 142. R. 2 Ch. R. 304. 2 P. W. 450.*

[If an Award is made a Rule of B. R. which Court refuses to set it aside on one Hand, or to grant an Attachment on the other, so that one Party is left to his Action on the Bond, this Court will consider the other as left at Liberty to ask Relief by Bill. *Ward v. Periam, 1720.* cited by Lord Hardwicke, in *Chicot v. Lequesne, T. 1751. 2 Vezey 315.*]

[If a Submission be by Rule of B. R. and Umpirage made thereon, and no Application to that Court within the Time limited by Statute, yet Equity may take Cognizance of it after the Time elapsed. *P. 2. Barons cont. 1. Alardes v. Campbell, P. 1729. Bunb. 265.*]

[If a Bill is brought to set aside an Award, made a Rule of B. R. for Fraud, and Defendant pleads the Award, but by his Answer submits to amend Errors, the Court will order the Plea to stand for Answer, tho' the proper Proceeding should have been in B. R. by shewing Cause against the Rule for Attachment. *Kampshire v. Young, H. 1740. 2 Atkyns 155.*]

Tho' the Award was defective, because Land was awarded to A. where it was intended to be, to Him and his Heirs, as appeared by the Depositions of all the surviving Arbitrators. *1 Ch. R. 85.*

Tho' the Award was made by the King. *1 Ch. R. 138.*

Tho' the Award was not good, *ex rigore Juris.* *R. 2 Ver. 25.*

So, if an Award is concerning a Lease to B. that the Lessee should surrender, or assign it to A. and for many Years A. hath the Enjoyment of it, tho' B. will not assign, the Award shall be confirmed and an Injunction granted against B. *3 Ch. R. 20.*

[The Court will decree the specific Performance of an Award to convey an Estate, where the Party submitting has received the Money, the Consideration for doing it. *Hall v. Hardy, T. 1733. 3 P. W. 187.*]

[If an Award directs that the Debts due from the Parties jointly shall be paid by them in Moieties, and then mentions three such Debts only, the Court will not make a Presumption that there are more. *Lingood v. Eade, M. 1742. 2 Atkyns 501.*]

If an Award directs the Debts due to the Parties jointly to be paid to them in Moieties, it is sufficient; and tho' it recommends to them to appoint a Receiver, and

and if they do not, requests the Court to do it, it shall not be avoided; for it is not a Delegation of their Power, but a Recommendation; and if the Parties do not comply, it is Surplusage. *Ibid.*]

[If the Award directs the Parties to give general Releases, it is good, tho' it says the Form to be settled by the Master, if the Court pleases to give Directions. *Ibid.*]

(2 K. 2.) When it shall be avoided.

So, if an Award made by the Order of the the Court is unreasonable, *Chancery* (2 K. 2.) will avoid it; as, if it be awarded, that a Guardian shall give Bond that the Infant at full Age shall convey. *R. Ca. Ch. 280.* If it be unreasonable.

Or, if the Award in any Case binds an Infant. *Ca. Ch. 280.*

If the Award is, that Tenant in Tail shall not discontinue, without the Assent of him in Remainder, except for the Jointure of his Wife. *1 Ch. R. 143.*

If it appears, that the Arbitrators mistook the Fact, or the Law. *R. 2 Ver. 705.*

[If there is a palpable Mistake or Miscalculation, the Party aggrieved may bring a Bill against the other Party, and not against the Arbitrator. *Anon. T. 1748. 3 Atkyns 644.*]

[It is improper to come into this Court to set aside an Award merely for an Objection in Point of Form. *Lingood v. Eade, M. 1742. 2 Atkyns 501.*]

[This Court will not take greater Latitude in determining Awards than Courts of Law. *Ibid.*]

[If Part of the Evidence is not shewn to one of the Arbitrators, and he swears if he had seen it he would not have made the Award, it shall be set aside. *Medcalfe v. Ives, T. 1737. 1 Atkyns 63.*]

But where an Award does not appear to be partial or unfair, tho' it is for the Profits or Possession of Lands, the Court neither vacates or confirms it, but usually sends the Parties to Law. *2 Ch. R. 34.*

So *Chancery* admits Exceptions, tho' the Reference is by Order of the Court, with a Clause that the Award shall be confirmed by the Court without Appeal, or Exception. *2 Ver. 109.*

[If *A.* by Articles previous to Marriage, agrees to vest 1000*l.* in Trustees for certain Uses, and then to the Issue of the Marriage, and gives Warrant of Attorney to confess Judgment, which is entered up, and afterwards *A.* enters into Partnership with *B.* and being indebted to Partnership Estate, submits to Arbitration, and Award is made that Part of the Stock in Trade shall be lodged in the third Person's Hands for certain Purposes, and the Trustees bring *Scire Facias* on the Judgment, and take a Moiety of the Deposit in Execution as the Property of *A.* the Execution shall not be set aside. *Thompson v. Noel, P. 1738. 1 Atkyns 60.*]

So, if an Arbitrament is made without the Assent of some of the Parties, tho' his Solicitor assents. *R. Ca. Ch. 87. 1 Ch. R. 195.* (2 K. 3.) Or, made without Assent of Parties.

[If one of the Parties hearing that Arbitrator intends to make his Award, desires him to defer it till he can talk with him to support stated Accounts, notwithstanding which he makes his Award, the Time expiring in two or three Days, the Court will set aside the Award. *Spetigue v. Carpenter, T. 1735. 3 P. W. 361.*]

[Arbitrators are not bound to give Notice of the Time when, or Place where, they intend to meet. *Tittenston v. Peat, T. 1747. 3 Atkyns 529.*]

So, if an Award is made only for Part of the Matters referred. *R. Ca. Ch. 87, 186.* (2 K. 4.) If made only for Part.

So, if an Award is repugnant. *R. Ca. Ch. 87.*

Or, impossible. *R. Ca. Ch. 87.*

And therefore, the Court may examine the Reasons and Grounds of the Proceeding of the Arbitrators, and what Matters they considered. *R. Ca. Ch. 186.* (2 K. 5.) If it be repugnant.

If there is a Submission to a Reference, by the Order of the Court, the Submission is revocable. *R. Ca. Ch. 185.*

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But a Revocation without Cause will be a Contempt of the Court. *Ca. Ch.* 183.

(2 K. 6.)
If made by
Corruption
or Partiality.

So, if an Award is made upon a private Submission without an Order of Court, *Chancery* may avoid it, if it was made by Corruption. *R. Ca. Ch.* 279.

Or, if it exceeds the Authority. *Ca. Ch.* 279.

So, if an Umpire, before the Time of the Referees is elapsed, declares he will give so much, and afterwards does give so much, which was more than was demanded by either Referee, the Award shall be avoided; for it induces a Presumption of Corruption. *2 Ver.* 100.

[If an Arbitrator makes an improper Declaration, as that he will make *A.* pay Costs, or that *A.* having misused *B.* he will now mulct him in his Representatives, he shall pay Costs. *Ward v. Periam*, 1720. *Chicot v. Lequesne*, *T.* 1751. *2 Vezey* 315.]

If an Arbitrator promises to hear Witnesses, and afterwards refuses, or omits to do it. *2 Ver.* 251.

If a Reference is to three, or any two of them, and two, without the other, agree to make an Award. *2 Ver.* 514.

If the Arbitrators admit and hear one Party, and refuse the other. *2 Ver.* 515.

So, if an Arbitrator is a Party who has an Interest in the Matter in Question, *2 Ver.* 251.

Or, is a near Relation to one of the Parties. *2 Ver.* 251.

Or, if they choose an Umpire by Lot. *2 Ver.* 485.

But it shall not be avoided, because it is not reasonable; for the Parties have submitted to the Judgment of the Arbitrators. *Ca. Ch.* 279. *Semb.* 1 *Rol.* 380.

Or, gives excessive Damages, if no Corruption or Partiality is proved. *R. 2 Ca. Ch.* 140. *1 Ver.* 157.

Tho' one Party was not heard, if he had Opportunity, and neglected to be heard. *R. Eq. Ca.* 63.*

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So it shall not be avoided, because the Submission being between *A.* and *B.* Executors of *C.* of the one Part, and *D.* of the other Part, the Award was that *A.* having a Judgment against *C.* in his Life-time, which he had extended against *D.* the Terre-tenant, should acknowledge Satisfaction upon the Judgment, whereby *B.* the other Executor would be discharged thereof as well as *D.* for the Submission warrants an Arbitrament of Demands between *A.* and *B.* as well as of Demands which *A.* and *B.* have jointly, or severally against *D.* *Semb.* 1 *Ver.* 259.

Nor, because the Arbitrators referred it to others, by the Assent of the Parties to make a Valuation of Improvements upon Land. *1 Ch. R.* 141.

And now by the St. 9 & 10 *W.* 3. 15. In Matters in which there is no Remedy, but by Personal Action or Suit in Equity, Parties may agree, that their Submission to an Award be made a Rule of any of his Majesty's Courts of Record, and insert such Agreement in their Submission, &c. which Agreement so inserted shall on Affidavit read and filed in Court, be made of Record, and a Rule of Court, shall be, that the Parties be concluded by such Award, and if they refuse to obey it, Process of Contempt to a Rule of Court shall issue, and not be stayed by any other Court of Law or Equity, unless it appear on Oath, that the Arbitrators misbehaved themselves, and such Award was procured by Corruption, or other undue Means; but an Award by Corruption or undue Means shall be set aside by any Court of Law or Equity, so as Complaint be made in Court, where the Rule was for such Submission, before the last Day of the next Term after the Award published.

And therefore, a Submission to an Award shall be made a Rule of a Court of Equity, as well as of the Courts of Law.

But a Court of Equity will enforce the Performance only by Attachment, which Remedy fails if the Defendant dies. *2 Ver.* 444.

(2 L) Bankrupts.

(2. L. 1.) When Chancery aids.

CHANCERY will compel every Person concerned in the Estate of a Bankrupt ^{Vide Bank-} to make a Discovery to the Assignee of the Commissioners; ^{rupt.}

Tho' he was Servant to the Bankrupt, and had given an Account to him, and was examined before the Commissioners. *R. upon a Plea of such Matter, and the Plea over-ruled, 2 Vent. 358. Semb. 2 Ca. Ch. 73.*

[Bill lies for Assignee of a Bankrupt for Delivery of Goods pledged by the Bankrupt, notwithstanding Statute of Limitations, and also as he has a Right to come here to know what is due, that he may make a Tender. *Kemp. v. Westbrook, T. 1749. 1 Vezey 278.*]

But to a Bill for Discovery it is a good Plea, that the Defendant was a Purchaser *bona fide*, before the Commission issued, without Notice of any Act of Bankruptcy. *R. 2 Ca. Ch. 73. R. ibidem 135, 136, 156. Skin. 149.*

[If Bankrupt, whose Estate is in Mortgage, conveys the Equity of Redemption to a third Person, after Act of Bankruptcy, but before Commission, this shall not defeat the Assignees, but Mortgagor shall reconvey to them, on Payment of Principal and Interest. *Collet v. De Gols, H. 8 G. 2. C. T. T. 65.*]

Yet, if the Plaintiff will enter his Consent with the Register, not to take Advantage of the Discovery at Law, the Defendant shall shew, what Goods he purchased, and for what Price. *2 Ca. Ch. 156, 7.*

And if the Purchase was for a small Value, the Plea shall not be allowed. *2 Ca. Ch. 156.*

So it will be a good Plea to a Bill for Discovery of the Land of a Bankrupt, that the Defendant was a Purchaser *bona fide* for the valuable Consideration, before Commission, and without Notice. *R. 2 Ca. Ch. 136.*

So Chancery will hear Proof of a Debt, if the Commissioners disallow it. *Ca. Ch. 275.*

So it will direct a Distribution of a Debt recovered by the Assignees, to the Creditors of the Bankrupt, if the Assignees are in fault. *Ch. R. 264.*

Or, disallow a fraudulent Distribution; as, if made before the Land or Effects were sold. *Per 2 Commissioners, Rawlinson cont. Vide 2 Ver. 162.*

Or, allow Persons to come in for a Distribution, where they ought to have it, tho' disallowed by the Commissioners. *Ch. R. 467.*

And enlarge the Time for coming in for a Distribution, as to the Plaintiff and others, not Parties to the Suit, if they contribute afterwards their Share of the Expence of the Suit. *Ch. R. 359.*

So, if there is a Commission against Partners, Chancery allows, after the joint Debts are satisfied, the separate Creditors, of each Partner, paying Contributions, to have Relief under the same Commission, out of the separate Estate of each Bankrupt. *R. 2 Ver. 293, 706.*

So, upon a Commission at the Petition of the separate Creditors of one Bankrupt, after their separate Debts are satisfied, the joint Creditors of him and the other Partner shall have Relief for so much as the joint Stock does not satisfy. *2 Ver. 706.*

So Chancery will aid a Creditor of a Bankrupt, being an Assignee of Stock before the Bankruptcy, tho' only the Day before; for there may be a Reason for the Preference of one Creditor before another. *R. 2 P. W. 430.*

[If *A.* after secret Act of Bankruptcy pays Money (without Fraud, and before the Commission) to *B.* against whom the Assignees recover it at Law, *B.* shall in this Court be allowed the Sums he paid *A.* during the same Period, notwithstanding this Claim was over-ruled at the Trial. *Billon v. Hyde M. 1749. 1 Vezey 326.*]

[If there is a Decree for a Receiver to collect Partnership Debts, and that *A.* one of the Partners, shall not dispose of any of the Stock, and the Morning of the Decree he removes Part of it, and then becomes Bankrupt, and the Assignees get Possession of it; the Court will order them to deliver it up to the Receiver, and all

all others who have taken any Effects or given Notes since the Decree, tho' it is not actually passed. *Skip. v. Harwood, T. 1747. 3 Atkyns 564.*

[A Bill may be brought for settling the Demands of Creditors, tho' the Court would have had the same Power on a Petition, and the Rule of Determination must be the same on both. *Bromley v. Goodere, M. 1743. 1 Atkyns 75.*]

[The Representatives of a Bankrupt are bound by the Proof of the Debts before the Commissioners, unless Objection made in a reasonable Time. *Ibid.*]

(2 L. 2.) When not.

But *Chancery* will not relieve Creditors, who do not come before the Commissioners in due Time,

Tho' there was an Agreement between the Bankrupt and all the Creditors, and upon Breach of the Agreement by the Bankrupt, some of his Creditors sue out the Commission without the others. *R. Ca. Ch. 19.*

Yet after Time elapsed, where there was a Pretence that the Plaintiff had a Judgment executed before the Bankruptcy, if the Plaintiff brings the Money levied to the Commissioners and pays Contribution, he shall be admitted. *R. Ch. R. 60.*

So, if Creditors in *London* agree with Creditors in the *Country*, that, if they will relinquish Goods sold to them by the Bankrupt, there shall be a Commission, and an equal Distribution amongst them all, and afterwards execute a Commission in *London*, and make a Distribution without Notice to them in the *Country*. *R. Ch. R. 326.*

Chancery will not relieve, if the Party is not a Bankrupt at Law; for that Question is properly triable at Law. *2 Ca. Ch. 153.*

So *Chancery* will not aid the Assignees of Bankrupts against a Purchaser of the Bankrupt without Notice of the Bankruptcy. *R. 2 Ver. 599.*

[If a Bankrupt's Estate in Mortgage becomes vested by mesne Assignments in another, who after the Bankruptcy, but before the Commission, gets a Release of the Equity of Redemption from the Bankrupt, he is as a Purchaser for a valuable Consideration; and the Court will not take Advantage of him, nor grant a Discovery against him. *Collet v. De Gols, H. 8 G. 2. C. T. T. 65.*]

[If there are mutual Demands, Defendant at Law may set off his Demand against Plaintiff, under *stat. 5 G. 2. c. 30.* and need not come into Equity. *Loak v. Bennet, T. 1740. 2 Atkyns 49.*]

[If a Man has a specific Lien upon the Stock of a Bankrupt, he shall have Satisfaction first, and not be obliged to come in as a Creditor. Thus a Partner shall have his Share before the separate Creditors of the other Partner can affect the Stock, and this notwithstanding any Agreement to dissolve the Partnership, unless the Conditions were performed by the Bankrupt. *West. v. Skip, P. 1749. 1 Vezey 239.*]

[The Commissioners may proceed *ex parte* without Order, if the other Party does not attend. *Ex parte Bax, T. 1751. 2 Vezey 388.*]

[If Commissioners certify *ex parte* that Objections to their Certificate were waived by Objector's Counsel, the Exception shall be over-ruled. *Ibid.*]

(2 M) Baron and Feme.

(2 M. 1.) Suit by them.

WHEN Husband and Wife shall join in a Suit, and when either of them shall sue alone, *Vide Baron and Feme, (V. & c.)*

Regularly Husband and Wife ought to join in a Suit.

[Bill by Husband and Wife, he claiming in her Right, is to be considered as Bill of the Husband. *Pawlet v. Delaval. 2 Vezey 663.*]

[If *Feme-covert* sues with her Husband for her separate Estate, the Court will order Payment to a Trustee for her. *Griffith v. Hood, T. 1752. 2 Vezey 452.*]

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But, if a *Feme Covert* demands Relief, for a separate Maintenance settled by Husband, she may sue alone. *R. upon Demurrer, Ca. Ch. 35.*

So any one may exhibit a Bill for a *Feme Covert*, as *prochein Amy*.

But upon her *Affidavit*, that the Bill was brought without her Consent, it shall be dismissed. *M. 1713. Eq. Abr. 72.*

[A *Feme-covert* may have Leave to change her *Prochein amy*, after Progress in the Cause, the new one entering into Recognizance to answer Costs, and abide Order on Hearing. *Lady Lawley v. Halpen, M. 1731. Bunb. 310.*]

(2. M. 2.) Suit against them.

When they shall be joined in a Suit, and when not, *Vide Baron and Feme (Y.)*

If a *Subpœna* is taken out against Husband and Wife, Service upon the Husband, with Notice, that it was also against his Wife, is sufficient. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery 343.*

And if the Husband appears, but not the Wife, an Attachment goes against both. *Id.*

Or by Order of the Court, it may be against the Wife alone, where the Husband pleads in the Name of himself and his Wife, and swears to the Plea, but his Wife by Combination with the Plaintiff will not be sworn. *Ca. Ch. 296.*

[A Wife shall be allowed to answer separately, if she cannot in Conscience swear to the Answer prepared by her Husband. *Ex parte Halsam, T. 1740. 2 Atkyns 50.*]

[If Husband and Wife are joint Defendants, yet if it appears that they have opposite Interests, the Court will order the Wife to answer separately. *Penne v. Peacock, M. 8 G. 2. C. T. T. 41.*]

So, if the Husband is beyond the Sea, and the Wife within the Realm, Process against the Wife alone, for a Thing done by the Wife, or in which she was a Trustee, shall be regular, and she shall be allowed to give a separate Answer. *R. 2 Ver. 614.*

[If Husband and Wife are Defendants, the Wife must answer, tho' her Answer cannot be read against the Husband; tho' it may, possibly, against her when *discovert*. *Wrottesly v. Bendish, H. 1733. 3 P. W. 235.*]

[If Husband and Wife are Administrators and live abroad, and Wife coming to England is taken up on Process of Contempt against both, and gives Bond for Appearance, appears, and obtains Time to answer separately, she cannot afterwards have the Bond and Appearance set aside. *Travers v. Bulkeley, H. 1749. 1 Vezey 383. 1 Wilson 264.*]

(2 M. 3.) What they shall be compelled to do.

Husband and Wife may be compelled to levy a Fine, or to perfect an Assurance.

So, to make a Release of the Right of the Wife to Land.

[If A. settles an Estate in Trustees to him for Life, his Wife for Life, and to the Heirs of their Bodies; they have a Daughter, who marries B. A. marries a second Wife, and agrees to settle this Estate on her and their Issue, Afterwards all agree that B. shall have 200*l.* with his Wife, and the Estate go to C. Son of the second Marriage; B. and his Wife by an Answer afterwards disclaim, but she after that refuses to join with C. in a Conveyance to a Purchaser: The Court will not decree her to join, but will decree B. to join, and to procure her to join, or that he B. shall refund the 200*l.* *Sedgwick v. Hargrave, M. 1750. 2 Vezey 57.*]

To reconvey by Fine Lands mortgaged, vested in the Wife.

To produce Evidences.

To stay Waste committed by the Wife.

(2 M. 4.) What not.

But a Husband shall not be compelled to perform to his Wife, after a Separation, a Promise made her during Coverture, to give her 100*l.* *1 Ch. R. 60.*

So a Woman shall not be compelled to perform her Agreement by Deed made during her Coverture.

Nor to abide by a Settlement made by her and her Husband; if she does not assent to it, after the Coverture is determined. *Ca. Ch. 255.*

Yet if the Settlement is in Lieu of the Performance of Marriage Articles, and the Wife, after the Death of her Husband, enters and takes the Profits, she shall not afterwards avoid it. *R. Ca. Ch. 255.*

(2 M. 5.) Act of the Husband when it binds the Wife

If the Husband releases a Debt due to the Wife before Coverture, she shall be bound by it.

So, if he releases a Legacy, tho' only contingent, or there is a Possibility that the Wife may have it; if the Contingency afterwards happens. *2 P. W. (608.) Vide Assignment, Ante (2 H.)*

[But if there is a Proviso in Marriage Articles, that if there is no Issue, then the Portion, and all Sums given the Wife during the Marriage, shall be enjoyed by the Husband, his Executors, &c. to their own Use; and the Wife's Mother leaves 2000*l.* to them and the Survivor, and if no Issue, then after the Death of the Survivor to her own Executor; and 1000*l.* is paid to the Husband, who dies and leaves all his Estate to his Executor, in Trust for, &c.; this 1000*l.* shall notwithstanding belong to the Wife, as not such Money as intended under the Covenant. *Hawkyns v. Obyn, P. 1743. 2 Atkyns 549.*]

If *A.* gives a Legacy to a Woman, and, upon her Marriage it is agreed that Part thereof shall be applied to the Payment of the Debts of the Husband, and after Marriage the Husband assigns the Residue for the Payment of his Debts, the Wife shall be bound thereby. *R. Eq. R. 80.*

So, if a Husband possessed of a Term for Years in Right of his Wife leases for a less Term, and, for the Security of Money borrowed of his Lessee, covenants to make him another Lease after the End of the Prior; the Wife shall be bound thereby; for this Covenant amounts to a Disposition of the Estate in Equity, pursuant to the Power of the Husband. *R. Eq. Ca. 42, 3.**

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[If three Sisters of an Intestate agree to divide his Personal Estate, and sign a Memorandum at the Bottom of the Account; and a Mortgage in Fee, and another for a Term, are allotted to *A.* one of the Sisters, whose Husband before any Assignment, borrows 200*l.* of *B.* on Note, deposits the two Mortgages, and promises in Writing to assign them as a Security, and dies, this Promise to assign amounts in Equity to an Assignment *pro tanto*, but the Residue belongs to *A.* as her *Choses in Action*. *Bates v. Dandy, T. 1741. 2 Atkyns 207.*]

[Husband may assign his Wife's Term, or Trust of Term, (unless from himself for her Benefit,) or her Mortgage in Fee, or her *Chose in Action*, or her Possibility for valuable Consideration, or release her Bond without receiving any of the Money. *Ibid.*]

[If by Marriage Settlement of *A.* a Term is created to raise 2000*l.* apiece for the Daughters *living at his Death, who shall attain 21, or be married*; and one Daughter *B.* marries *C.* in *A.*'s Life-time. and previous to the Marriage there is a Covenant on the Part of *C.* reciting, that *B.* had assigned a Bond for 500*l.* to Trustees, to him for Life, her for Life, then to their Children then living, or in Default of Children to the Executor of the Survivor of *B.* and *C.* and that *C.* shall after the Marriage assign to Trustees all Money and Securities then due and owing, and *belonging to B.* or which she is intitled to in any Respect whatever; and then *A.* dies, and then *C.* leaving Children, the 2000*l.* shall be secured to them. *Bash v. Dalway, T. 1747. 3 Atkyns 530. 1 Vezey 19.*]

[If Husband and Wife join in Fine of the Wife's Lands to a Purchaser, and afterwards the Husband alone declares the Uses by Articles, and there is no other Deed declaring Uses, and these do not vary from what she intended, and she has acquiesced for many Years, she is bound. *Swanton v. Raven, T. 1744. 3 Atkyns 105.*]

So, if Husband and Wife by Articles during Coverture agree to have Lands inclosed; the Wife shall be bound, tho' it is Part of her Jointure. *2 Ver. 225.*

So, if they agree to accept other Lands in Lieu of those in her Jointure; if after the Death of her Husband she complies with any Part of the Articles, she shall be bound. *2 Ver. 225.*

So,

So, if a *Feme Sole* agrees for the Sale of Land, and, before it is compleated, she marries, and another Agreement is made with the Husband and Wife, which she subscribes; she shall be bound by it after the Death of her Husband.

[If Lease for Years is assigned before Marriage to Trustees, to make Leases for Benefit of Husband and Wife, and after Marriage Husband and Wife make a Lease, it shall be good against the Widow, *Roupe v. Atkinson*, P. 1724. *Bunb.* 162.]

So, if Husband and Wife agree with a Tenant of Land of the Wife's, that, if he will surrender one Part, he shall have another Part for three Lives; this binds the Wife after the Death of the Husband.

So, if a Woman agrees with A. before Marriage, for a Thing to be carried into Execution after the Death of A. and then intermarries with him; it shall be decreed, and is not extinguished by the Marriage. *R. Ca. Ch.* 118. *Vide Baron and Feme.*

(2 M. 6) When not.

But an Agreement by Husband and Wife, for the Sale of the Land of the Wife, does not bind the Wife.

[If two Sisters Joint-Tenants in Fee marry, and the Husbands make a Partition between themselves, and the Heirs of the Wives; this Agreement of the Husbands, tho' attended with long Possession, does not bind the Inheritance of the Wives. *Ireland v. Rittle*, M. 1739. 1 *Atkyns* 541.]

So, if she agrees to relinquish her Jointure for other Recompence, and it is decreed accordingly; she not being a Party to the Decree, shall not be bound by that Agreement.

If Husband and Wife by Deed, without a Fine, mortgage Shares of the Wife in the *New River Water*, the Wife shall not be bound, tho' she paid Interest after the Death of her Husband. *R. 2 P. W.* 127.

[If a *Feme covert* has an Interest in real Estate intailed, no Agreement of Remainder-men can bar the Intail without a Fine, nor can this Court carry such Agreement into Execution as to a legal Estate. *Trafford v. Boehm*, H. 1746. 3 *Atkyns* 440.]

So, if Husband and Wife exhibit a Bill in Equity, and, after the Cause is at Issue, examine Witnesses, and then the Husband dies; and her second Husband exhibits with her a new Bill for the same Cause; they may examine the same Witnesses, for the Wife was not bound by the Proceedings on the former Bill. 2 *Ver.* 197.

(2 M. 7.) When the Husband shall be bound by the Act of the Wife.

[The Husband during the Coverture is liable to all the Wife's Debts before Coverture, (in Equity as in Law), tho' he get no Fortune with her. *Heard v. Stanford*, H. 9 G. 2. C. T. T. 173. 3 *P. W.* 409.]

[And if any Part of her Fortune was not recovered by the Husband during the Coverture, and it comes to his Hands as Administrator after her Death, it is liable to her Debts. *Ibid.*]

The Husband shall be charged after the Death of the Wife for the Debt of the Wife *dum sola*, for Goods to her sold, which came to the Use of the Husband after her Death. *R. upon Demurrer*, Ca. Ch. 295. *Vide Eq. Abr.* 60.

So the Husband shall be charged for the Profits of Land in Trust taken by the Wife, *dum sola*, and by her former Husband to whom she was Executrix. *R. Ca. Ch.* 81.

So he shall be charged for Goods given to the Wife for Life, and after her Death to A. if the Wife wastes them; tho' the Wife was then parted from her Husband: for A. does not claim under the Wife. 1 *Ver.* 143.

So a second Husband shall be charged for a *Devastavit* by his Wife and her former Husband, where there is a Bond Debt due; for there is an actual Lien thereby. 1 *Ver.* 309.

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So an Executor of the Husband shall be charged for the Debt of the Wife during a Separation, and shall not charge it upon the Jointure of the Wife. *R. 1 Ver. 326.*

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So, for the Funeral of the Wife, tho' she had a separate Maintenance and makes an Executor, who takes Care of the Funeral; if he hath nothing by her Will. *R. Eq. Ca. 31.**

So, If a Woman before her second Marriage makes a Provision for the Children of a former Husband, it binds the second Husband. *1 Ver. 408.*

So, tho' the Deed is detained in the Custody of the second Husband or his Agent, if it was public and made before the Treaty of the second Marriage, where the second Husband did not make a Settlement, or Compensation for it. *R. 2 P. W. 360, 609.*

So, if there is a Covenant to transfer Stock for the Children of the first Husband, which is not transferred before the second Marriage. *2 P. W. 609.*

[If a Widow having Children, for whom there is no Provision made by Articles previous to her second Marriage (her intended Husband Party thereto) conveys her Lands, &c. to Trustees, to divide among her Children by the first Marriage, if none by the second, or if any, then among the Children by both; and after Marriage Husband and Wife mortgage to Persons having Notice of the Settlement; the Settlement shall stand good, and not be considered as voluntary against Creditors or Purchasers. *Newstead v. Searles, H. 1737. 1 Atkyns 265.*]

[If a Man by Will gives a Third of the Moiety of the Residue of his Personal Estate to his Daughter *A.* who marries *B.* and they have Issue *C.* and while abroad assign over this Third in Trust for *C.* if they die before their Return; *B.* dies, and before the Money is reduced into Possession *A.* marries a second Husband *D.* and dies, *D.* shall make Provision for *C.* out of this Money; and if he writes Letters, saying, he is willing to settle the Whole on her, and dies, these Letters shall be taken as an Appropriation of the Whole to *C.* *Grosvenor v. Lane, P. 1741. 2 Atkyns 180.*]

(2 M. 8.) When not.

[The Husband is not chargeable (in Equity nor in Law) with his Wife's Debts after her Death, tho' he has a large Fortune by her. *Heard v. Standford, H. 9 G. 2. C. T. T. 173. 3 P. W. 409.*]

The Husband shall not be charged with a Debt upon simple Contract, or Breach of Trust, by reason of a *Devastavit* by the Wife and her former Husband. *1 Ver. 309.*

So, if the Wife before Marriage, makes a Settlement, without the Privity of the Husband, for her separate Use; the Husband shall not be bound by it. *R. 2 Ver. 17. 2 P. W. 359, 535.*

Tho' the Settlement was made upon a former Marriage, with the Privity of the former Husband; the second Husband, not knowing of it, shall not be bound by it. *2 Ver. 17.*

So, if she makes a Settlement for the Children of her former Husband without the Privity of the second, but the Settlement is detained in the Custody of him or his Agents. *2 P. W. 359.*

So, if the second Husband has Notice of the Settlement, where it was subject to the Controul of the Wife, who limits the Estate to her second Husband. *2 P. W. 534.*

Yet if the Wife before the Treaty for the second Marriage makes a Settlement of a competent Part of her Estate, for a Provision of her Children by a former Husband, the second Husband, not having made a Jointure in Recompence for this Estate, shall be bound thereby. *2 P. W. 358, 606.*

So, if a Woman agrees to distribute the Residue of the Estate of *B.* amongst others, and then marries, and by the Death of *B.* seven Years after the Marriage, she becomes intitled to the Residue; the Husband is not bound to distribute, for he was not within the Intent of the Agreement. *1 Ch. R. 26.*

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If a Woman commits a *Devastavit*, and afterwards marries and dies, the Husband shall not be charged beyond what he had with his Wife. *R. 2 Ver. 118. Vide Baron and Feme, (2 C.)*

If the Husband makes a separate Estate for the Use of the Wife during their Joint Lives, and afterwards limits the Estate to the Use of the Husband for Life, and after his Death to the Heirs of the Wife, till his Heir pays 100*l.* to the Executor of the Wife, with Interest from the Death of her Husband, and afterwards to the Wife for Life; if the Wife dies before the Husband, the 100*l.* shall not be paid by the Husband to the Executor of the Wife. *R. 2 Ver. 330.*

(2 M. 9.) Trust for a Wife; when it enures to the Husband.

If a Man devises Money for the Purchase of an Annuity in the Name of the Devisee, to be paid to a Woman and her Assigns, and she marries, and afterwards does not cohabit with her Husband by reason of his Poverty; the Husband is the Assignee of his Wife, not being excluded by special Words, and the Annuity, from the Time of the Bill by him exhibited shall be decreed to be paid to him. *R. Ca. Ch. 194. Vide Baron and Feme. (E. 1, &c.)*

So, if a Term for Years is settled by a Woman before Marriage in Trust, and she receives the Money after Marriage; the Property is in the Husband, who may dispose of it, at his Pleasure. *R. Hob. 3 in Marg. 1 Ver. 7, 18.*

So, if a Term for Years is settled by the Wife, before Marriage, on *A.* in Trust for herself, with the Assent of the Husband, *A.* dies, and the Woman takes another Husband; the Trust shall be in the Power of the second Husband. *R. 2 Ca. Ch. 73. Semb. cont. Ca. Ch. 208.*

So, if the Wife, with the Consent of the Husband before Marriage settles a Term to pay the Debt of the Husband, and afterwards in Trust for herself; the Residue shall be in the Power of the Husband. *R. 2 Ca. Ch. 73.*

So, if a Marriage Settlement is agreed upon, and afterwards the Husband, to avoid a Sequestration, directs a Term to be vested in Trustees for the sole Use of the Wife, and covenants that it shall be in the sole Power of the Wife, yet takes the Profits during her Life; this Term, tho' proved but by one Witness to be made on such an Occasion, shall be decreed to the Husband. *R. 2 Ca. Ch. 180.*

If by Agreement before Marriage, the Wife is to be allowed to receive the Rents of her Estate to her separate Use, and the Agreement is left with *A.* who receives, and, with the Privity of the Wife, pays the Rents to the Husband; *A.* shall not account for them to the Wife after the Death of her Husband. *3 Ch. R. 7.*

So, if the Husband settles a Term for Years, to the Use or in Trust for his Wife; the Husband may dispose, forfeit, or bar the Wife of it; for he hath the same Power over a Trust in Right of his Wife, as he hath of a Term in her Right. *R. 1 Rol. 343. l. 25. per Finch. Ca. Ch. 266, 225. R. 2 Ver. 270. R. Lane 54.*

So, if a Term is granted to the Use of a Woman, who afterwards marries; the Husband may dispose thereof. *Semb. Ca. Ch. 266.*

[If *A.* intitled to 5000*l.* to be raised by a Term in Lands, *S.* in her Father *B.*'s Marriage Settlement, and is Tenant in Tail expectant on her Father's Death in Lands, *K.* marries *N.* without Settlement, and *B.* mortgages Part of *S.* Lands to *T.* and then devises *S.* to be sold for Payment of Debts and Legacies, and the Remainder to *A.* in Tail, and dies indebted, and *N.* agrees to subject *K.* together with *S.* to the Payment, and *N.* and *A.* levy a Fine, and both Estates by all proper Parties are settled to pay the Incumbrances on *S.* and all *B.*'s Debts and Legacies, and they are paid off except the Mortgage on *S.* and *N.* assigns the Trust Term to *T.* and *T.* assigns the Mortgage Term of Part of *S.* to *N.* who demises other Part of *S.* to *T.* subject to Redemption on Payment; and afterwards *N.* and *A.* suffer Recovery of *S.* and settle it as to a Rent of 40*s.* per Annum to *N.* and his Heirs, and the Rest to Trustees, for a Term to raise 1000*l.* and subject thereto to *N.* for Life, *A.* for Life, Sons in Tail, Daughters in Tail, and the Survivor in

Fee. This is a sufficient Disposal of the Term by *N.* so that the 5000*l.* does not survive to *A.* as a *Chose in Action*, but shall be considered as Part of *N.*'s Personal Estate. *Inledon v. Northcote, H. 1746. 3 Atkyns 430.*]

[If a Man proposing to give a *Feme-covert* Money for her separate Use, to secure it gives her a Note for so much received, and promising to be accountable, it is Assets of the Husband after his Death. *Hodges v. Beverley, H. 1724. Bunb. 188.*]

[If a *Feme-covert* deposits Money in a Man's Hands, to be kept for her separate Use, it is Assets of the Husband after his Death. *Ibid.*]

So, if a Legacy is given to the Wife out of a Reversion, after an Estate for Life, and during the Life, the Husband assigns it to *A.* and dies; *A.* shall have it, tho' it is afterwards paid to the Wife and discharged by her. *R. Eq. R. 88. Vide Post, (3 A. 3, 4.)*

But if a Term is granted or settled by the Husband for the Jointure of the Wife; the Husband cannot dispose of it. *R. Ca. Ch. 266. R. 1 Rol. 343. l. 30. 1 Ver. 7. R. Ca. Ch. 225.*

So it shall not be forfeited by the Outlawry, or Attainder of the Husband. *Ca. Ch. 225.*

Or if it is settled, after Marriage upon the Wife, and afterwards upon their Children; the Husband cannot dispose of the Trust for the Children. *Semb. 1 Rol. 343. l. 32.*

Or if a Term is settled before Marriage in Trust for a Woman, who afterwards marries, and the Husband survives; the Husband shall not have it, but the Executor or Administrator of the Wife. *R. 4 Inst. 87. Co. Lit. 351. 1 Rol. 346. l. 5.—But said per Roll to be R. cont. Al. 15.*

So, if Land is settled after Marriage for the separate Maintenance of the Wife, who out of the Profits saves Money, which she puts out at Interest in the Name of a Trustee, and disposes thereof by her Will, and dies; her Husband shall not have it. *R. Ca. Ch. 118.*

[If a Bond is devised to a Wife, to her sole and separate Use, the Interest is vested in her in Equity, as much as if it had been devised to Trustees for her separate Use. *Rolfe v. Budder, H. 1724. Bunb. 187.*]

[If Personal Estate is given to the separate Use of a *Feme-covert*, she is considered as a *Feme-sole*, and may dispose of it and all the Accruer upon it, if she is seventeen. *Hearle v. Greenbank, P. 1749. 3 Atkyns 695. 1 Vezey 298.*]

So, if a Term is created by a Woman, seised in Fee, for a special Purpose, viz. In Trust for her Husband for Life, and afterwards, to the Issue of that Marriage, and for Default thereof to herself for the Residue of the Term; the Husband dies without Issue, and the Wife takes a second Husband; He shall not have the Term as a Term in Gros, but it shall go to attend the Inheritance of the Wife. *R. 4 Annæ, 1 Sal. 154. 2 Ver. 520.*

So, if a Woman Lessee settles the Term in *A.* in Trust, &c. and afterwards marries him in the Reversion and dies; the Husband shall not have the Trust. *Lane 113.*

Yet if a Term is before Marriage settled, with the Assent of the Husband, in Trustees, for the sole Disposition of the Wife without her Husband; and the Wife permits the Husband to receive the Rents during his Life, his Executor shall not account for the Profits. *Semb. 2 Ca. Ch. 182.*

[If 100*l. per Annum* is settled in Trust for a Wife's Pin-money, and the Husband notwithstanding finds her in Clothes and other Necessaries, it is a Bar to any Demand for Arrears of Pin-money during such Time. *Fowler v. Fowler, P. 1735. 3 P. W. 353.*]

So, if a Legacy is given to the Wife, Payment ought to be made to the Husband; for it shall not be supposed to be for the separate Use of the Wife, tho' she lives separately from her Husband. *R. 1 Ver. 261, 2. R. 2 Ver. 659.*

(2 M. 10.) When the Husband shall be aided for the Portion of his Wife.

[Neither the Husband, nor any Person standing in his Place, can have the Wife's Fortune, (in this Court) without making a Provision. *Middlecome v. Marlow*, 3 Z. 1. &c. *Vide Post.* H. 1742. 2 *Atkyns* 519.]

[A Wife must be present in Court, to consent or elect; if abroad, Persons may be impowered to examine her separately, and to certify to the Court, she and they signing it. *Parsons v. Dunne*, M. 1750. 2 *Vezey* 60.]

[If there is any Question as to the Validity of the Marriage of a Ward of this Court abroad, the Court will not order Money out of the Bank to be paid to the Husband. *Roach v. Garvan*, M. 1748. 1 *Vezey* 157.]

So, if the Portion of the Wife is not paid before the Death of the Husband, where he has settled a Jointure for it, his Executor shall have it, tho' the Wife survives. R. Ca. Ch. 189.

Tho' Part of the Portion was out upon Mortgage, which is a *Chose in Action*, and survives to the Wife generally. R. 2 *Ver.* 502.

Tho' no Agreement expresses, that the Husband shall have the Portion. 2 *Ver.* 502.

Tho' the Husband dies without Issue, and the Wife also dies before the Portion is paid; for by the Settlement of a Jointure, the Husband is a Purchaser of the Portion. R. *Eq. R.* 71.

But, if the Husband settles a Jointure suitable to the Portion of his Wife, which consists of *Choses in Action*, and an Estate of Inheritance, and before the Securities are altered, and the Inheritance settled, the Husband dies; his Executor shall not have those Debts, or the Inheritance, without a special Agreement for that Purpose, tho' the Husband left not, otherwise, Assets for his Debts. R. 2 *Ver.* 68.

[Yet if on Marriage certain Agreements are made by way of Settlement on the Wife, and the Husband dies without having recovered a Bond Debt given to the Wife while sole, it shall go to the Husband's Representative, he being a Purchaser, tho' the Wife's Fortune was of more Value than what she was to have by the Settlement, and so nothing moving from the Husband to the Wife. *Adams v. Cole*, H. 9 G. 2. C. T. T. 168.]

Yet, if the Husband releases all Demands or Portions of his Wife for such a Sum, this does not bar him of an Estate due to his Wife as Administratrix to her Sister, who was dead before the Release. Ch. Ca. 253. *Vide Ante* (2 B. 2.)

(2 M. 11.) When the Wife shall be aided against the Act of her Husband.

If a Man agrees by Articles to make a Marriage Settlement, *Chancery* will compel him to do it. *Vide Post*, (3 Z. 1.)

If the Wife agrees to sell her Inheritance upon Consideration of having Part of the Money to her own proper Use, and the Money is vested in Trustees for the Benefit of the Wife; this Money shall not be subject to the Debts of the Husband, tho' the Wife afterwards consents that it shall. R. 2 *Ver.* 64, 5.

So, if the Wife, having a Jointure, agrees to join with her Husband in a Sale of it, upon his Bond to settle so much other Land for her Jointure; the Wife as to this Bond shall be preferred to other Creditors. R. 2 *Ver.* 220.

But, if the Bond is to settle other Lands upon the Wife for Life, and afterwards upon the Children, where the Husband by a prior Settlement might have barred his Issue; the Children shall not be preferred to other Creditors. R. 2 *Ver.* 221.

[If a Woman before Marriage conveys her Estate to Trustees, to pay her the Profits during Life, and after her Death as she should by Will appoint, (or for Want of it to her right Heirs,) and she marries, and her Husband mortgages, and they

they both levy Fine of the Premises, declaring the Uses to be for securing Principal and Interest; this shall bind the Wife, tho' she insists in her Answer that it was by *Duress* and Fraud, unless it is otherwise proved. *Penne v. Peacock*, M. 8 G. 2. C. T. T. 41.]

[If by Articles previous to Marriage of *A.* and *B.* the Father of *B.* covenants to pay *A.* 1000*l.* and that his Executors should pay him 500*l.* more as the Residue of *B.*'s Marriage-portion; and *A.* covenants to secure by Specialty 1000*l.* to *B.* if she survives; and after the Father's Death, *A.* being indebted, assigns the 500*l.* to *C.* and then becomes Bankrupt; *C.* shall have it. *Brett v. Forcer*, H. 1746. 3 *Atkyns* 403.]

If the Husband mortgages the Estate of the Wife, reserving to them the Equity of Redemption; the Personal Estate of the Husband shall be first applied. 2 *Ver.* 604. After other Debts paid. 2 *Ver.* 689.

So, if a Man agrees upon his Marriage, that his Wife shall dispose of Goods or Money by her Will, a Disposal by Writing in the Nature of a Will shall be good. *Cro. Car.* 219, 376. *Vide Post*, (2 M. 14.) *Vide Baron and Feme*, (P. 3.)

And if it is found, that she made a Will, the Verdict shall be good, tho' strictly it is not a Will. *R. Cro. Car.* 219.

So, if the Wife makes a Disposition, according to the Power given by her Husband; it shall be good, tho' the Agreement or Bond entered into by the Husband is cancelled by the Wife during the Coverture. 1 *Ch. R.* 118.

So a Disposition by the Wife, (who has an Article of her Husband for the Management of her own Estate) of Money acquired by her own Industry, allowing to the Husband a reasonable Maintenance, shall be good. *R. Ch. R.* 57.

If Interest Money saved out of the separate Estate of the Wife *dum sola*, is put out at Interest, and a Bond given for it to the Husband, who declares by *Parol*, that it shall go for her separate Benefit; the Wife shall have the Disposal of it. *R. 2 Ver.* 748.

[If a Husband deserts his Wife and Children, and her Relations lend her Stock wherewith she trades and makes a Profit, and lends Money on Bond and Note, which the Borrowers make payable to the Husband; all shall be considered as her separate Property, and if the Husband seizes her Effects, the Court will order them to be restored in Specie, or if disposed of, to pay the Value, and the Bond and Note to be paid to her separate Use. *Cecil v. Juxen*, H. 1737. 1 *Atkyns* 278.]

(2 M. 12.) Provision for a Wife.

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How a Provision for the Dower of a Wife shall be assisted by a Court of Equity, *Vide Post*, (3 E. 1, 2.)

When a Provision by Marriage Articles shall be enforced, *Vide Post*, (3 Z. 1, &c.)

If a Man by his Will devises Lands to Trustees, to pay a third Part of the Profits to his Wife, till his Son attains the Age of 21 Years, and the other two Thirds for his Debts; tho' the Son and Wife die (the Son under that Age) the third Part shall be paid to the Executor or Administrator of the Wife, till such Time as the Son would have attained the Age of 21 Years. *R. 2 Ver.* 65.

If the Husband purchases a Patent of a Chace to himself and his Wife and *B.* and dies indebted, the Wife shall have the Benefit of it for her Life; for she cannot be a Trustee for her Husband, and therefore it shall be intended for her Benefit; tho' *B.* shall be a Trustee for the Executor. *R. 2 Ver.* 67.

So, if the Husband takes a Mortgage, Bond, &c. in the Names of himself and his Wife; they shall go to the Wife, if she survives, and there are Assets sufficient for his Debts. *R. 2 Ver.* 683.

[If *A.* devises 2000*l.* Stock to *B.* by her Maiden Name, not knowing her to be married, and the Husband and Wife agree to settle this 2000*l.* in Trustees, in Trust for the Husband and Wife, and the Survivor, and transfer to Trustees, and a Declaration of Trust is prepared and sent to Husband, who objects to it as not according to the Agreement, and directs another according to it, which is drawn, but before executed Husband dies, and Wife administers; she shall have the 2000*l.*

2000*l.* in her own Right, and not as Administratrix. *Fort v. Fort*, H. 9 G. 2. C. T. T. 171.]

[If a Husband voluntarily after Marriage allows his Wife the Profit of Butter, Poultry, and the like, out of which she saves 100*l.* which he borrows, and dies; the Court will allow this as a Debt, and she shall come in as a Creditor for 100*l.* especially if there is no Defect of Affets. *Slanning v. Style*, M. 1734. 3 P. W. 334.]

[Or if he allowed her two Guineas on the Renewal of every Lease. *Calmady v. Calmady*, 3 P. W. 339.]

[If Husband does not pay his Wife her full Pin-money, and on her complaining thereof, tells her she shall have it at last, and dies; she shall be let in to have the Arrears of her Pin-money. *Ridout v. Lewis*, H. 1738. 1 *Atkyns* 269.]

[If A. before Marriage conveys Land to Trustees, to secure 100*l.* to his Wife for her separate Use, and after many Years, on Disputes, she leaves him and goes abroad, but without Suspicion of Incontinency, and is excommunicated for Non-appearance to a Suit for Restitution of conjugal Rights, instituted after Ejectment brought by the Trustees for Arrears of Annuity; the Court will not relieve against Payment of it, tho' the Husband offers to receive her, and she will not return; especially if A. has paid her some Part of the Annuity since her Elopement. *Moore v. Moore*, H. 1737. 1 *Atkyns* 272.]

[If Husband, by Articles previous to a second Marriage, agrees that One-third of his Estate shall after his Death go to his Wife, and One-third to his Children by that and the former Marriage, and afterwards transfers Stock to his Wife for her own Use, and makes his Will, directing that after his Marriage-contract fulfilled, his Effects should be divided between his Wife and two Daughters; the Transfer of Stock shall not affect the gross Estate of Testator, the whole of which was to be divided in such Proportions by the Marriage Articles, which he could not alter; yet it is good against the Testator, and shall be answered out of his Testamentary Share; for Gifts between Husband and Wife will be supported in Equity, tho' the Law does not allow the Property to pass. *Lucas v. Lucas*, T. 1738. 1 *Atkyns* 270.]

[If Father and Son are Parties to Marriage-contract, and there is a Deficiency in the Lands settled for Jointure, the Wife has a Lien on the Estates both of Father and Son. *Probert v. Morgan*, P. 1739. 1 *Atkyns* 440.]

[If by Articles previous to Marriage it is agreed, that every Thing which should come to the Wife should go to them for their Lives, and after the Death of Survivor to the Heirs of the Body of the Wife by the Husband begotten; the Money vests in her only. *Green v. Ekins*, M. 1742. 2 *Atkyns* 473.]

[If A. having an Annuity for Life of 50*l.* issuing out of Lands, marries B. and on separating, B. covenants to allow 14*l.* per Ann. out of his own Estate, and 24*l.* out of the Annuity, and 12*l.* for his Daughter by A. and then B. assigns all his Estate (including the Annuity) to C. a Creditor since the Deed of Separation, the Trusts shall be decreed as against B. and on A.'s paying C. the Remainder of his Debt, he shall assign the Annuity to the Trustee in the Deed of Separation. *Fitzer v. Fitzer*, H. 1742. 2 *Atkyns* 511.]

[If A. an Infant intitled to a Leasehold, and to 500*l.* Residue of her Father's Estate, marries B. who by Deed after Marriage agrees with the Father's Executors that the 500*l.* shall be settled to A.'s separate Use for Life, and then to the Issue of the Marriage, with Power to Trustees to lend the Money to B. which they do, and B. becomes Bankrupt; the Trustee shall come in as Creditor for the Money paid after Execution of the Deed. *Middlecome v. Marlow*, H. 1742. 2 *Atkyns* 519.]

[If a Husband obliged to do a particular Thing for his Wife's Benefit, does a Thing equally beneficial, it shall be presumed a Satisfaction: as, long Annuities are settled to Husband for Life, Wife for Life, then all the Children equally, with Proviso, that Husband, Wife, and Trustees, may sell them absolutely; Husband alone sells, and afterwards settles Stock of greater Value to himself for Life, Wife for Life, eldest Son for Life, his Wife for Life, and to the Children: This is a Satisfaction for the long Annuities. *Weyland v. Weyland*, P. 1742. 2 *Atkyns* 632.]

[If Husband receives considerable Fortune by his Wife, and never makes Provision for her, and 500 *l.* is left her, for which she brings Bill, and it is referred to the Master to receive Proposals from him for a Provision, which he never lays before the Master, and the Executor by Order pays the Money, which is laid out in Stock for the Benefit of Husband and Wife, subject to further Directions, and Husband dies, the Principal and Dividends shall be paid to the Wife; had this been the whole Fortune, the Husband should have had the Dividends. *Bond v. Simmons, M. 1743. 3 Atkyns 20.*]

[If Husband has received great Part of Wife's Fortune, and will not make Settlement, the Court will prevent his receiving the Residue, and even the Interest, which shall accumulate for her Benefit, unless he is starving. *Ibid.*]

[If an Estate is given to a Husband for the *Livelihood* of his Wife, he shall be considered as Trustee for her separate Use. *Darley v. Darley, M. 1746. 3 Atk. 399.*]

[If *A.* on his Marriage with *B.* settles an Estate, which he has no Right to settle, on her in Jointure, and *A.* also covenants to leave her a House worth 3000 *l.* or that his Heirs, Executors, &c. should pay her Interest of 3000 *l.* and there is also a Term for paying her 150 *l. per Annum* on Failure of Performance, and her Portion is applied to discharge Incumbrances which are assigned to her; after *A.*'s Death, and not leaving the House, *C.* the Reversioner, on confirming *B.*'s Jointure and the Covenant, shall have the Incumbrances assigned to him, and be indemnified out of the Personal Estate against the 150 *l. per Annum.* *Lord Portsmouth v. Lady Suffolk, T. 1747. 1 Vezey 30.*]

[As in the Case of Pin-money, so if a Wife suffers her Husband (one of the Trustees) to receive the Rents of her separate Estate, she can come in as a Creditor only for one Year's Arrears. *Lord Townshend v. Windham, T. 1750. 2 Vezey 1.*]

[If Husband, on Receipt of his Wife's separate Estate, buys Jewels, and gives them to her, it is like paying her the Money of her separate Estate, and she may retain them, tho' not as *Paraphernalia.* *Ibid.*]

[If a Man has Power to make a Jointure of a *clear* yearly Value, the Value is to be computed at the Time the Jointure is made, and not during the Continuance. *E. Tyrconnel v. D. Ancafter, T. 1754. 2 Vezey 499.*]

[Clear yearly Value means clear of Taxes borne by Tenants, according to the Usage of the Country where the Lands lie, but subject to Land-tax, and those borne by Landlords. *Ibid.*]

(2 M. 13.)
Whenbarred.

But, if the Husband secures 300 *l.* for his Wife, if she survives him, by Bond and Judgment, and afterwards the Husband and Wife join in a Fine of the Lands of the Husband and cancel the Bond, and the Purchaser reserves 200 *l.* to secure himself against an Annuity charged upon the Estate, and gives a Mortgage to a Creditor of the Husband to pay him the 200 *l.* after the Annuity ceases; the Wife, tho' she survives, shall be barred of the 300 *l.* against the Purchaser and the Mortgagee. *R. Eq. R. 19.*

(2 M. 14.) Disposition by a Wife.

If there is a Provision that the Wife by her Will shall dispose; a Writing, in the Nature of a Will, is sufficient to dispose, tho' she cannot make a Will. *Cro. Car. 219, 376. Vide Ante, (2 M. 11.)*

[If *Feme-covert* has a Power to dispose by Writing purporting to be a Will, yet proving it in the Spiritual Court will not give it the Authority of a Will, it is only an Instrument or Appointment in Pursuance of a Power, and before it is proved in the Commons as a Testamentary Conveyance, the Husband should be examined as to his Consent. *Henley v. Philips, T. 1740. 2 Atkyns 48.*]

So, if she has a Power to dispose in the Life-time of her Husband, tho' it is not said, that she may do it by such Writing. *2 Ver. 329.*

If she has a Power to dispose by Writing under her Hand and Seal, a Disposition by Will signed and sealed by her shall be good. *R. Cro. Car. 376.*

[If there is a Power to Husband and Wife, and the Survivor, over a Reversionary Interest after their Deaths, by Writing under Hand and Seal before two Witnesses,

nesses, and Husband dies, Wife marries again, and during Coverture appoints by Will so executed, it is good. *Burnet v. Mann, M. 1748. 1 Vezey 156.*

If upon Marriage a Power is reserved to the Wife to dispose of her Personal Estate, she may also dispose of all the Profits thereof. *2 Ver. 535.*

So all her Personal Estate shall be presumed to be the Produce of her separate Estate, if it does not appear to have come to her by other Means. *R. 2 Ver. 535.*

So, if after Marriage the Husband gives a Note, that his Wife shall have such Money at her Disposal; the Principal and Interest shall be her separate Estate. *2 Ver. 659.*

[A mere voluntary Promise from a Husband to a Wife, and executory only, is never established by this Court, therefore, if Husband gives a Note or Certificate to his Wife, declaring she may dispose of 200*l.* as she thinks proper, she cannot dispose of them after his Death by Will. *Darley v. Darley, M. 1746. 3 Atkyns 399.*]

[If Money is settled to be laid out in Lands, and a Term created to raise 4000*l.* to be paid according to the Wife's Appointment, and there happens a Loss on the Funds in which the Money is vested, it falls on the Residue, and no Part of it on the 4000*l.* *Oke v. Heath, M. 1748. 1 Vezey 135.*]

[If on Marriage an Estate is settled in Trustees, to receive Rents and Profits for Wife's separate Use, and as she shall direct, and she sells it without Trustees Knowledge, and Husband covenants, that it is free from Incumbrances, and there is no Proof of Husband's using Influence, tho' he received the Money, the Purchase is good; but the Purchaser must rely on Husband's Covenant solely as against Incumbrances. *Grigby v. Cox, T. 1750. 1 Vezey 517.*]

[*Feme-covert* can dispose of her real Estate only by Fine, or by having conveyed to Trustees before Marriage, in Trust, for such Person as she shall appoint, or by way of Power over an Use, as if she conveys to Use of herself for Life, Remainder to Use of such Person as she shall appoint; but not by bare Agreement with the Husband; tho' that may bar Tenancy by the Curtesy, unless the Agreement be such, that she may afterwards apply to Equity to compel the Husband to carry it into Execution, and then *Q.* whether her Heir at Law is bound? *Peacock v. Monk, H. 1750. 2 Vezey 190.*]

[If a Father creates a Trust of real Estate, the Rents to be paid to his Daughters, sole or covert, for their separate Use, to their own Hands, or as they appoint, and they join in Bond with their Husbands; the Trustee shall pay the Rents to the Obligees. *Stanford v. Marshal, M. 1740. 2 Atkyns 68.*]

[If *Feme-covert*, having separate Estate, doth with her Husband and her Trustee call it in, discharge the Trustee, and it is placed out in the Husband's Name, and Interest is received by him, and on his Death she manages it as his Executrix; she is barred from claiming it as her separate Estate. *Pawlet v. Delaval. T. 1755. 2 Vezey 663.*]

[It is not determined that a Wife may not dispose of her separate Property without the Intervention of Trustees, or to her Husband without Trustees, or her judicial Consent in Court. *Ibid.*]

[She may do it by Act *in pais*, where no Menace or Imposition. *Ibid.*]

[She may pledge it as a Security for Husband's Debt, and then Husband shall exonerate. *Ibid.*]

So, the Wife, where the Husband is in Exile, may act in all Respects as a *Feme* (2 M. 15.)
Sole: And therefore, may make a Will, and dispose of her Land; tho' by the *St.* When the
34 H. 8. a Devise of a *Feme Covert* is void. *Eq. Abr. 171. 2 Ver. 104.* Husband is in
Exile.

(2 M. 16.) When the Covenant of an Husband or Wife shall be enforced, tho' void.

If the Husband gives a Bond or Covenant to his intended Wife, to make a Settlement upon her, tho' the Bond is avoided by the Marriage, it shall be Evidence of an Agreement, and the Husband shall be compelled to make a Settlement. *R. 2 P. W. 243.*

So, if the Wife covenants, being an Infant, to settle her Estate, she shall be compelled to do it, if the Husband makes a suitable Settlement. 2 P. W. 244.

(2 N.) Charitable Uses.

(2 N. 1.) Relief by Original Bill.

Vide Ante,
(Y. 6.)

CHANCERY will relieve by Original Bill upon a Gift to Charitable Uses within the *St. 43 El. 4. R. Ca. Ch. 135, 267. Dub. Ca. Ch. 158.*

[The Court will not make a Decree for establishing a Charity, which is properly regulated by Charter from the Crown. *Attorney-general v. Smart, H. 1747. 1 Vezey 72.*]

[A School founded by Charter must be regulated according to the Charter, not in this Court, as where no Charter. *Attorney-general v. Middleton, T. 1751. 2 Vezey 327.*]

[The Statutes of a private Foundation under a Charter are not executed in this Court. *Ibid.*]

[The Jurisdiction of this Court does not extend to Charity-Schools where local Visitors are appointed; if it is a private Visitor, he and his Heirs have a Right. *Attorney-general v. Price, T. 1744. 3 Atkyns 108.*]

[If there is a Publick Endowment by the Crown, then a Commission may issue from this Court to inspect the Charity, and the Application of the Money; but if by Letters Patent, or Act of Parliament, a local Visitor is appointed, this Court cannot interpose. *Ibid.*]

[Yet the Chancellor, in relation to *Berkhamstead* School, founded by Act of Parliament, with a local Visitor, (the Warden of *All Souls*,) did make a Decree for taking an Account for letting Leases, and proposed augmenting the Salaries of the Visitor, the Schoolmaster, and the Usher. *Ibid.*]

[Where the Governors of an Hospital are Visitors also, they are accountable to this Court *quoad* the Estates, but not *quoad* the Government of the House. *Attorney-general v. Lock, T. 1744. 3 Atkyns 164.*]

[If Trustees have a discretionary Power to repair Road *A.* till it is good, and then Road *B.* the Court will not interpose, unless they act corruptly; yet will not dismiss the Information. *Attorney-general v. Harrow School, T. 1754. 2 Vezey 551.*]

What are Charitable Uses, and how regulated by Commissioners, *Vide Uses*, (N. 1, &c.)

So, by a Bill by the Attorney General by way of Information, it will settle or direct the Disposition of a real or personal Estate to Charitable Uses. *Ca. Parl. 22. Ch. R. 259. Tho' the King is Patron. Skin. 645.*

And oblige Trustees to act or assign their Trust. *Ca. Parl. 22. Vide Post.* (4 W. 6.)

[On an Information by the Attorney-general, the Court will give proper Directions as to the Charity, without regard to the Impropriety of the Prayer of the Information. *Attorney-general v. Jeanes, H. 1737. 1 Atkyns 355. Attorney-general v. Brereton, T. 1752. 2 Vezey 425.*]

[Where there is no Charter, the Information shall not be dismissed, because the Relief prayed is improper; but there shall be a Decree for the Establishment; otherwise, if there is a Charter. *Attorney-general v. Middleton, T. 1751. 2 Vezey 327.*]

[Any Person, tho' the most remote, in the Contemplation of a Charity, may be Relator. *Attorney-general v. Bucknall, T. 1742. 2 Atkyns 328.*]

And a Charitable Use, as well as a Purchaser, shall be relieved against a voluntary Conveyance.

So, against a Lessee, who made originally a Mortgage, but afterwards discharged and assigned it for securing a Purchaser of other Tenements in the Lease from mesne Incumbrances. *R. 1 Ch. R. 20, 21.*

And to such a Bill all the Ter-tenants need not be Parties. *R. 1 Sal. 163.*

So a Decree by the Commissioners may be confirmed by Original Bill. *R. Ca. Ch. 193.*

Notwith-

[Notwithstanding a Decree under a Commission of charitable Uses, the Court may permit a Suit here, in which neither Side is bound by what appeared before the Commissioners, but may set forth new Matter. *Burford v. Lenthall*, P. 1743. 2 *Atkyns* 551.

So, if one Ter-tenant is charged with a Charitable Use, he may make all the others contributory. 1 *Sal.* 163. 1 *Ch. R.* 92.

But, if the Gift is not for a Charity within the *St.* 43 *Eliz.* the Bill shall not be in the Name of the Attorney General. 2 *Ver.* 387.

[Augmentations of Vicarages are Charities, and therefore an Information in the Name of Attorney-general, may be brought to establish a Curate's Right to a perpetual Curacy augmented. *Attorney-general v. Brereton*, T. 1752. 2 *Vezey* 425.]

So, if there is an Appeal from a Decree of the Commissioners, it may be heard as well by the *Master of the Rolls*, as by the *Chancellor*. *Dub. Pr. Ch.* 111.

(2 N. 2.) Tho' the Gift be void by Law.

And a Gift to Charitable Uses shall be decreed tho' it is void in Law; as, a Devise of Tithes impropriate to the Curate of such a Parish, and afterwards to all those who shall have the Cure there; tho' the Curate is not a Corporation it is good, and the Heir of the Devisor shall be seised in Trust for him. *R. 2 Vent.* 349. *Vide in Uses*, (N. 11.)

So a Devise of 10*l.* *per Ann. quamdiu* a Sermon shall be at *A.* shall be decreed, tho' it is not said to whom it shall be paid, and tho' no Sermon was there; for the Words are tantamount to *May be, &c.* *R. 2 Ca. Ch.* 18.

So, if a Rectory impropriate is devised for the Maintenance of a Minister, without saying to whom; it shall be decreed to a Clerk to be instituted by the Ordinary. *R. 2 Ca. Ch.* 19, 31.

If a Copyhold is devised and there is no Surrender to the Use of the Will; it shall pass. *C. Ch. R.* 75. *Vide Eq. R.* 5, 6. *Vide Pr. Ch.* 271. *Vide Uses*, (N. 11.)

[If Copyhold not surrendered is devised to a charitable Use by a Will without Witnesses, it is good as a Direction to the Heir at Law to surrender, Copyholds not being within the Statute of Frauds; it is also good as an Appointment under 43 *Eliz. c. 4.* and a Surrender is not wanted, as a Devise of Lands intailed is good without a Recovery. *Attorney-general v. Andrews*, H. 1748. 1 *Vezey* 225.]

If a Devise or Settlement, to a Charitable Use, is made by Tenant in Tail without Fine or Recovery; it shall be good against his Issue and him in the Remainder. *R. Pr. Ch.* 16.

So a Gift to Charitable Uses, shall be decreed, tho' made before the *St.* 43 *E. 4.* and then void in Law; for that Statute hath a Retrospect. *R. Ca. Ch.* 195.

But *Chancery* will not aid a Charitable Use, where the Will is void for want of three Witnesses, &c. according to the *St.* 29 *Car. 2.* *Eq. R.* 5. *Pr. Ch.* 272, 390.

(2 N. 3.) Where the Land, &c. given is improved.

So, if Lands are given to Charitable Uses, and afterwards by Improvement, &c. they are of greater Value; *Chancery* will make Application of the Improvement to the same Uses. *Vide 2 Ca. Ch.* 53. *Pr. Ch.* 225.

If a Devise is of 10 *l.* *per Ann. quamdiu* a Sermon shall be at *A.* and no Sermon was for many Years there; the Arrears shall be applied for the Purchase of other Land for the Increase of the Salary. 2 *Ca. Ch.* 18.

If a Man says that, having determined his Manor for Charitable Uses, he devises it, which was of the Rent of 240 *l.* *per Ann.* to Trustees, upon Trust to pay such Sums annually, which amount to 120 *l.* *per Ann.* to such Charities; the Surplus also shall be decreed to Charitable Uses. *R. Ca. Parl.* 23.

So, if Lands given to Charitable Uses are in Lease and improved, the Lessees shall be decreed to make an Increase of the Rent; for they ought not to gain, if they do not lose, by the Charity. *R. Ca. Ch.* 195.

So, if Lands then in Lease for 70 *l. per Ann.* are purchased by a Corporation, but the greater Part of the Purchase Money given by the Charity of private Persons, and afterwards the Lands are impowered to a greater Value; tho' 70 *l. per Ann.* only was allotted for Charities, and the Surplus always applied to the Use of the Corporation, yet the Surplus shall go for the Augmentation of the same Charities. *Cont. in Chancery, but reversed in Parliament. 2 Ver. 397.*

(2 N. 4.) How Charitable Uses shall be decreed.

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Vide Uses,
(N. 22.)

Chancery will decree the Charity generally as near as can be to the Intent of the Donor; and therefore, if the Gift is of Money to the Parish of *B.* generally; it shall be decreed to the Poor. *R. Ca. Ch. 135.*

If the Gift is for the Poor within the Precincts of the City of *R.* if other Parishes are afterwards admitted within the Precincts of the City, the Poor of the Parishes admitted shall have a Proportion of the Charity. *R. Ch. R. 194.*

[If Money is left to a Ward according to Mr. ——— his Will, the Court will (the Attorney-general being a Party) decree it to be disposed of as the Alderman and principal Inhabitants think most beneficial for the Ward. *Baylis v. Attorney-general, H. 1741. 2 Atkyns 239.*]

If Land is vested in Trustees for a Chapel for the Use of the Inhabitants of *W.* the Minister shall be chosen by the Inhabitants, not by the Trustees. *2 Ver. 387.*

So, if the Lord of a Manor vests Part of the Waste in Trustees for a School for the Parish, which is erected by Contribution of the Inhabitants. *Dub. 2 Ver. 387.*

[If *A.* leaves Money by Will, to be distributed in Charities therein described at the Discretion of his three Executors, and one dies before filing Information; the Power of nominating the Persons to partake of the Charity is continued to the Survivors, for it is an Authority coupled with an Interest. *Attorney-general v. Glegg, M. 1738. 1 Atkyns 356.*]

[But it is so far a Trust that the Court may interpose, having a more extensive Jurisdiction in Charities than in other Cases. *Ibid.*]

[The Executors cannot in such Case divide the Charity into Thirds, and each nominate to a Third absolutely, for a Determination of every Object is left to all three. *Ibid.*]

[If *A.* has Power to nominate a Master of a School in sixty Days after Avoidance, on Default the Dean and Chapter in thirty Days, on Default the Bishop; *A.* nominates *B.* who is not qualified, not being a Priest; Bishop gives Notice of Lapse to Dean and Chapter, who do not nominate, Bishop nominates *C.* who resigns into the Hands of *A.* who again appoints *B.* now a Priest; this shall be a good Nomination, tho' *C.* had not taken the Oaths. *Attorney-general v. Wycliffe, H. 1747. 1 Vezey 80.*]

[If it is quite uncertain whether the Donor intended that the capital Sum should be disposed of, or only the Interest and Produce of it, the Court will not confine it to the Interest and Produce. *Attorney-general v. Bucknall, T. 1742. 2 Atk. 328.*]

[Where a Legacy is given to a Charity, Interest shall be paid from Testator's Death. *Attorney-general v. Hayes, H. 1736. 1 Atkyns 356.*]

[The Owner of Land charged with an Annuity for Payment of a Schoolmaster is not excused from the Payment when there is no Schoolmaster, tho' it continues for Years, and without the Fault of the Owner. *Aylet v. Dod, H. 1741. 2 Atkyns 238.*]

[If *A.* by Will gives "to the *Latin* School at *Y.* and if any Man is possessed of "it that teacheth Boys, and is richly grounded in the *Latin* Tongue, 5 *l.* to be "paid him yearly for teaching three Boys," it shall be paid to the Schoolmaster for ever. *Cheefeman v. Partridge, M. 1739. 1 Atkyns 436.*]

[If a College, having particular Powers as to a School, appoints one of their Fellows Master, and another Fellow Usher, (which had never been done before) with an yearly Salary, and the Usher never attends, nor receives the Salary, but the Master receives it, and there are but very few Boys; the Court will order the Master

Master to refund the Usher's Salary to the Charity, tho' he says he thinks himself liable to account to the Usher for it, and also that he has spent it. *Attorney-general v. Corporation of Bedford, T. 1754. 2 Vezey 505.*

[If a Man devises his real and personal Estate to Trustees, to pay certain Annuities and Legacies, and then in Trust as to the Surplus for those Persons that are commonly called Dissenting Ministers, particularly 35*l. per Annum* to him at B. the like to him at W. the like to him at D. it shall be decreed them. *Lloyd v. Spillet, M. 1734. 3 P. W. 344. H. 1740. 2 Atkyns 148.*]

[If A. gives to B. Minister of the Baptists at M. 50*l.* and then gives Lands to C. in Fee, chargeable with an Annuity to the Baptist Minister at M. or elsewhere, in the Parish of H. with Power to distrain; it is good Charity, and shall go to the Minister for the Time being; (this Will was made before the *Mortmain Act.*) *Attorney-general v. Cock, P. 1751. 2 Vezey 273.*]

[The Court will examine into the Reasons for the Amotion of a Pensioner in an Hospital with the same Nicety as if his Freehold was concerned. *Attorney-general v. Lock, T. 1744. 3 Atkyns 164.*]

So, *Chancery* may regulate the Manner and Circumstances of the Gift: As, a Devise of 10*l. per Ann. quamdiu* there shall be a Sermon every *Saturday* at A. to be chosen by the Majority of the best Inhabitants was decreed to a Catechist, to be approved by the Bishop. *R. 2 Ca. Ch. 18.* (2 N. 5.) Circumstances shall be regulated.

So, if a Rectory impropriate is devised for the Maintenance of a Minister, without a Reservation of the Nomination to himself; the Minister shall be instituted by the Bishop, and it shall not be a Donative. *R. 2 Ca. Ch. 19, 31.*

If an Hospital is founded, and by the Constitution the annual Rent (which was 120*l. per Ann.*) is not to be enlarged, nor above three Years Rent taken as a Fine upon the Renewal of a Lease for twenty-one Years; yet upon an Alteration of the Prices of Provisions and the Circumstances of the Times, the annual Rent may be augmented. *R. 2 Ver. 596.*

So, if a Lease is made of Lands given to Charitable Uses, to A. at the Rent of only a third Part of the improved Value, in Consideration that he had expended divers Sums of Money for the Recovery of the Charity, with a Covenant that the Lease shall be renewed without a Fine: The Lease shall be renewed, but the Rent shall be augmented to a third Part of the then present Value. *2 Ver. 746.*

If A. having relieved seven poor Women of the Parish of L. where he inhabited, during his Life, by his Will gives 28*l. per Ann.* to be distributed yearly amongst seven poor Women; it shall be distributed in Perpetuity to seven of the same Parish. *Ch. R. 354.*

Yet Alteration of Circumstances seems to be in the Discretion of the Court. *1 Ver. 55.*

So, if Land be given to a superstitious Use, *quamdiu* the Law permits, it may be decreed to a good Use. *2 Ca. Ch. 18.* (2 N. 6.) Where the Use may be improved.

If it is given to a Nunnery, &c. *R. Sal. 162.*

Or, to a Popish Priest. *2 Ver. 266.*

So, if Lands given to particular Uses are improved; the Improvement shall be for the Augmentation of the same Uses in Proportion. (2 N. 7.) The Improvement of the Estate distributed.

But where Land is given to an Hospital, and a Stipend to a Prebend, to be Warden, is ascertained; the Improvement of the Rents shall all be distributed to the Poor of the Hospital. *2 Ca. Ch. 53.*

If a Charity is given for the Maintenance of twelve poor Persons, and an Improvement is made at the Charge of the Parish; the Improvement may be applied to other Uses of the Parish. *Pr. Ch. 225.*

And if Trustees are negligent, they shall be decreed to account and assign their Estate to other Trustees. *Ch. R. 269.*

Who are bound by the Decree. *Vide in Uses, (N. 23.)*

How

How a Decree by Commissioners of Charitable Uses shall be certified to *Chancery*, and how Exceptions shall be taken to it. *Vide Uses*, (N. 24, 25.)

When *Chancery* confirms, enlarges, or annuls it. *Vide Uses*, (N. 26, 27.)

How executed, *Vide Uses*, (N. 26.)

(2 O 1.) *Certiorari Bill*.

IF there is an Action in an inferior Court, in which the Defendant cannot have Right done him, because his Witnesses live out of the Jurisdiction, or for any other Cause; the Defendant may exhibit his Bill in Equity in the Nature of a *Certiorari* to remove his Cause into *Chancery*. 2 *Ver.* 491. *Cb. R.* 203. *Eq. Abr.* 80.

And thereupon the Plaintiff in the inferior Court shall be put to answer, and the Plaintiff in Equity may proceed to the Hearing of the Cause. *Ca. Cb.* 31.

And the Plaintiff may insert other Matter in the *Certiorari Bill*, and then there shall be no *Procedendo*. *Eq. Abr.* 80.

So, tho' the Suit is in a County Palatine a *Certiorari Bill* lies. 1 *Ver.* 178.

So, after a *Procedendo* upon a *Certiorari Bill* and a Decree in the inferior Court, the Party shall have a Bill here to enforce or remedy it. *Cb. R.* 224.

The Plaintiff in a *Certiorari Bill* ought to give Security by Bond to prove his Suggestion within and if the Master does not certify the Suggestion proved, a *Procedendo* goes. 2 *Ver.* 492. *Vide Ante*, (D. 9.)

If the Suggestion is proved, the Defendant answers, Witnesses are examined, Publication passes, and a *Subpœna ad aud. Judicium* goes. 2 *Ver.* 492.

And upon the Hearing, the Court may determine, or award a *Procedendo*. 2 *Ver.* 492, *Cb. R.* 224.

So, a *Procedendo* may go after Publication, before a *Subpœna ad aud. Judicium*. 2 *Ver.* 492.

So, after a *Subpœna ad aud. Judicium*. *Eq. Abr.* 81.

So, the Court may grant a *Procedendo*, or hear the Cause, at Discretion. *Eq. Abr.* 81.

But after a Decree to account in the *Exchequer* of *Chester*, &c. or other County Palatine, the Defendant shall not have a *Certiorari Bill*, upon a Pretence that his Witnesses and Deeds are out of that Jurisdiction. *R. Cb. R.* 452, *Upon a Plea of such a Decree*.

(2 O. 2.) *Bill by way of Appeal*.

So a Bill lies by way of Appeal to Proceedings in the Spiritual Court.

And such Bill ought to alledge, that the inferior Court proceeds unjustly, but need not specify in what Particulars. 1 *Ver.* 442, 3.

(2 P.) *Common*.

Vide Common.

CHANCERY will adjust and settle Disputes between Commoners.

If a Copyholder has the Freehold granted to him, with his Common; tho' the Common is extinct by Law, the Copyholder shall have it in Equity. *R.* 2 *Ver.* 250.

But a Bill ought not to be brought to prove a Right to Common, till his Right be established by a Trial at Law. 1 *Ver.* 308, 9.

Tho' the Plaintiff had the Enjoyment for fifty Years. *Eq. Ca.* 183.

So a Corporation, which has a Manor for the Benefit of the Inhabitants, shall not be allowed to inclose or to make Leases, without the Consent of the major Part of the Inhabitants. *Ca. Cb.* 269, 270.

So a Bill shall not be allowed against a Grantor of Common for over-stocking the Common. *R.* 2 *Ver.* 116.

So *Chancery* will enforce the Performance of an Agreement for the inclosing of a Common, and will send down a Commission for settling the Title of every one. *Ca. Cb.* 48. *Cb. R.* 18, 144. 3 *Cb. R.* 14.

And will not permit the Dissent of two or three Persons to hinder the Public Good. *Ca. Ch. 48. Semb. Contra 2 Ver. 103. Vide infra.*

So, if a Common is inclosed for thirty Years, *Chancery* will not open it. *1 Ver. 32.*

So, if a Woman, who has but a small Estate in Jointure, will disturb an Inclosure agreed to by her Husband, by which she received Benefit. *1 Ver. 456.*

So, an Agreement for Stint of Common shall be decreed, tho' two or three dissent. *R. 2 Ver. 103.*

So, if upon an Agreement for Inclosure, so much was allotted to the Parson, it shall be decreed; tho' a smaller Part is accepted of by the succeeding Rector, and confirmed by Decree in Equity. *R. Ch. R. 144.*

But without an Agreement for an Inclosure, or Benefit alledged, the Court will not compel a Freeholder to assent to it, tho' he is the only Person, who dissents. *1 Ch. R. 259. 2 Ver. 103.*

So, if the Lord incloses, by way of Approvement, within the *St. of Merton*; the Court will not establish it before a Trial at Law, whether sufficient Common remains. *R. 2 Ver. 301, 356.*

So if a greater Part of the Commoners agree to a Stint of Common; the Court will not enforce the Agreement against others, who do not agree. *2 Ver. 575. Vide supra.*

(2 Q) Condition.

(2 Q. 1.) How construed.

A Condition shall be modified in Equity, in Conformity to the Intent of the Parties: As, if Land is settled in Trust (if *A.* secures 500*l.* to his youngest Son) to be conveyed after such Security to *A.* and his Heirs; and if *A.* does not secure it, &c. to *B.* and his Heirs: *A.* does not make the Security; this Condition precedent shall be construed and regarded in the Nature of a Penalty, and therefore the Conveyance to *B.* shall be subject to the 500*l.* for the Portion of the Youngest Son. *R. Ca. Ch. 90.*

If an Executor gives a Recognizance, with a Condition absolute for the Payment of 10,000*l.* to an Orphan, and afterwards the Estate of the Testator falls short; he shall be relieved, and the Condition shall be qualified and conformed to the Intent and Equity of the Case. *R. Ca. Ch. 191.*

[Bond given as Security for Collector of Customs extends not to a subsequent Duty where Collector has new Deputation and gives Security. *Bartlett v. Attorney-general. M. 8 Ann. Parker 277.*]

[Or if no Security is given on new Deputation. *Bondage v. Attorney-general, M. 8 Ann. Parker 278.*]

If a Man devises Land to his Daughter, with a Proviso, that if his Son pays to her 50*l.* he shall have the Land; this shall be a Condition, and tho' the Son does not pay at the Day, upon which the Daughter sells it, the Son upon Payment afterwards shall be relieved against the Vendee. *R. 2 Ca. Ch. 1.*

[If *A.* devise an additional Legacy to his Daughter, on Condition that she marries a Man who bears the Name and Arms of *A.* and she marries one who three Weeks before the Marriage calls himself *A.* it is a good Performance of the Condition, tho' there is no Act of Parliament, and Equity will not decree him to retain the Name. *Barlow v. Bateman, T. 1730. 3 P. W. 65.*]

[If *A.* devises to *B.* 200*l.* provided she marries with Consent of Father and Mother, she cannot have it till she marries, tho' Father and Mother consent, for Marriage is a Condition precedent to the vesting. *Garbut v. Hilton, M. 1739. 1 Atkyns 381.*]

(2 Q. 2.) Breach of a Condition.

If a Condition is literally broken, yet if the Intent and Substance of the Condition be performed, it is sufficient; as, if an Estate is devised to *A.* upon Condition

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that his Father settles two Thirds of his Estate upon *A.* and the Heirs Males of his Body; if the Father devises to him for Life, and afterwards to his first and other Sons in Tail Male, it is sufficient; for it is pursuant to the Intent. *R. 1 Ver. 83.*

So, if a Condition is that the Lessee do not make an Under-lease for more than three Years, except to his Wife or Children, without the Consent of the Lessor, and the Executor of the Lessee sells the Lease for the Payment of Debts; the Breach of the Condition shall be helped, for the Term was subject to Debts. *R. 1 Ch. R. 170.*

[If a Man by Will gives Money and Jewels to Trustees, to sell and pay his Son's Debts, provided the Creditors, within four Months, accept the Composition and discharge the Son; if so, he gives 600*l.* to his Son, if not, gives it over to his Grand-children, and no Tender is made by the Executors, but within four Calendar Months the Creditors file their Bill, accepting the Legacies, and offering to release; it is a Performance of the Condition. *Franco v. Alvarez, P. 1746. 3 Atkyns 342.*]

(2 Q. 3.)
When it shall
be relieved.

If a Condition be broken, yet it shall afterwards be relieved, when it may be afterwards performed: As, if 500*l.* is devised to *A.* if his Father releases his Right to Goods, and if he refuses, then the 500*l.* shall go to the Executors of the Testator; the Father refuses to make the Release; yet upon a Bill against the Father and the Executors, *A.* shall be relieved; for the Father may afterwards make a Release. *R. 2 Vent. 352.*

Tho' it was devised over to the Executors; for that was no more than the Law implied. *2 Vent. 352.*

So, if a Man devises Land to *A.* upon Condition that he pays 1000*l.* per Ann. to his Heir, for 20 Years: If *A.* does not pay at the Day, by which the Heir enters, *A.* shall be relieved; for when a Recompence can be made by Interest for the Non-payment, Relief shall be given. *R. 1 Sal. 156.*

So, if the Condition is, that he shall pay Debts and Legacies, and the Heir enters for Non-payment. *1 Ch. R. 161.*

• 2d Part of
2 Mod. Ca.

If a Condition in a Lease is, that the Lease shall be void on Non-payment of the Rent and Non-performance of the Covenants; and the Lessor recovers for not repairing the House; the Lessee shall be aided upon Payment of the Damage, which the Lessor sustained by the Want of Repair. *R. Eq. Ca. 91.**

[If *A.* is elected under Dr. Ratcliffe's Donation, receives the Salary for five Years, and then, instead of travelling for five more, as the Will requires, upon ill Health resigns, and Trustees accept, and put another in his Room, he shall not refund; tho' if they had refused to accept, possibly he might. *Attorney-general v. Dr. Stephens, P. 10 G. 2. 1 Atkyns 358.*]

(2 Q. 4.)
If a Compensation
can be
made.

Vide Post,
(2 Q. 9.)

So, when a Compensation can be afterwards made; as, if the Condition is for Payment of Money at such a Day, and it is not paid at the Day. *3 Ca. Ch. 135. 1 Ver. 83.*

Tho' the Condition is annexed to a voluntary Settlement, or Devise. *R. Ca. Ch. 144.*

If a Devise is made with a Declaration that the Devisee, being evicted, shall have such Land; the Devisee being evicted of Part, shall have a Compensation *pro tanto.* *1 Ver. 270. Eq. Abr. 106.*

Tho' there is a Devise over, upon Failure of Payment within six Months, to another; yet the Time for Payment may be enlarged. *2 Ver. 222.*

So, if the Devise is to *A.* upon Condition that he pays 100*l.* to every one of the Devisor's Daughters within six Months; if the Monies are not paid at the Day, the Devisee, tho' it is a voluntary Gift, shall be aided. *R. 2 Ver. 366.*

Or, upon Condition, that he pays to his Daughter, who is also his Heir, 100*l.* per Ann. till 300*l.* is paid. *R. 2 Ver. 594.*

And, tho' the Daughter enters for Non-payment, and sells the Land, the Devisee shall be aided against the Vendee; for the Condition was in the Nature of a Security for Payment. *Eq. Abr. 106.*

So,

So, if the Condition be that, upon Payment of a Portion to a Daughter by *A.* the Land shall go to *A.* and his Heirs, and *A.* dies before the Day of Payment; his Heir upon Payment shall have the Land. *R. Eq. Abr. 107.*

If the Condition be that if the Father does not release to the Executor, the Legacy to his Son shall be void; if the Father refuses to release, at first, but afterwards does release, the Son shall be aided. *Eq. Abr. 108. 2 Vent. 352.*

But a Devisee shall not be aided, without paying all Interest from the Day of Payment. *2 Ver. 594.*

Without Deduction for Taxes, tho' directed to be paid by the Devisee out of his Estate. *2 Ver. 595.*

So, if the Condition is broken by the Fraud or Practice of him, who is to have the Advantage of it. *R. 1 Rol. 374. l. 35. D. 3 Ca. Ch. 134.* (2 Q. 5.)
If the Breach was procured by Fraud.

If a Condition is added only *in Terrorem*; as, if a Portion is given to a Woman, upon Condition, that she does not marry without the Consent of such a Person, without a Limitation over; if she marries without the Consent, yet she shall be relieved. *R. Ca. Ch. 22. R. 1 Ch. R. 121. R. 2 Ver. 293, 4. R. Skin. 286. Eq. Abr. 110.* (2 Q. 6.)
If the Condition was *in Terrorem*.
Vide Post, (3 Z. 5, &c.)

[But this is only as to personal Estates; for if the Portion is to arise out of Lands, and there is no Devise over, it shall go to the Heir; and the Money is to be laid out in Lands. *Pulling v. Reddy, T. 16 G. 2. Wils. 21.*]

[If a Mother by Will gives her Daughter *A.* 800*l.* if she marry with Consent of Trustees in Writing, and not otherwise, and charges her real Estate with her Debts and Legacies, and *A.* marries without Consent; this is a personal Legacy, and shall be paid, (had it been originally charged on Land it should not); and if the personal Estate is exhausted by Payment of Debts or Legacies, the real Estate shall make it good *pro tanto*. *Reynish v. Martin, P. 1746. 3 Atkyns 330. Wils. 130.*]

[If a Man by Will gives 1500*l.* to each of his Grand-daughters on their Day of Marriage, and desires they should not marry without Consent, &c. and therefore if any should marry without Consent, revokes what was to be paid her, and she shall not be intitled to any Benefit, *further than the Father and Mother or Survivor of them shall direct*; and after the Legacies and Sums directed to be paid are satisfied, gives the Residue to his Daughter for Life, and then to *B.*; this is not a Devise over, but a Power to the Parents to abridge; therefore the Condition is *in terrorem* only, and a Grand-daughter marrying without Consent shall have the 1500*l.* *Wheeler v. Bingham, T. 1746. 3 Atkyns 364. Wilsen 135.*]

So, if Land is devised upon Condition, that she shall not marry. *D. 3 Ca. Ch. 135. Vide Comyns Rep. 729. Skin. 286.*

So, if 200*l.* are devised, *if she behave herself dutifully to her Mother*; it shall be paid, tho' she marries without the Consent of the Mother. *R. 1 Ch. R. 122.*

But if the Portion of Land is devised over to another, if she marries without Consent; she shall not be relieved upon a Marriage without that Consent. *R. Ca. Ch. 22. R. Ca. Ch. 142. 1 Vent. 199. Fry and Porter. Upon an Appeal from a Decree of the Master of the Rolls to the contrary. 1 Mad. 300, &c. 2 Ver. 87, 357, 452. Vide Post, (3 Z. 5, &c.)*

[If *A.* by Lease and Release limits his Estate to himself for Life, &c. with a Trust of a Term, that if there should be a Son and two or more Daughters, the Trustees were to raise and pay to each 2000*l.* if she marry with Consent of her Mother, and in the mean time directs Maintenances; and if any die before the Portion paid, then it is not to go to her Executor, but the Estate to be exonerated of it, or, if raised, to go to him to whom the Reversion of the Estate is limited; and afterwards, by Will, *A.* directs 2000*l.* a-piece more to each, out of his personal Estate, as an Augmentation of her original Portion, and subject to the same Conditions; and if any dies before the original Portion becomes payable, then this Legacy of 2000*l.* not to go to her Executor, but to his Widow and Executrix: And *A.* dies; and on Bill filed the Court orders the Maintenances to be raised im-

immediately, and then two of the Daughters marry without Consent; they are not intitled either to the original Portion, nor to the Legacies. *Hervey v. Aston*, P. 1737. and T. 1738. *Per Hardwicke C. Lee C. J. Willis C. J. and Gwynn J. unanimously.* 1 *Atkyns* 361.]

[If a Condition is annexed by Will to a Devise of real or of personal Estate, (as marrying with Consent) and no Notice is required to be given, there the Legatees must perform the Condition, or they cannot be intitled; and if there is a Devise over, Forfeiture incurs. *Chauncy v. Graydon*, T. 1743. 2 *Atkyns* 616.]

[If one Child forfeits by marrying without Consent, and next Day another does the same; he forfeits the Share of the Forfeiture of the first, as well as the original Portion, *Ibid.*]

So, if the Marriage be a Condition precedent to the vesting of the Estate. R. 3 *Ca. Ch.* 130. *Vide Post*, (2 Q. 8.)

Yet a Devise to a Woman upon Condition, that she does not marry without the Consent of A. and B. and if she does, to such Persons as A. and B. shall nominate, otherwise to A. and B. themselves; if she marries without Consent, the Portion shall go to the Trustees. R. *Ca. Ch.* 58; seems as if the Devise to Persons, who are to consent, shews the Intent to be only *in Terrorem*.

[So if A. gives his Daughter B. 2000*l.* payable at Twenty-one or Marriage, if she marries with Consent; provided if any of the Legatees die before their Legacy payable, it shall be divided between the Survivors; and B. marries under Age; it is a Devise *in terrorem* only, and the Legacy vests on the Marriage. *Underwood v. Morris*, P. 1741. 2 *Atkyns* 184.]

So a Devise to Daughters, and, if they marry without the Consent of the Executors, over to others: If the Daughters arrive at full Age, they shall have their Portions; for it shall not be intended that they are to be restrained to the Consent of the Executors, but only whilst under Age. R. *in Canc. int. Lloyd and Hughes*, T. 2 *Jac.* 2. *Semb. cont.* 452.

If a Woman releases her Portion charged upon Land by her Grandfather, at the Request of her Father, who promises to make an Improvement and to take Care of her Portion, and afterwards devises, that the Portion shall be paid, if she marries with the Consent of his Executor, otherwise he gives her only the Interest thereof for her Life; tho' she marries without Consent, all the Portion shall be paid; for it was a Debt to her from her Father. R. *Ch. R.* 145.

If a Devise is to a Daughter, and if she does not marry with the Consent of the Executors, to the Daughters of one of the Executors; if A. makes his Address to the Daughter, with the Privity of the Executors, and afterwards marries her, he shall have the Portion, tho' there was no express Consent. R. 2 *Ver.* 580.

[If a Fortune is settled on A. provided she marries with Consent of three Trustees, if not, over to others; and B. makes a Proposal to one of the Trustees, who communicates it to the other two; they all disapprove of it, unless the Father of B. will make a better Settlement, and write a Letter to that Purpose to their Agent, and say "If he does, we believe the young Folks are too far engaged, and we shall be obliged to consent;" and by another Letter to their Agent they refuse to consent on any other Terms; and B. and A. marry privately, and after that B. applies to the other two Trustees, who tell him they will not consent but on the above Terms: Yet if there is no Objection to the Person or Estate of B. and the Settlement is not disparaging, the Words *we shall be obliged to consent*, shall be construed a present Consent, and the Condition well performed. *Daley v. Desboeverie*, 1738. 2 *Atkyns* 261.]

So, if a Devise is to A. upon Condition, that he does not dispute his Will; it will not be a Breach, if there is a probable Ground of Contest. R. 2 *Ver.* 91. [*Morris v. Burroughs*, H. 1737. 1 *Atkyns* 399. *Lloyd v. Spillet*, M. 1734. 3 *P. W.* 344. H. 1740. 2 *Atkyns* 148.]

If a Man charges Land with a Portion for his Daughter, at the Age of twenty-one, or Marriage; but if she marries without the Consent of her Mother during her Life, (who was her Guardian), Part thereof to go to the Payment of his Debts:

Debts: After the Age of twenty-one, a Marriage without that Consent does not forfeit any Part of the Portion. *R. Eq. R. 26. Reversed Temp. G. 2. Vide Comyns's Rep. 726.*

[A Provision on Condition, by an elder Brother for younger Children unprovided for, shall be construed in the same Manner as Provision by a Father. *Berkeley v. Ryder, T. 1752. 2 Vezey 429.*]

[Money to be paid *nomine pænæ* for Non-payment of the principal Sum, shall only stand as a Security for legal Interest for it. *Aylet v. Dod, H. 1741. 2 Atkyns 238.*]

[But a *Nomine pænæ* in a Lease to a Tenant, to prevent breaking up old Pasture Ground, is otherwise, and the Whole shall be paid. *Ibid.*]

If a Condition is broken only in Circumstances, but the Substance is performed; as, if the Condition be, that the Party shall not do a Thing, without Consent in Writing, and there be a Consent without Writing. *Ca. Ch. 141. 3 Ca. Ch. 130.* (2 Q. 7.)
If it was broken only in Circumstances; or became impossible by the Act of God.

If an Estate is devised upon Condition, that the Devisee shall convey two Parts to A. and if he does not, devised over to another; if he does not convey exactly two Parts, but *tantamount* in Value, it is sufficient. *R. Ca. Ch. 131.*

[If a Man devises Lands to B. and his Heirs, on Condition that he marries C. and B. by Bill declares himself ready to marry her, and she by her Answer declares she will not marry him, and afterwards marries another, and dies; the Condition is dispensed with. *Robinson v. Comyns, H. 9 G. 2. C. T. T. 164.*]

So, if a Condition subsequent becomes impossible by the Act of God. *D. 3 Ca. Ch. 135. Vide 1 Ver. 83.*

[If a Man gives 1000*l.* to his Daughter, to be paid at Twenty-one or Marriage, provided she marry with Consent of Executors, if she dies before the Money payable on these Conditions, the Money to his Sons; and all the Executors die before she marries, she is intitled to the 1000*l.* *Graydon v. Hicks, M. 1739. 2 Atkyns 16.*]

[But if there is an Administrator with the Will annexed, his Consent is required. *Ibid.*]

But if the Estate is limited upon a Condition precedent, the Breach generally shall not be relieved. *R. Ca. Ch. 130, 135. D. 1 Ver. 83.* (2 Q. 8.)
When it shall not be relieved.

As if an Estate is devised to A. if she marries to such a one, otherwise to B. if she does not marry the same Person, the Estate does not vest, and she shall not be relieved. *R. 3 Ca. Ch. 130. 2 Ver. 338, 9.* Where the Condition is precedent.

Yet where the Condition precedent is not performed, but there was no Default in the Party, who omits the Performance, *Chancery* will give Relief; as, if a Devise is to A. for three Years, and if a Lady, who was his Heir at Law, intermarries with B. within three Years, then to her and the Heirs of her Body: If the Marriage was omitted by the Default of B. *Chancery* will relieve. *R. Cont. in Chancery, but the Decree was reversed in Parliament. 1 Sal. 232.*

If a Man devise that, if his Daughters release to his Heir such and such Lands, he gives them such and such Portions; and one of the Daughters dies before the Release, the Rest shall be relieved; for such a Breach may be compensated. *Semb. 1 Ver. 222, 3.*

If the Devise be, that if A. secures 500*l.* to his Daughters, the Trustees shall convey to A. and his Heirs; if A. dies before the 500*l.* is secured, if it was afterwards secured, the Trustees ought to convey. *Ca. Ch. 89. Eq. Abr. 107.*

So, Equity does not relieve for a Condition broken, where there is no proper Measure for Recompence: As, if the Condition is, that a Lease shall be void, if the Lessee assigns without Licence. *R. Eq. Ca. 113.** (2 Q. 9.)
Where Recompence cannot be made.

So, tho' the Condition is subsequent, there shall be no Relief, if there cannot be a Compensation for it. *Eq. Abr. 108.* * 2d Part of 2 Mod. Ca.

(2 Q. 10.)
If the Relief
is not prayed
in convenient
Time.

So, if a Lessor enters for a Condition broken, and recovers in Ejectment, and offers to take his Arrears of Rent and Costs, which *A.* the Assignee of the Lease refuses, for which Reason the Lessor demises to another: *A.* shall not afterwards be relieved, against the Breach of the Condition, in Equity. *R. 1 Ver. 450.*

So, if the Condition is that by Non-payment, the Estate shall cease both in Law and Equity; if the Party does not pay at the Day, he shall not be relieved, it being a voluntary Settlement. *1 Ver. 456, 7. Cont. 2 Ver. 366. Vide Ante, (2 Q. 4.)*

If a Devise is to the eldest Daughter, upon Condition, that if she does not pay so much to the other Daughters within six Months, it shall go over to the second Daughter, upon the same Condition, and if she does not pay, to the third, &c. After six Months the eldest Daughter shall not be relieved. *Dub. 2 Ver. 166. Vide 2 Ver. 222. Contra.*

So, if a Devise is to the eldest Son by a second Wife in Tail, and if he dies without Issue, to the eldest Son by a former Wife, upon Condition that he pays 1000 *l.* to the Daughters by the second Wife; the Tenant in Tail suffers a Recovery of a Moiety, and then dies without Issue; the eldest Son by the first Wife shall not have the Land, without Payment of the whole 1000 *l.* *Eq. Abr. 106. 2 Ver. 359.*

But a Devise to three Daughters, upon Condition, that they release all their Share to the Estate of the Testator, shall be construed distributively; and each of the Daughters releasing shall have her Legacy. *Eq. Abr. 106. 2 Ver. 478.*

(2 R) Confirmation.

IF Tenant for Life makes Building-Leases, for the Advantage of the Estate, to which the Remainder-Man consents by *Parol*; he shall be decreed to make a Confirmation, after the Death of the Tenant for Life. *R. 2 Ca. Ch. 28. Vide Confirmation.*

(2 S) Contribution.

Vide Ante, (2 I.)

IF a Charge is upon a Manor, &c. and the Whole is levied upon one Tenant; the Court will make all liable to make Contribution.

As Persons, who purchase Part of a Manor subject to a Charge. *R. Hard. 131.*

[But if Tenant in Tail, subject to an Incumbrance, suffers a Recovery of Part, and exchanges it for other Lands; this is not subject to a Contribution to the Incumbrance, the Whole of which must be paid by the Remainder. *Kirkham v. Smith, T. 1749. 1 Vezey 258.*]

So, if one Surety pays the whole Debt, *Chancery* will make the other contributory for his Proportion. *Ch. R. 203. Vide Post, (4 D. 6.)*

If there is Judgment in Debt against the Sheriffs of *London*, for an Escape, and one pays the whole Money; he shall have Contribution against the other Sheriff, and, if he is dead, against his Executor. *Dub. Hard. 164.*

But the antient Tenants or Copyholders of a Manor are not liable to a Contribution towards a Bridge-Wall, to which the Manor is charged. *R. Hard. 131.*

Tho' the Copyholders are enfranchised of late Years; for that only varies the Tenure. *Hard. 131.*

(2 T.) Conveyance.

(2 T. 1.) When aided.

(2 T. 1.)
When there
is a Mistake
in the Deed,
Vide Post, (2 T. 6.)

CHANCERY will aid a Mistake in a Conveyance or other Deed; as if in a Lease, &c. by a Corporation, the Body Politick is misnamed.

So, if the Name of the Lessor, or of the Lessee, is omitted, or mistaken.

So, if Land in *A.* in the Tenure of *John D.* where it was intended *Ralph D.* is conveyed; and *John D.* holds nothing there; it shall be aided. *Dub. 2 Ca. Ch. 43.*

If a Farm called *Hafledon* is conveyed as lying in *A.* when it lies in *A.* and *B.* and the Party hath declared that he had conveyed such a Farm; it shall be so decreed. *R. 2 Ca. Ch. 68.*

So, if in the Conveyance of an Inheritance, the Word, *Heirs*, is omitted.

So, if Part of the Land intended to be conveyed is omitted.

As, if the Deed conveys only one Messuage, with the Appurtenances; other Lands, demised with the Messuage, and occupied under the same Lease, at the same Rent, and intended to be purchased, shall be comprised. *(2 T. 2.)*
When Part of the Land is omitted in the Deed.

So, if more Land is inserted, than was intended to be conveyed; as, if a Copyhold is escheated, and afterwards the Manor is conveyed by Words sufficient to pass that Copyhold, but it was not inserted in the Particular, nor intended to be granted in Demesne; the Vendor shall have a Decree to hold it by Copy of the Purchaser. *R. 2 Vent. 345.* *(2 T. 3.)*
When more is inserted, than was intended.

So, if more Land is inserted in a Fine than was intended to be comprised. *Vide Post, (4 L. 2.)*

So, where a Covenant is general, and the Party is seised, when the Intent was that he should covenant only against his own Act. *R. Ca. Ch. 15.*

So, if a Conveyance is lost, *Chancery* will enforce a new Assurance.

So, where a Conveyance was pretended but not proved, but the Guardian of the Defendant articted for the Enjoyment, and gave Possession to the Plaintiff, the Court decreed for the Plaintiff. *Ca. Ch. 48.* *(2 T. 4.)*
When the Conveyance is lost.

[If there is Proof that the Deed was destroyed by a Party, the Court will relieve; but if it is lost, the Matter must be determined at Law. *Askew v. Poulterer's Company, M. 1750. 2 Vezey 89. Clavering, v. Clavering, H. 1750. 2 Vezey 233.*]

So *Chancery* aids a defective Conveyance; as where, upon a Feoffment, Livery is omitted. *Ca. Ch. 240.* *(2 T. 5.)*
When the Conveyance is defective.

If a Bargain and Sale is not enrolled. *1 Ch. R. E. of Oxford 10.*

If to a Grant of a Reversion, there is no Attornment.

[If a Rent-charge is limited to *A.* and after her Decease to the Heirs of her Body, and such Heir during her Life conveys to *B.* without Fine, which would operate as an Estoppel if he survived her; after *A.*'s Death, *B.* is intitled to further Assurance from the Heir, and to make Use of his Name to recover Arrears. *Whitfield v. Fauset, H. 1749. 1 Vezey 387.*]

If a Copyhold is surrendered by way of Mortgage for Money, and the Surrender is not presented. *R. Ca. Ch. 171.*

Or, if there is a Defect in the Surrender. *1 Ch. R. 108.*

If a Lease is made to *A.* and *B.* and their Heirs *habend.* for 99 Years, where it was for Payment of Debts. *R. Ca. Ch. 249. Vide Post, (4 W. 14.)*

So, where no Surrender appears to a Copyhold, after a Possession of forty Years. *R. 1 Ver. 195. 2 Ca. Ch. 150.*

If no Livery appears to a Lease for Life, after a Possession for twenty-five Years. *R. 1 Ver. 196.*

If Livery is wanted to a Feoffment by Tenant in Tail, which makes a Discontinuance. *Ca. Ch. 240.*

If *A.* revokes a prior Settlement, and covenants to stand seised for the Benefit of his Son upon his Marriage, but the Words, *Shall stand and be seised*, are omitted. *R. 1 Ch. R. 163.*

If *A.* upon a Loan of Money gives a Letter of Attorney to confess Judgment in Ejectment for such and such Lands. *R. 2 Ver. 151.*

So, if a Man upon his Marriage settles an Estate for the Jointure of his Wife, in the same Manner as if he had the Inheritance; and afterwards the Inheritance is evicted, and it appears that the Husband had only a Term for Years; the Wife shall have the Term for her Life. *R. Ca. Ch. 47.* *(2 T. 6.)*
Or, mistaken.
Vide Ante, (2 T. 1.)

If a Bond is made in the Penalty of 40 *l.* for the Payment of 200 *l.* it shall be aided; for it was a Mistake. *R. 2 Ca. Ch. 225.*

So, if the Husband having a Term conveys it to his Wife and her Heirs by Lease and Release, in Consideration of a Bond cancelled, which was given for the making

ing of a Jointure for the Wife; and the Wife devises it and dies: The Husband shall assign the Term to the Devisee. *R. Eq. Ca.* 143.

[If by Articles and Settlement in the same Words, and both before Marriage, Husband is made Tenant for Life without Waste, Remainder to the Heirs male of his Body, with Power to raise Portions for younger Children, and levies a Fine, this shall be rectified by Chancery for the Son, and the Father made Tenant for Life only; for it is nugatory in Settlement for valuable Consideration to make him Tenant in Tail: But if Son has a Benefit by his Father's Will, he must make his Election. *Roberts v. Kingsey, P.* 1749. *1 Vesey* 238.]

(2 T. 7.)
If it is aided,
it shall be in
the same
Plight, as it
would have
been, if it had
been right in
initio.

If a defective Conveyance is aided, it shall be discharged of *mesne* Incumbrances by the Party; as if a Mortgage wants Livery, and thereupon the Heir confesses Judgments to another; the Mortgagee shall be relieved, and discharged from the Judgments. *R. Ch. R.* 29.

A Lease not being made pursuant to an Agreement, if the Lessor afterwards settles the Reversion in such Manner, that the Covenants of a former Lease may be performed on the Part of the Lessor; if the Lessee performs his Part, Equity will assist him to detain Possession, as if the prior Lease had Continuance. *R.*

* 2d Part of
2 Mod. Ca.

Eq. Ca. 59.*

(2 T. 8.) When a Conveyance shall not be aided.

Vide Post,
(4 S. 2.)

But if Tenant in Tail bargain and sell his Land, Chancery will not decree a Fine or Recovery, tho' the Vendor had Power to levy them. *Dict. 2 Vent.* 350.

[If A. Remainder-man in Tail, expectant on the Death of his Uncle, Tenant for Life being distressed, conveys Manors of 300*l.* per Annum for 300*l.* to B. his Heirs and Assigns, after the Uncle's Death without Issue-male, it is void in Law, and shall not be aided in Equity. *Barnardiston v. Lingood, H.* 1740. *2 Atkyns* 133.]

So, a Conveyance shall not be helped upon a subsequent Communication. *2 Ch. R.* 107.

Nor a Defect in Articles, after a Conveyance executed. *R. 2 Ch. R.* 107.

(2 T. 9.)
If it be volun-
tary.
Vide Ante,
(2 C. 8.)
Post, (4 H. 9.)
—4 O. 7.)

So, if a voluntary Conveyance is defective, Chancery will not aid it. *2 Vent.* 365. *Semb. Ca. Ch.* 47. *1 Ver.* 456. *1 Ch. R.* 147, 8.

So, if A. covenants to make a Jointure of 500*l.* per Ann. without saying of what Lands, and afterwards settles a Farm in A. of 50*l.* per Ann. and then makes a voluntary Settlement of 200*l.* per Ann. if Part of the Farm lies in B. it shall not be decreed against the Heir, tho' a Jointure was not settled to the Value agreed; for as to that Estate the Conveyance was voluntary. *R. 2 Ca. Ch.* 68.

If a Man settles Lands in A. B. and C. upon himself for Life, and then to his Issue, and for Default thereof to his Nephew H. the Lands in A. and to his Nephew L. the Lands in B. and C. omitting one Farm; Equity will not supply the Omission, tho' proved to be a Mistake. *R. 1 Ver.* 38.

Yet a Devisee shall not be aided against a voluntary Settlement made without a Power of Revocation. *1 Ver.* 100.

A *fortiori* if there be a voluntary Conveyance for the Provision of younger Children, it shall be aided. *2 Vent.* 365. *1 Ver.* 40, 132.

So, a Lease shall be decreed to attend the Inheritance settled by a voluntary Conveyance. *1 Ch. R.* 37.

So, if Articles upon Marriage are, that Money shall be vested in a Purchase of Land to be settled upon the Husband and Wife for Life, then to the Issue of their Bodies, then to the right Heirs of the Husband; he and his Wife die, and their Children die; the Heir of the Husband shall enforce the Settlement. *Cont. per North, and afterwards decreed,* *1 Ver.* 298, 471. *2 P. W.* 255.

So a Woman, intitled to Dower, shall be aided against a defective Settlement, Surrender, or Execution of a Power. *R. 2 P. W.* 637. *Vide Post,* (3 Z. 1.)

So a Covenant, that a Limitation in Fee being by Mistake made to him and his Heirs, the Party will stand seised to the Use of his Wife and her Heirs, shall be decreed. *2 P. W.* 464.

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A Conveyance, Covenant, &c. being by Deed, *prima facie* imports a Consideration. 2 P. W. 467.

As, if a Father assigns a College-Lease to a Son, and covenants to renew. 2 P. W. 467.

So a defective Conveyance shall not be aided against him, who has an Estate upon a good Consideration; as, if a Surrender of a Copyhold sold or mortgaged is not presented, but afterwards the Vendor surrenders it to the Use of his Will, and devises it to his Wife for Life, upon whom he had agreed to settle it upon their Marriage; the Vendee shall not be relieved against the Wife. R. Ca. Ch. 171. (2 T. 10.) Or, against him, who has an Estate upon good Consideration. Vide Ante, (2 C. 8.)

[If a Rent-charge is limited to A. and after her Death another Rent-charge to the Heirs of her Body, and A. and her Husband levy Fine of the Lands, and sell them to B. and the Heir during her Life sells the Rent-charge to C. this Sale shall not put B. in a worse Condition, or liable to a different Remedy than would have been to the Heir, and C. Purchaser of an equitable Title must try it against B. at Law. Whitfield v. Fauisset, H. 1749. 1 Vezey 387.]

If a Mortgage to A. is defective, it shall not be aided against him, who has a subsequent Mortgage by a good Assurance. Eq. Abr. 320.

(2 T. 11.) When a Conveyance shall be avoided.

So a fraudulent Conveyance shall be avoided in Equity; as, if it be obtained by false Information. 3 Ca. Ch. 74. Vide Post, (3 M. 1.—4 L. 1.) (2 C. 12.)

By Infination of a Match to be obtained thereby. 1 Ver. 206.

A Remainder to the Husband in a Marriage Settlement, to which the Wife objected at reading, and denied she had desired it, (tho' his Attorney had told him so) but executed the Writings as Remainder was remote, and the Parties unwilling to defer, may be set aside as a Fraud and Imposition. Morris v. Nixon, H. 5 G. Str. 144.]

So, if there is a Suspicion of an Imposition: As, where a Woman levies a Fine of her Estate to the Use of B. and his Heirs, but at the Time declares it is necessary for her to have a Trustee, and by her Will declares that she had levied a Fine in Trust for herself, and devises the Estate to C. and his Heirs, subject to the Payment of Debts, and B. gave no Consideration, he shall be decreed to convey to C. R. 2 Ver. 307.

[If a Man is arrested by due Process, and then executes a Conveyance never under Consideration before, the Court will construe it *duress*, and relieve against it. Nichols v. Nichols, M. 1737. 1 Atkyns 409.]

[Tho' a Man has a real Intention of disinheriting his Heir at Law, yet if it is owing to Fraud and Imposition, this will fetch it back and revest it in the Heir. Bennet v. Vade, T. 1742. 2 Atkyns 324.]

[If a voluntary Conveyance is made by a very weak Man, in Favour of one who has great Power and Influence over him, and of others who have no Merit with him, and the Deed contains a Proviso, restraining him during his Life from taking a Fine, or leasing without the full Rent, and a Power of Revocation only in the Presence of three Persons by Name, who could hardly be assembled, and the Deed is executed without being read to him, and no Part is left with him, it shall be delivered to the Heir at Law, and Possession of the Estate given him, and the Trustees convey to him. Ibid.]

[But if there is a Provision for Creditors in it, that shall be saved to them. Ibid.]

[If a Counsel procures from his Client a Grant of the Stewardship of a Manor in Fee, it is not only *ipso facto* void, as it might come to a Woman; but if it appears the Grantor did not read it, nor know what the Import of his Heirs was, and only intended to give it during Pleasure, it shall be delivered up. Thornhill v. Evans, T. 1742. 2 Atkyns 330.]

[If Devisees submit their Differences to Arbitration, and an Award is made, that the Lands shall be conveyed in the same Manner as they are given by the Will, and thereupon

thereupon by Deed to lead the Uses of Recovery the Lands are declared to be to *A.* for Life, whereas she is intitled to them in Fee by the Will, the Court will order them to be conveyed to her in Fee. *Ridout v. Pain, P. 1747. 3 Atkyns 486.*

If an Infant has the Trust of an Estate, and *A.* enters and levies a Fine, and five Years pass; tho' the Infant is barred by the Fine and Non-claim at Law, because the Trustees were of full Age, yet the Fine shall be avoided in Equity, by a Bill brought within five Years after the Infant's full Age. *R. 2 Ver. 369.*

If one Parcener obtains an Assignment of the Part of the other for 20 *l.* Consideration, and upon a false Suggestion, that a large Fine was to be paid for the Admission to the Estate, when the Estate was of 200 *l.* *per Ann.* Value, and only a small Fine due; such Assignment shall be avoided. *R. Eq. Ca. 85.**

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2 Mod. Ca.

[If *A.* Tenant for Life, prevails on his Daughter Tenant in Tail, to join in a Recovery (to prevent the Estate's falling into her Husband's Creditors Hands) to him and his Heirs, promising to be only a Trustee for her, and then mortgages it, but pays her an Annuity of 30 *l.* *per Annum*, becomes Bankrupt and dies, and the Daughter dies; the Recovery shall be set aside, and on the Heirs in Tail refunding the 30 *l.* *per Annum* received, the Assignees of the Bankrupt shall assign to them, and the Mortgagee on Payment reconvey to them, and they come in Creditors under the Commission for the Mortgage Money. *Young v. Peachy, H. 1741. 2 Atkyns 254.*]

And a Conveyance obtained by Fraud or Imposition shall be avoided, tho' it is confirmed by Fine and several Approbations of the Party. *1 Ver. 206.*

So a Conveyance by the King's Patent may be avoided by Bill in Equity for Deceit, or Imposition on the King. *R. 1 Ver. 277, 387, 390.*

[If a Guardian purchases his Ward's Estate immediately on his coming of Age, tho' it has a suspicious Look, yet if he paid a full Consideration, it shall not be set aside. *Oldin v. Samborne, M. 1737. 2 Atkyns 15.*]

[If *A.* grants an Annuity to *B.* in Consideration of his Learning, and the Love he bore him, it is not a valuable Consideration. *Stiles v. Attorney-general, H. 1740. 2 Atkyns 152.*]

[But if *B.* gave up a pecuniary Advantage at the Request of *A.* it amounts to a valuable Consideration. *Ibid.*]

[Or if there be Arrears on the voluntary Annuity, and *B.* promises not to sue for these Arrears, and *A.* thereon grants the Annuity afresh, this is a valuable Consideration, and also for an additional Annuity. *Ibid.*]

(2 T. 12.) When not.

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Tho' made
upon a false
Suggestion.

But it is not sufficient to avoid a Conveyance, that it was obtained upon false Insinuations; as, if a Man falsely persuades another that his Son is dead, and thereby obtains a Devise of the Estate to himself. *Vide Post, (3 A. 2.)*

If a Man under an Arrest is concealed, and denied to his Relations, and persuaded to make a Devise of his Estate to a Stranger. *R. 3 Ca. Ch. 61, 94, 103.*

(2 T. 13.)
Tho' it be-
comes unrea-
sonable by
Matter *ex post*
facto.

So it is no Reason for avoiding a Settlement, that it became unreasonable by Matter *ex post Facto*; as, a Marriage Settlement, which settles a Jointure equivalent to a Portion, and a Security to repay the Portion also, if the Husband dies without Issue, shall not be avoided, if the Husband dies without Issue within a Week. *R. in Chancery, and confirmed in Parliament. Ca. Parl. 21.*

[If *A.* intitled to Reversion after Death of Tenant for Life, (then unmarried, but to whose first and other Sons there are Remainders) sells Reversion, and Tenant for Life dies in a Month, the Conveyance shall not be set aside if no Fraud. *Nichols v. Gould, T. 1752. 2 Vezey 422.*]

If a Man for 350 *l.* gives Security by Mortgage of a Reversion, after two Lives, for 700 *l.* to be paid when the two Lives fall; he shall not be relieved, tho' the Lives fall within two Years. *1 Ver. 141.*

But if an Apprentice is turned away before the Time for which he ought to serve, tho' occasioned by his Negligence, the Master shall refund Part of the Money. *R. 2 Ver. 64.*

If there is an Agreement for the Purchase of a House, which is consumed by Fire before the Conveyance of it, the Purchaser shall be aided. *2 P. W. 220.*
Vide Ante, (2 C. 9.)

So a Conveyance shall not be avoided, because it was made or executed by Surprise; as, that it was not read by the Party, or to him; except where it otherwise appears to be contrary to his Intention. *R. Ca. Ch. 56, 59, 76.*

(2 T. 14.)
 When a Surprise or a small Mistake is alleged.

If there are many Misrecitals. *3 Ca. Ch. 56, 59, 76.*

If the Counsel was negligent, or unskilful. *3 Ca. Ch. 56, 76.*

If there was no Counterpart. *3 Ca. Ch. 83.*

Or the Trustees mentioned in the Deed have no Notice of it. *3 Ca. Ch. 83.*

If a Recital is repugnant to the Deed. *Per Holt Ch. J. 3 Ca. Ch. 101.*

Or any Part material, to that which is immaterial. *3 Ca. Ch. 101.*

So it shall not be avoided after twenty Years, upon Pretence that the Person who conveyed was *non compos*. *1 Ch. R. 40.*

(2 T. 15.)
 After a long Acquiescence

So it shall not be avoided by him, who claims by a subsequent voluntary Settlement, tho' the first Conveyance was also voluntary.

(2 T. 16.)
 At the Request of him who has only a voluntary Conveyance.
Vide ante, (2 C. 8.— 2 T. 9.)

As, if the Manor of *L.* is settled to pay 100 *l.* *per Ann.* to a Younger Son, and the Residue to the Elder; and afterwards the Father, having the Settlement in his Custody, settles the same Manor upon the Younger Son and his first and other Sons in Tail, and settles Lands of greater Value upon his Eldest Son; Equity will not avoid the prior Settlement of the Manor. *R. 2 Ver. 475.*

If *A.* having by a voluntary Settlement given an Estate to *B.* without a Power of Revocation, afterwards devises it to *D.* the Devisee shall not avoid the prior Settlement; for he also claims by a voluntary Act. *Eq. Abr. 23. 1 Ver. 100.*
Vide Ante, (2 T. 9.)

[A voluntary Deed without Power of Revocation, formally executed, tho' informal in several Parts, kept by the Person but never cancelled, shall not be set aside by a subsequent Will. *Boughton v. Boughton, M. 1739. 1 Atkyns 625.*]

So, if *A.* upon his Marriage makes an extravagant and unreasonable Settlement, if no Circumvention or Incapacity appears, it shall not be avoided by those who claim by a subsequent Marriage Settlement. *Semb. Eq. Ca. 80.**

* 2d Part of
 2 Mod. Ca.

(2 V) Copyhold.

SO a Bill lies for the Severance of Copyhold and Freehold Lands intermixed.

[The Expences of a Commission to separate Freehold and Copyhold Lands, shall be borne by both Parties equally, tho' their Interests are of different Values. *Norris v. Leneve, P. 1744. 3 Atkyns 82.*]

So, to ascertain the Customs of a Manor. *Ch. R. 114.*

So, to assign Timber to a Copyholder, Estovers, &c.

So, for the Surrender of a Copyhold, pursuant to an Agreement with a Purchaser, where the Copyholder refuses to perform, or dies before Performance.

Tho' it be a Copyhold for Lives, as well as in Fee; where the Copyholder hath the sole Power to surrender, tho' by his Death, it vests by Custom in another Nominee. *1 Ch. R. 274.*

So, to supply a Surrender for Payment of Debts, or Provision for a Wife or Younger Children. *2 P. W. 490. Vide Copyhold, (P. 2.)*

[If one by his Will charges all his worldly Estate with his Debts, and dies seized of Copyhold which he particularly devises, it shall be applied *pari passu* with the Freehold, tho' there is no Surrender to the Use of the Will. *Harris v. Ingledew, H. 1730. 3 P. W. 91.*]

[If a Man devises all his Estate to his Son, subject to Payment of Debts, and has only Copyhold, the Defect of Surrender shall be supplied, that something may pass. *Itbell v. Beane, H. 1748. 1 Vezey 215.*]

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[The Court will supply the Defect of a Surrender of Estate devised in Favour of a younger Son, tho' some other Provision had been made for him, and tho' this was only a Remainder after Estates for Life and in Tail, and tho' the Heir at Law had surrendered to the Use of his Will and devised to his Mother. *Cook v. Arnham*, T. 8 G. 2. C. T. T. 35. 3 P. W. 283.]

[If A. devises all his Freehold and Copyhold Lands in S. and M. to his Wife, her Heirs, &c. being assured she will leave them to *such* Children as deserve them, and she devises all her Freehold and Copyhold Lands, except the Copyhold in H. to her Daughter, and devises the Copyhold in H. to her Son, and intends surrendering, but dies without it, and another Copyhold descends to the Son; the Court will establish the Wills, and supply a Surrender. *Macey v. Shurmer*, M. 1739. 1 *Atkyns* 389.]

[A. having several Copyholds, some surrendered to the Use of his Will, others not, one only a Trust-Estate, the other in his own Name; he devises all his Copyholds to B. his Grandson, his Heirs, &c. and devises several Legacies to his eldest Son, all the Copyholds pass; for the eldest Son claiming under the Will must admit the Whole. *Allen v. Poulton*, M. 1748. 1 *Vezey* 121.]

[But if a Man devises his real Estate to be sold to pay Debts and Legacies, and subject thereto devises all his Personal Estate to his Sister, whom he makes Executor; the Court will not supply the Defect of a Surrender of Copyhold, if the other Estates are sufficient. *Mallabar v. Mallabar*, P. 8 G. 2. C. T. T. 78.]

[If A. having Freehold but no Copyhold Lands settled, devises all his Lands unsettled, and all his Goods and Chattles, to his Wife for Life, then to his younger Children as she thinks fit, and dies, leaving Freehold and also Copyhold unsettled, and not surrendered to the Use of his Will; the Copyhold does not pass by the Will. *Hawkins v. Leigh*, M. 1737. 1 *Atkyns* 387.]

[Copyhold Lands surrendered to the Use of the Will, pass by the general Words of all Messuages, Lands, Tenements, and Hereditaments, tho' Testator has Freehold; especially if it appears by the Will that he intended that *all* his Estate shall pass. *Goodwyn v. Goodwyn*, H. 1748. 1 *Vezey* 226.]

[If A. devises Copyhold, among other Estates, to B. his Heir at Law for Life, with Remainders over to C. B. gets the Estate enfranchized, calling himself Executor and Devisee of A. and afterwards by Conveyance reciting the Infranchisement, creates a Term to raise Money to pay Debts, the Residue to C. the Court Rolls are burnt, so it does not appear whether there was a Surrender to the Use of A.'s Will; but on the Circumstances it shall be presumed, and the Land go to C. by the Will of A. *Cookes v. Hellier*, P. 1749. 1 *Vezey* 234.]

So a Surrender is not necessary, where A. has only the Trust of a Copyhold in Tail. R. 2 *Ver.* 585.

[A Devise of the Equity of Redemption of a Copyhold, to which the Mortgagee is admitted, is good, tho' there is no Surrender to the Use of the Will. *King v. King*, T. 1735. 3 P. W. 358.]

[If a Man surrenders to the Use of his Will, a Will *unattested* shall direct the Uses, notwithstanding the Statute of Frauds, which extends not to customary Estates. *Tuffnel v. Page*, P. 1740. 2 *Atkyns* 37.]

[Where the legal Estate is in Trustees, Copyhold Lands shall pass by the Will of the *cestuique Trust*, without Surrender, and tho' the Will not attested. *Ibid.*]

[If a real Estate, Part Free and Part Copyhold, originally the Inheritance of the Wife, is settled in Trustees for Husband and Wife, and the Survivor, and the Heirs of their two Bodies, Remainder to the Husband in Fee, and the Husband by Will gives all his Messuages, Lands, Tenements and Hereditaments in H. and all other his real Estate to the same Trustees, for a Term, and then gives all the Premises unto his Wife for Life, without Waste, the Copyhold passes without Surrender; for as a Surrender must be by the Person who has the legal Estate, where one who has not the legal Estate has the beneficial Interest, it may pass by a Will as other Lands; and the Testator's Intention appears here. *Without Waste*, is Surplusage as to the Copyhold. *Car. v. Ellison*, P. 1744. 3 *Atkyns* 73.]

[If a Man surrenders Copyhold to the Use of his Will, and signs the two first Sheets of his Will, consisting of eleven, and no more, and no Witnesses to it, this

is a good Appointment to charitable Uses, under *Stat. 43 Eliz.* of charitable Uses. *Attorney-general v. Sawtell, H. 1742. 2 Atkyns 497.*

So, if a Surrender is not presented in the Time required by the Custom, it shall be aided in Equity. *2 Ver. 564, 609. Eq. Abr. 122. Vide Copyhold, (P. 2.)*

Tho' the Surrenderor afterwards becomes a Bankrupt, it shall be aided against the Creditors of the Bankrupt. *R. 2 Ver. 565. Eq. Abr. 312. Eq. R. 14.*

So it shall be aided against a Purchaser with Notice. *R. 2 Ver. 609.*

So, if a Mortgage is made of Lands, Part Freehold and Part Copyhold, and the Mortgagor dies before a Surrender made; the Heir shall be decreed to surrender the Copyhold. *R. Ch. R. 272, 331.*

[If a Man has two Copyhold Estates, one surrendered to the Use of his Will, the other not, both subject to a Mortgage of 400 *l.* and by Will says, I give all and every my Freehold and Copyhold, (having surrendered the Copyhold Part thereof to the Use of this my Will) to *A.* and *B.* for the Benefit of a younger Child, and directs that the Copyhold Part shall be subject to the Payment of the 400 *l.* Mortgage; the unsurrendered Estate shall pass, and the Heir at Law shall Surrender to the Uses of the Will. *Banks v. Denshaw, M. 1747. 3 Atkyns 585. 1 Vezey 63.*]

But where the Land of the Defendant is not intermixed, but lies intirely together; there shall not be a Commission for Severance, or Distinguishment.

So, if a Copyhold is devised to the Eldest Son, being of the Nature of *Borough-English*, and Houses in *London* to the Youngest Son, but there is no Surrender, and the Houses before the Entry of the Youngest Son are burnt; the Defect of a Surrender shall not be supplied. *R. 2 Ver. 265.*

[If *A.* seized of Freehold, and of Copyhold *Borough-English*, not surrendered to the Use of his Will, by Will desires all his Debts to be paid, makes Provision for his Wife and Daughter, further Provision for Daughter after Wife's Death, and then all the Residue real and personal, of what Nature or Kind soever, to his Wife, her Heirs, Executors, &c the Copyhold does not pass. *Byas v. Byas, H. 1750. 2 Vezey 164.*]

[Defect of Surrender shall not be supplied in Favour of Grandson, Cousin, or natural Child. *Tudor v. Anson, T. 1754. 2 Vezey 582.*]

So, if a Surrender is made upon Condition to be returned, if the Surrenderor recovers; and afterwards he makes a Surrender of Part only to the same Uses, and desires to have the first again, which is refused; the first shall not be aided. *R. Eq. R. 8.*

So, if a Farm is mortgaged with all the Lands therewith occupied, and a Copyhold is occupied with the Farm, but not described in the Mortgage, nor a Covenant therein to make a Surrender: A Surrender shall not be decreed, if the Farm without the Copyhold is sufficient. *R. Eq. R. 14.*

So, if a Surrender to the Use of a Will was intended, but not accepted, it shall not be aided against the Heir, if he did not prevent the Surrender. *1 P. W. 354.*

If by a Marriage Settlement Land is limited to the Husband and Wife for Life, afterwards to the first, second and other Sons in Tail Male, and for Default of Issue Male, for Years to a Trustee for the raising of Portions for the Daughters of that Marriage; and there is a Covenant that a Copyhold Estate shall be surrendered to the same Uses: The Copyhold shall be subject to the Payment of the Portions, if the Freehold is not sufficient; tho' by the Custom of the Manor it cannot be surrendered so as that a Term can be limited for Default of Issue Male. *R. 2 Ver. 321.*

If by a Marriage Settlement a Copyhold is agreed to be surrendered to the same Uses with a Freehold, and a Surrender is made to different Uses, the Surrender shall be vacated, and the Copyhold shall be subject to the same Uses with the Freehold. *R. Ch. R. 254, 5.*

So, if by Custom of a Manor the Wife is intitled to her *Free Bench*, and a Copyhold is surrendered to a Trustee, in Trust for the Husband in Fee, the Wife shall be aided in Equity for her *Free Bench*. *2 P. W. 644.*

[If in a Manor where the Custom is, that whoever purchases, the Lands shall go in Succession, *A.* purchases for his own and two other Lives, and pays all the

Money, and by Will devises all his Estate, real and personal, in Possession or Reversion, to his Wife; she shall have the Estate, tho' there was no Surrender, and tho' there was other Provision for her. The Court will supply a Surrender against an *hæres factus*, tho' not against an Heir of Blood. *Smith v. Baker, T. 1737. 1 Atkyns 385.*

[If Copyholder for Life, with *Free bench* to his Widow, agrees to sell to his Son for valuable Consideration, which is paid, but he dies before actual Surrender; the Son is intitled to the Performance, and the Widow must surrender her Widow's Estate. *Hinton v. Hinton, T. 1755. 2 Vezey 631, 638.*

So, if a Quit-Rent is paid for twenty Years by a Copyholder to the Lord of the Manor of B.; it shall be decreed to him, tho' it appears, and is admitted, that this Copyhold was antiently held of the Manor of C.; for a Grant of the Freehold of this Copyhold shall be presumed. *R. 2 Ver. 517.*

[The Court will decree Payment of a Quit-rent, tho' there was a Remedy at Law, and the Bill improper and vexatious, rather than dismiss it; for Plaintiff would then sue at Law, to the farther Oppression of Defendant. *Holder v. Chambury, P. 1734. 3 P. W. 156.*

So *Chancery* will relieve against a Forfeiture by Waste not designed, Neglect of Suit, &c. *Vide Copyhold, (M. 3.)*

Or, against other involuntary Forfeiture. *Vide Copyhold, (P. 2.)*

[Chancery will not relieve against a voluntary Forfeiture. *Semb. Peachy v. D. of Somerset, T. 7 G. Str. 447.*

[A Bill lies not for a Lord of a Manor to hold a Down discharged of Defendant's Claim of Common. *Holder v. Chambury, P. 1734. 3 P. W. 156.*

[If Father purchases Copyhold Land in his Son's Name, aged eighteen, and the Father continues in Possession till his Death; this shall be considered as an Advancement for the Son, and not a Trust for the Father. *Taylor v. Taylor, T. 1737. 1 Atkyns 386.*

[If the Son devise these Lands to the Child his Wife was enseint with, and on its not being born alive, or dying, to his Wife, and it appears she was not with Child; yet she shall have them, and the Court will supply the Want of Surrender. *Ibid.*

[A Bill lies not for a Lord of a Manor to compel Copyholders to come in and be admitted Tenants. *Clayton v. Cookes, M. 1742. 2 Atkyns 449.*

(2 W.) Costs.

When they shall be given, and when not.

BY the St. 17 R. 2. 6. the Chancellor, after Suggestions are found untrue, shall have Power to award Damages after his Discretion to him, who is unduly travailed.

And therefore, if a Bill is dismissed upon the Hearing of the Cause, the Defendant shall have Costs.

[If Defendant denies all Equity, and Plaintiff brings Cause to a Hearing on Bill and Answer, and the Bill is dismissed, Plaintiff shall pay taxed Costs. *Johnson v. Brown, M. 1743. 3 Atkyns 1.*

[If there is a decree *nisi*, and Defendant makes Default, and the Decree be made absolute, and the Court grants Rehearing on his Petition, he shall pay 10 l. Costs. *Walter v. Russel, in Sc. M. 1718. Bunb. 30.*

[Plaintiff, by accepting a third Answer, does not waive his Costs on the Second. *Brotherton v. Chancy, in Sc. H. 1718. Bunb. 34.*

[On a third Order of Amendment, Plaintiff shall pay taxed Costs, unless it was obtained on Terms, and by Consent. *Anon. H. 1740. 2 Atkyns 123.*

If the Dismission is, when the Hearing is upon Bill and Answer, the Costs of the Defendant are ascertained at 40 s.

If the Dismission is general, yet Costs shall be incident.

[If a Bill brought by an Administrator is dismissed on Demurrer, he shall pay Costs. *Frazer v. Moor, in Sc. P. 1720. Bunb. 63.*]

[If Bill is amended by striking out Defendant's Name, he shall have Costs, tho' he appeared and answered without being served with Process. *Blackett v. Middleton, H. 1733. Bunb. 335.*]

So, if a Bill be for Relief against the Penalty of a Bond, and it is decreed upon Payment of Costs, generally; this imports Costs at Law, and in Equity. 3 *Ch. R. 5.*

[On an Order to tax Costs of an Ejectment, when a new Trial is granted which Plaintiff had opposed, if it is granted on clear Grounds, he shall not be allowed Costs for the Opposition, but if granted on Terms, he shall. *Hay v. Hay, H. 1747. 3 Atkyns 634.*]

So, if the Plaintiff hath Relief from a tortious Procedure in an inferior Court; he shall have his Costs there, and here. *Ch. R. 473.*

[Where Plaintiff succeeds in his Demand he shall have Costs, unless Circumstances arise which are an Excuse for Defendant. *Roberts v. Kuffin, M. 1740. 2 Atkyns 112.*]

If a Woman Plaintiff marries, whereby the Suit abates, and the Husband and Wife revive; she shall have Costs of the whole Suit, except of the Bill of Revivor. 1 *Ver. 318.*

So every Trustee shall have his Costs.

And if his Costs are not taxed at the Whole of his Expence, they shall be allowed out of the Trust, upon his Account. *R. 2 Ca. Ch. 138.*

[If a Trustee Defendant misbehaves, the Court will make him pay Costs, tho' Costs out of the Estate would be the same Benefit to Plaintiff. *Lloyd v. Spillet, M. 1734. 3 P. W. 344.*]

[If a Trustee, merely to have a Point relating to his private Interest determined, brings the *Cestuique Trust* before the Court, he shall pay the whole Costs. *Henley v. Philips, T. 1740. 2 Atkyns 48.*]

So, if a Bill is brought by an Heir, to avoid the Devise of his Father, against a Devisee, and he does not prevail, but is left to Law; he shall pay Costs. 1 *P. W. 558.*

[On a Bill brought against the Executor and the Heir at Law, for Account of real and personal Assets, the Heir at Law is intitled to Costs, for the Law throws the Descent on him; the Executor is not, for he may renounce. *Humphrey v. Morse, T. 1742. 2 Atkyns 408.*]

[If Heir at Law brings Bill to set aside Will for Insanity in Testator, instead of Ejectment, he shall pay Costs if he fails. *Webb v. Claverdon, M. 1742. 2 Atkyns 424.*]

[But if the Heir is Defendant, tho' he insists on Fraud or Insanity, and Issue is directed, he shall not pay Costs, and often shall be allowed them, tho' he fails. *Ibid.*]

[If Heir at Law only cross-examines Witnesses, produced to confirm a Will on a Bill in *perpetuam rei Memoriam*, he shall have Costs; but if he examines other Witnesses to encounter the Will, he shall not; this is only when no Relief is prayed, and the Cause does not come to a Hearing. *Berney v. Eyre, T. 1746. 3 Atkyns 387.*]

[But where at the Hearing an Issue at Law is directed, tho' the Will is established, he shall have Costs. *Ibid.*]

[But if he sets up Insanity, or other Disability in Testator, and fails, he shall not have Costs. *Ibid.*]

[The Court will not decree him to pay Costs, but on a very strong Case, as *spoliation*, or secreting the Will. *Ibid.*]

[If one Witness swear an Heir attempted to conceal a Will, which he by his Answer denies, the Court will give him Costs. *Ibid.*]

[But if after the Heir is informed there is a Will in A.'s Hands, he takes out Administration on the usual Oath, without inquiring after A. the Court will not give him Costs. *Ibid.*]

So,

So, if a Legatee or Creditor, not a Party to the Suit, comes to prove a Debt or Legacy before a Master, he shall have Costs; for it is for the Ease of the Estate. 2 *P. W.* 27.

[When Costs are decreed out of an Estate to be sold for Benefit of Creditors, Plaintiff and Defendant are intitled to them before the Creditors are intitled to their Demands. *Hare v. Rose*, T. 1754. 2 *Vezey* 558.]

[Mortgagor shall pay Costs, tho' he has offered to pay what shall appear due, on Balance of the Mortgage on one Hand, and an open Account on the other, unless Mortgagee has been vexatious. *Garforth v. Bradley*, T. 1755. 2 *Vezey* 675.]

So, where a Solicitor carried on a Cause in the Name of the Plaintiff, he was charged with the Costs. *Ca. Ch.* 71.

So, if a Cause miscarries, by the gross Neglect of the Attorney, or his Solicitor. 1 *P. W.* 593.

[If an Attorney draws Deeds under fraudulent Circumstances, he shall pay Costs on their being set aside, tho' he pretends he only followed Directions. *Bennet v. Vade*, T. 1742. 2 *Atkyns* 324.]

[If a Solicitor in a Cause takes Affidavits before himself, a Petition founded thereon shall be dismissed, and he shall pay the Costs. *Ex parte Hogan*, T. 1754. 3 *Atkyns* 813.]

[If there are two Defendants to a Bill for Tithes, and they answer and examine separately, and one makes Default, the other shall pay the whole Costs. *Lloyd v. Mackworth*, M. 1723. *Bunb.* 138. *Sed.* 2.]

[On an Answer reported scandalous, Costs (as Fees not paid) are allowed by way of Damages, and Satisfaction for the Scandal. *Chambers v. Robinson*, P. 1724. *Bunb.* 164.]

[If Defendant to a Cross-bill, by a second Answer confesses a Matter, tho' he had charged the contrary in his original Bill, and did not disclose it in his first Answer, he shall be punished with Costs. *Mallabar v. Mallabar*, P. 8 G. 2. C. T. T. 78.]

[If a Bill is brought to secure a contingent Interest devised over, the Costs shall be paid out of Testator's Assets, who by his Will has occasioned the Difficulties. *Studholme v. Hodgson*, T. 1734. 3 *P. W.* 300.]

[Heir at Law Defendant shall have Costs, tho' he insists on his Title, and it goes against him. Heir at Law Plaintiff miscarrying shall not have Costs; if his Suit appears groundless, shall pay Costs. *Luxton v. Stephens*, T. 1735. 3 *P. W.* 373.]

[In notorious Frauds, anciently the Court decreed *exemplary* Costs, but it is now disused. *Waltham v. Broughton*, T. 1740. 2 *Atkyns* 43.]

[A Party's having refused a fair Offer of Accommodation, is a Reason for giving Costs. *Biggleston v. Grubb*, T. 1740. 2 *Atkyns* 48.]

[If Plaintiff does not reply, Defendant has Costs only according to the Course of the Court; but if Plaintiff desires Defendant to do an Act, (as to admit to a Copyhold) he shall have Costs taxed. *Sutton v. Stone*, M. 1740. 2 *Atkyns* 101.]

[If the Exceptant to an Award of Commissioners of charitable Uses is vexatious, this Court can (and will) give Costs to be taxed against him, tho' the Commissioners cannot. *Aylet v. Dodd*, H. 1741. 2 *Atkyns* 238.]

[The Court will give Costs on Exceptions to a Decree of charitable Uses, to the Exceptants where they prevail, to the Respondents where they do not. *Burford v. Lentball*, P. 1743. 2 *Atkyns* 551.]

[If an Information is brought colourably for a Charity, but contrary to the real Charity, the Relators shall pay the Costs. *Attorney-general v. Smart*, H. 1747. 1 *Vezey* 72. *Attorney-general v. Middleton*, T. 1751. 2 *Vezey* 327.]

But the Court has Power, upon the Circumstances of the Case, to abate or discharge Damages and Costs. *Ca. Ch.* 106.

And therefore, where a Borrower paid Money, to a Scrivener intrusted to make a Loan of the Money, without taking up the Security; tho' the Payment was not allowed, yet he was not charged with Interest or Costs. *Ca. Ch.* 94, 111.

If a Loan is made to an Heir, &c. upon an Agreement to pay 1000 *l.* for every 100 *l.* if his Uncle dies, without Issue, in his Life-time; there shall be a Decree with Interest, but without Costs. 2 *Ver.* 122.

If a Bill of Revivor is dismissed with Costs, no Costs of the first Bill shall be given. 3 *Ch. R.* 65.

If a Protestant next of Kin has a Decree for the Profits of Lands belonging to Papists, he shall not have Costs, for a Case so hard. *Eq. Ca.* 146, 7. *

If a Bill is brought for an Account against a Trustee, who answers readily and honestly; he shall pay Interest for the Sum due from the Time of the Liquidation of the Account, but not Costs; otherwise, if he controverts the Account. *Pr. Cha.* 254. *Vide Eq. Abr.* 125. * 2d Part of 2 *Mod. Ca.*

[If on Bill for Tithes the Defendant hath made Tender, before and by the answer, he saves his Costs; if by the Answer only, he must account, with Costs. *Anon. in Sc. M.* 1718. *Bunb.* 28.]

[On a Bill for Tithes, Defendant was admitted on Motion, after Answer, to pay Money in Lieu of Tithes, and Costs to that Time, and Plaintiff to proceed at peril of Costs. But it was by Consent. *Bishop of Exeter v. Trenchard, in Sc. T.* 1719. *Bunb.* 47.]

[On a Bill for thirteen Sorts of Tithe, Plaintiff did not abridge by his Replication, and proved but one Sort due, yet had Costs generally. *N. B.* This was on Debate. *Smith v. Morgan, H.* 1733. *Bunb.* 335. But the Practice in the Exchequer now is to tax Costs on both Sides.]

If a Defendant claims 800 *l.* to be due, and there is only 130 *l.* due upon Account, tho' he has a Decree, he shall not have Costs. 1 *P. W.* 377.

So, where the Plaintiff has probable Cause, tho' the Bill was dismissed, he shall not pay Costs. 2 *Ca. Ch.* 10.

So, if a Bill of Revivor is brought against the Heir and Executor, Costs shall be given only for the Proceedings upon the Bill of Revivor. 1 *Ver.* 318.

[If Plaintiff revive against an Executor for the Duty as well as the Costs, Defendant shall pay Costs; but if Plaintiff revive only for the Costs not settled in Testator's Life, Defendant shall not pay Costs. *Delaval v. Blackett, in Sc. T.* 1719. *Bunb.* 45.]

If a Defendant does not demur, where he might have an Advantage upon a Demurrer, he shall not have Costs. 1 *Ver.* 283.

[If on allowing Demurrer Defendant levies the 5 *l.* Costs, and the Order is afterwards reversed, the Costs shall be returned to Plaintiff. *Oates v. Chapman, T.* 1750. 1 *Vezey* 542. 2 *Vezey* 100.]

If a Bill in the Nature of an *Interpleader* is exhibited; the Plaintiff usually has Costs of the Defendant, who is in Fault. *Ch. R.* 257, 8.

If a Bill for Foreclosure is dismissed, where the Mortgage was by Husband and Wife without a Fine, it shall be without Costs. 2 *P. W.* 128.

[Tho' Bill brought by Husband, for Relief against a Security given by his Wife just before Marriage, and concealed from him, be dismissed, yet Costs shall be excused, unless the Concealment was at Wife's Request. *Blanchet v. Foster, P.* 1751. 2 *Vezey* 264.]

So the Court does not usually give Damages or Costs in Cases, where none are given at Law; as upon a Bill of Review; for if a Judgment at Law is reversed by Error, Restitution only is granted. 1 *Ch. R.* 231. 3 *Ch. R.* 15.

[If there has been no Demand of Rent for thirty Years, the Defendant shall not pay Costs in Equity, tho' he must at Law. *Anon. M.* 1737. 2 *Atkyns* 14.]

So, an Executor, Trustee, &c. does not usually pay Costs but out of the Trust. *Semb. Ch. R.* 30.

If *A.* be aided against an Executor upon a Bond to indemnify, the Executor shall not pay Costs; for he shall not have Allowance of them upon *Plene administravit.* *R. Hard.* 165.

If *A.* files a Bill against Executors for a Bond to be cancelled, being satisfied; and it appears satisfied within the Act of Oblivion; the Executors do not pay Costs; for their Plea was in Discharge, and tantamount to a Demand by them, as Plaintiffs at Law. *R. Hard.* 378.

[The Executor of an Executor shall be excused Costs, if the Estates of the two Testators were so blended that he could not tell whether there were Assets, tho' it afterwards appears that there were. *Sandys v. Watson*, M. 1740. 2 *Atkyns* 80.]

[Executors and Administrators, tho' they do not pay Costs on Bill brought for an Account of Assets, yet are not allowed them, for they are supposed to take Credit on the Account for them. *Humphreys v. Moore*, M. 1740. 2 *Atkyns* 108.]

[An Executor guilty of a Fraud shall pay Costs, tho' the Testator has directed they shall be allowed Costs out of the Estate. *Hide v. Haywood*, H. 1740. 2 *Atkyns* 126.]

[An Administrator shall not be allowed Costs at all Events. *Wilkins v. Hunt*, H. 1740. 2 *Atkyns* 151.]

A Release of Costs by the Plaintiff to one of the Defendants is a Discharge to all; except where the Defendant to whom the Release is made, never was served *ad aud. Judicium*, but was inserted by Mistake. *R. Hard.* 183.

Yet the Award of Costs for or against the Plaintiff or the Defendant shall never be Cause for an Appeal, where the Merits of the Cause are against the Appellant. *Ca. Parl.* 16.

[If Costs affect the Merits of the Case, as if Justice is on Defendant's Side who is a fair Incumbrancer, and he is not allowed them by Master of the Rolls, he may appeal for them only. *Owen v. Griffith*, T. 1749. 1 *Vezey* 250.]

[Costs shall not be paid for not moving according to Notice. *Tarrant v. Trewit*, in Sc. M. 1721. *Bunb.* 86.]

[But if four Notices have been given, they shall not move on the Fourth without paying Costs for the three first. *D. Ibid.*]

[If Costs are reserved by the first Decree, and no Notice taken of them when the Report is confirmed, and on Appeal to the Lords they order the Deputy to vary the Account in an Article, and confirm the Decree, and all other Matters in it, the Court will not give Costs. *Crosley v. Shadforth*, H. 1727. *Bunb.* 245.]

[If Infant Plaintiff, or his *Prochein amy*, dies after the Bill dismissed, and before Costs taxed, they are lost. *Morgan v. Crompton*, M. 1733. *Bunb.* 332.]

[If *Prochein amy* carries on Suit for an Infant, with *Approbation of the Court*, and the Bill is dismissed with Costs, he shall be allowed the Costs out of the Infant's Estate. *Taner v. Ive*, T. 1752. 2 *Vezey* 466.]

[The Court will postpone the Consideration of Costs till after the Report, to accelerate a Decree, even where there is Ground to decree Costs at the Hearing. *Scarborough v. Barton*, M. 1740. 2 *Atkyns* 111.]

[Where Defendant gives unnecessary Trouble in carrying a Decree into Execution, Plaintiff may apply for Costs. *Ibid.*]

[The Representative of one who has obtained an Order to tax a Bill, on undertaking to pay, cannot revive it but on like Undertaking. *Murphey v. Balderston*, M. 1740. 2 *Atkyns* 114.]

[To bring a Defendant into Contempt on an Order of Taxation, you must leave at his House a Copy of the Execution of the Order, and the Report of the Sum. *Ibid.*]

[If Plaintiff's Bill be dismissed with Costs, (as praying only Discovery) and he recovers Judgment at Law against Defendant, who lies in Custody and takes out Attachment against Plaintiff for the Costs here, the Court will let him set off the Costs at Law against them. *Semb. Gurish v. Donovan*, P. 1741. 2 *Atkyns* 166.]

[The Court, on Motion, will lay their Hands on Costs taxed here for one of the Parties, towards satisfying a Debt due from him to the other on a Judgment at Law. *Shergold v. Brewster*, in Sc. M. 1718. *Bunb.* 29.]

[If Plaintiff brings Bill to perpetuate Testimony, and has examined and had the Fruit of the Bill, neither Plaintiff nor Defendant shall have Costs. *Codrington v. England*, P. 1741. 2 *Atkyns* 167.]

[But if Plaintiff is forced into Court by a Multiplicity of Actions, on a Custom which might have been tried by one, and the Custom is found for the Plaintiff, he shall have Costs. *Ibid.*]

[On a Petition suggesting the Poverty of Plaintiff, the Court will order the Costs decreed, to be taxed and paid immediately, to enable Plaintiff to go on with the Cause. *Jones v. Coxeter*, T. 1742, 2 *Atkyns* 400.]

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[If a Witness demurs, and it is over-ruled, there cannot be a *Subpœna* for Costs, but the Court will give them by Order. *Vaillant v. Dodemedé*, P. 1743. 2 *Atkyns* 592.]

[The Court may give Costs on particular Circumstances, tho' the Master has reported for the other Party. *Anon. T.* 1744. 3 *Atkyns* 235.]

[If the Master reports Proceedings under a Commission for Examination irregular, and the Court, thinking them regular, allows the Exception; or if the Master reports an Answer insufficient, and the Court, thinking it sufficient, allows the Exception, yet the Party succeeding shall not have Costs, for the Proceeding does not appear vexatious. *Ibid.*]

[If Plaintiff obtains an Order to amend on a Suggestion that the Cause is at Issue only, whereas it is also in the Paper, it shall be discharged with 20s. Costs. *Harding v. Cox*, M. 1747. 3 *Atkyns* 583.]

[On paying the Costs of the Day, a Cause in the Paper may be put off till next Term that Plaintiff may amend. *Ibid.*]

[If Costs are decreed to all Parties out of a real Estate, and one dies before they are taxed, they shall be taxed and paid to the Heir at Law. *Blower v. Morrets*, P. 1754. 3 *Atkyns* 772.]

[If an Executor is decreed to pay Costs out of Assets, and Plaintiff dies, the Bill may be revived for Costs only; for the Decree is not *in Personam*. *Ibid.*]

[So if the Executor dies, Plaintiff may revive against the Representative of Testator, and pursue the Assets. *Ibid.*]

[If Defendant is allowed his Costs on the original Bill, and his Cross-bill is dismissed with Costs, and Plaintiff dies before Taxation, Defendant may revive. *Kemp v. Mackrell*, T. 1754. 3 *Atkyns* 812. 2 *Vezey* 579.]

[If Plaintiff is beyond Sea, Defendant may apply for Security to answer Costs; if it appears on the Bill, or Defendant knew it, it must be before Answer, or praying Time to answer; otherwise at any Time in the Course of the Cause. *Meliorucchy v. Meliorucchy*, T. 1750. 2 *Vezey* 24.]

[Where Plaintiff living abroad applies for a Commission to examine, which is likely to prove expensive, the Court will require Security for extraordinary Costs. *Gage v. Lady Stafford*, T. 1754. 2 *Vezey* 556.]

[If Bill is dismissed with Costs, and they are taxed, and Plaintiff in Custody for Contempt in Non-payment, and Defendant dies, if his Representatives do not revive in a reasonable Time, Plaintiff shall be discharged. *White v. Haywood*, T. 1752. 2 *Vezey* 461.]

[If Costs are decreed out of Assets, and before they are taxed Suit abates by Plaintiff's Marriage, it may be revived; for it is an executory Decree, and if Assets are not admitted an Account must be taken. *Johnson v. Peek*, T. 1752. 2 *Vezey* 465.]

(2 X.) Covenant.

(2 X. 1.) When it shall be performed.

CHANCERY will enforce a specific Performance of a Covenant; as if a Man covenants to make further Assurance. *Ca. Ch.* 252. *Vide Ante*, (2 C. 1.) *Post*, (3 Z. 1.)

So, if a Man assigns Shares in the Excise to B. who covenants to indemnify; the Court will enforce the Performance. *Eq. Abr.* 17.

So, if there is a Covenant for further Assurance, and the Vendor, who at the Time of the Covenant had a defective Title, afterwards purchases a good Title; he shall be decreed to convey. *Ca. Ch.* 274.

So, if A. B. and C. are Partners, and upon the Dissolution of the Partnership, A. takes his Share, and B. covenants to indemnify him against all Damages in respect of the Trade, and afterwards this Covenant is broken; A. having Money of B. in his Hands, shall be enabled by the Court to retain it. *Ca. Ch.* 311, 312.

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If *A.* upon his Marriage with *B.* covenants to settle his Estate to their Use, and afterwards upon the Issue of the Marriage, and afterwards to the Heirs of *A.* and *B.* covenants in like Manner: The Heir of *A.* by a former *Venter* shall compel the Heir of *B.* to make such Settlement. *R. Eq. Ca. 108.**

If *A.* covenants, upon the Marriage of his Daughter to *B.* to settle a third Part of all the Estate which he shall have from his Father; he shall be compelled to do it. *R. 2 P. W. 192.*

So, if Father and Son covenant to make a Conveyance, and the Son is under Age; the Father shall be decreed to procure his Son to convey. *R. 2 Ca. Ch. 53.*

If *A.* covenants to settle 100 *l. per Ann.* for a Jointure, and afterwards purchases Land of that Value, he shall be decreed to settle that Land. *2 Ver. 97.*

Tho' he devises the Land afterwards, without making the Settlement, and had no other Land of that Value. *R. 2 Ver. 97.*

If *A.* covenants to transfer so much Stock in the *East-India Company* on or before such a Day; tho' the Value rises before the Day, he shall be obliged to transfer and account for all Dividends, and pay all Costs in Law and Equity. *2 Ver. 394.*

If *A.* covenants, in Consideration of Affection, and to make a Reconciliation between his Nephew and his Father, to make a Settlement of his Estate upon his Nephew, he shall be compelled to do it. *Eq. Abr. 16. 2 P. W. 467.*

[If *A.* Tenant in Fee, in Consideration, &c. demises to *B.* a Messuage, &c. for three Lives, under Rent of, &c. and *B.* covenants with *A.* that on the Death of any of the three Lives he shall pay *A.* Fine of, &c. for every Life added or renewed, from Time to Time, according to the true Intent, &c.; and *A.* covenants with *B.* that he *shall and will*, (in Consideration of the Fine to be paid at *A.* Hall, or the Place where it now stands,) *execute one or more Lease or Leases*, under the same Rents and Covenants as the present, and so to continue the Renewing such Lease or Leases to *B.* paying as aforesaid the Fine to *A.* for every Life so renewed, from Time to Time, according to the true Intent. *B.* is intitled to renew, with Covenant of Renewal inserted in every Renewal, *i. e.* to renew at the same Fine for ever. *Furnival v. Crew, P. 1744. 3 Atkyns 83.*]

(2 X. 2.) When not.

But a Covenant to make a collateral Security of other Land shall not be decreed. *R. Ca. Ch. 252.*

A Covenant for other Assurance shall not be decreed *in Specie*, where the Agreement was with the Son during the Life of his Father. *1 Ver. 271.*

A Covenant shall not be decreed, where there hath been an Enjoyment against it for sixty Years. *R. 2 Ver. 127.*

So it shall not be decreed, where the Covenant is not certain, or there is not a mutual Remedy. *2 Ver. 416.*

So a voluntary Covenant shall not be extended, or decreed beyond the Letter of it. *2 Ver. 693.*

So a Covenant to make a Lease, which would be a Breach of Trust, shall not be decreed. *R. 2 Ver. 411.*

So, if a Term is assigned by way of Mortgage, the Assignee not being in Possession shall not be decreed to a Specific Performance of the Covenants, tho' liable at Law. *R. 2 Ver. 275.*

(2 X. 3.) When it shall be avoided.

(2 X. 3.)
If there was a
Mistake.

If a Covenant is inserted contrary to the Agreement of the Parties, the Covenantor shall be relieved.

As, where a Man sells Church Land in the Time of Rebellion, and covenants, that he is seised, where he intended to covenant only against his own Act. *R. after a Verdict against the Covenantor. Ca. Ch. 15. Ch. R. 90.*

Tho' his Counsel had assented to the Covenant, that he was seised, omitting (*lawfully*), which is of no Effect. *Ca. Ch. 16.*

So, if a Term is created for a special Purpose, and vested in Trustees for the sole Disposition of the Wife, and a Covenant is given by the Husband, that it shall be at her Disposal, this Covenant shall be avoided, tho' there is Proof by only a single Witness, that the Term and Covenant were not generally intended to be in the Power of the Wife, but for a particular Purpose, which was satisfied. *R. 2 Ca. Ch. 180.* (2 X. 4.) If it was intended for a special Purpose.

If there is a Covenant for quiet Enjoyment, where the Estate was purchased at an Under-value, and the Title proves defective, the Covenantor shall be relieved in Equity, upon Payment of the Principal and Interest. *R. 1 Ver. 320.*

So, if A. covenants upon the Marriage of his Son to settle 200 *l. per Ann.* for a Jointure on his Wife, and afterwards to the first, second and other Sons, &c. If he leaves 200 *l. per Ann.* to descend to the Son, it is sufficient; and he shall not be bound to purchase 200 *l. per Ann.* to be settled, but the whole Personal Estate shall go according to the Stat. of Distribution. *R. 2 Ver. 558. Vide Post, (3 D. 1. 3 Y. 8, &c.)* (2 X. 5.) If it was satisfied by a Collateral Matter.

(2 X. 6.) When there is a Remedy upon a Covenant, in Equity.

[If a Man covenants to make an Estate in Land, a Suit in Equity is *most* proper, for this Court can give the Thing itself; Law, only Damages. *Furnival v. Crew, P. 1744. 3 Atkyns 83.*]

[If a Covenant binds Lands in Equity, it gives the Relief here against the proper Person who is in Possession of the Land. *Ibid.*]

So, if a Man covenants for himself, his Executors and Assigns, and afterwards assigns to a Person insolvent; the Lessee shall be compelled, in Equity, to pay the Rent. *Vide 1 Ver. 88, 165.*

But if the Lessee covenants to repair, and afterwards leases to Trustees for his Wife for ten Years; the Lessor shall not compel the Wife to repair, in Equity, if the Husband left Assets. *1 Ver. 87, 8.*

If A. by Marriage Articles agree to lay out 1000 *l.* in a Purchase to be settled upon Himself and his Wife for Life, and afterwards to their Issue, and then to the Husband in Fee; and he purchases a great House and Garden for 1000 *l.* which was conveyed to him in Fee, and afterwards settled to the Uses of the Articles, with the Assent of the Father of the Wife; *Chancery* will not enforce any other Performance of the Covenant. *R. 1 Ver. 346.*

Equity will not relieve against a Verdict for a Breach of Covenant, because the Damages are excessive. *1 Ver. 316.*

Or, after a Trial and Damages given for Breach of Covenant. *2 Ca. Ch. 97, 8.*

(2 Y) Custom.

WHERE a Man has a Right by Custom, or Prescription, for which his Remedy at Law is defective; *Chancery* will give Relief.

As, if A. alleges a Right to a *Tin-set*, and that by Custom the Defendant ought to divide his Tin into eight Parts, of which the Plaintiff by Lot is to have one, but that the Defendant to defraud the Plaintiff set out only one small Heap, and put all the Rest into another Heap; the Plaintiff shall have an Account for his Customary Part. *R. 2 Ver. 483.*

So, if by Prescription, the King ought to have all the Inhabitants of such a Vill to grind at his Mill; the Court of Equity in the *Exchequer* will compel them so to do. *Hard. 21.*

So, if the Mill of an Abby, at which all the Inhabitants of the Vill ought to grind, comes to the King by Dissolution, tho' it was not originally the Mill of the King, or within his Manor. *R. Hard. 21.*

So, if there is a long Enjoyment of a Watercourse, it shall be decreed; for that is Evidence of a Right. *2 Ver. 396.*

So, *Chancery*, upon a Bill, will direct a Trial at Law of a Custom or Prescription, to avoid Multiplicity of Suits. 1 *Ver.* 22, 266.

[An Issue may be directed to try whether such Custom as laid in Bill, or any, and what Custom, tho' Plaintiff does not prove the Custom laid. *E. of Scarborough v. Hunter*, in *Sc. P.* 1719. *Bunb.* 43.]

(2 Z) Debt.

What makes a Man a Debtor in Equity.

IF a Man lends Money to *A.* upon the Security of a Ship, which is lost in the Voyage, *A.* shall be Debtor for the Money, tho' there be, or be not a Covenant for the Payment. *R. Eq. Abr.* 139.

(3 A) Devise.

(3 A. 1.) When it shall be decreed, tho' void by Law.

Vide Legree, Post. (3 Y. 3.) **CHANCERY** will enforce the Performance of a Will. *Vide Post*, (3 G. 2.—

How a Will shall be executed, and construed at Law, *Vide in Devise*, (D. 1, &c.—N. 1, &c.)

A Devise of the Equity of Redemption of Lands by the Mortgagor, after the Mortgage forfeited, ought to pursue the Circumstances required by the *St.* 29 *Car.* 2. 3. *Semb.* 2 *Ca. Ch.* 8.

And if *A.* purchases the Inheritance and takes an Assignment of a Term to attend upon it, and afterwards makes a Devise; if the Will is not sufficient to carry the Inheritance, for want of the Circumstances required by that Stat. the Term does not pass. *R. 2 Ca. Ch.* 49, 55.

If *A.* devises entailed Lands to his Daughter, and other Lands in Lieu thereof to the Issue in Tail, who gives a Bond that the Daughter shall enjoy; the Daughter shall be aided against his Issue, in Equity. *R. 2 Ver.* 233.

So, if there was no Engagement that the Daughter should enjoy. *Eq. R.* 15.

If a Man devises to *A.* for Life, and then to his 1st, 2d, 3d and other Sons in Tail, and afterwards to *B.* and *C.* to preserve the same Remainders, *Chancery* will enforce a Construction of the Devise to the Trustees to be precedent to the 1st, 2d and other Sons. *R. upon a Plea to a Bill brought by one who claimed under a Recovery suffered by A.* *R. 2 Ca. Ch.* 10.

If a Man articles for the Purchase of Land, and then devises all his Land for the Payment of Debts, and afterwards the Land is conveyed to him; the Land shall be decreed for the Payment of Debts, tho' the Purchase was not compleat at the Time of making the Will, and there was no Republication. *R. 2 Ca. Ch.* 144.

So, tho' no Article was executed for the Purchase, precedent to the Will. *Per Lord Chan.* 2 *Ca. Ch.* 144. *Eq. Abr.* 174.

If *A.* devises, by Mistake, Land which was entailed, and permits his Land in Fee to descend; the Devisee shall be aided. *R. 2 Ver.* 233.

If a Man writes a Paper and keeps it with his Will; tho' it does not amount to a Codicil, it may be allowed to explain the Intent of the Testator in his Will. *1 Ch. R.* 268.

If a Will is torn or cancelled by a Stranger, the Heir shall be decreed to convey pursuant to the Devise, if by Pieces collected, &c. it can be known; tho' it does not appear to be cancelled with the Privity of the Heir. *R. 2 Ver.* 441.

If a Man devises Land to *A.* and afterwards his Son, to defeat the Devise, disfeises his Father, who dies before a Re-entry; *Chancery* will decree the Devise, tho' void by Law. *Eq. Abr.* 174. *1 Rol.* 371. *l.* 41.

So, if a Man devises his Copyhold, agreed to be purchased, and dies before Admittance. *Eq. Abr.* 174.

So, if a Man by Circumvention is induced to make his Will; it shall be avoided in his Life-time, tho' he was of sane Memory. 1 *Cb. R.* 23.

So, if a Legacy is limited to *A.* by Fraud; he shall be a Trustee for some other. *Eq. Ca.* 208.

So, if *A.* by his Will gives all his Lands to his Wife in Fee, to the Disinheritance of all of his Name and Blood, where it appears by Circumstances that he intended to his Wife only an Estate for Life: the Will shall be avoided in Equity. 1 *Cb. R.* 124.

So, if *A.* gives 2000 *l.* to *B.* to make him the Devisee of his Estate, which is done, and the Notes given for the 2000 *l.* are counterfeit; Equity will relieve. 2 *Ver.* 700. 1 *P. W.* 288.

If *A.* promises a Testator, that he will pay an Annuity to *B.* otherwise the Testator would have charged it upon his Real Estate, and then the Testator by his Will gives the Annuity to *B.* and makes *A.* his Executor; *A.* shall be decreed to pay the Annuity, tho' the Personal Assets will not extend to pay it. *R.* 2 *Ver.* 506. *Eq. Abr.* 231.

If *A.* imposes upon a Testator, to devise the Fee to him, where it was intended to another, Equity will relieve. 2 *Ver.* 700. 1 *P. W.* 288.

So, if a Will of Personal Estate be gained by Fraud, Equity will examine the Fraud. 2 *P. W.* 287.

[If a Bill is brought to prove a Will of Land, the Sanity of Testator must be proved, but not in case of a Deed of Trust to sell for Payment of Debts. *Harris v. Ingledew, H.* 1730. 3 *P. W.* 91.]

[To establish a Will as to real Estate, it is not sufficient to prove it executed according to the Statute of Frauds, the Testator must be proved of sound and disposing Mind. *Wallis v. Hodgison, M.* 1740. 2 *Atkyns* 56.]

[To prove a Will of Land, all the Witnesses should be examined, or some Account given why they are not. *Ogle v. Cook, M.* 1748. 1 *Vezey* 177. *Townsend v. Ives, P.* 21 *G.* 2. 1 *Wilf.* 216.]

[If one Witness is abroad, there must be a Commission to examine him; for the same Credit is not given to his Hand if abroad as if dead. *Grayson v. Atkinson, T.* 1752. 2 *Vezey* 454.]

[Chancery will not establish a Will, not proved, nor admitted by the Heir at Law, tho' he says he believes it, and there is no Replication, but will let the Cause stand over, with Liberty to reply. *Potter v. Potter, T.* 1749. 1 *Vezey* 274.]

[If a Man devises to his Son *A.* he shall take, tho' illegitimate, if he has acquired the Name of Son by Reputation. *Rivers's Case, M.* 1737. 1 *Atkyns* 410.]

(3 A. 2.) When Chancery does not relieve; and, When a Devise may be explained by Witnesses.

But Chancery does not supply the Defects in the Execution of a Will. *Eq. R.* 170.

[If the Owner of the Fee has also a Term, and devises the Lands, but does not execute his Will before three Witnesses; Equity will not construe it a Devise of the Term. *Whitchurch v. Whitchurch, H.* 11 *G.* *Str.* 619.]

Nor relieve against the surreptitious Obtaining of a Will, if it was duly executed. *R.* 3 *Ca. Ch.* 61, 94, 103. *Vide Ante* (2 *T.* 12.)

Nor, against the Ignorance, or Negligence of the Counsel, who makes a Will for another. *R.* 3 *Ca. Ch.* 120. *R. Eq. R.* 12.

[A Fee mounted on a Fee is void in Law; and where it is a Devise of a legal Estate, Equity cannot relieve; therefore, Devise of Lands to *A.* and his Heirs forever, and if he die without any Heir, to *B.* is a void Devise to *B.* *Tilbury v. Barbut, H.* 1747, 3 *Atkyns* 617. 1 *Vezey* 89.]

Tho' there was a Promise by the Testator to give all to his Daughter and Heir, if the Father of her Husband made a Settlement upon Him. *R.* 1 *Cb. R.* 239.

So, it does not relieve against a Revocation of a Will at Law. *R. Ca. Parl.* 157. *Semb. Cont.* 1 *Cb. R.* 43.

Nor

Nor does it relieve for a Legacy, before the Probate of a Codicil, by which it was given. *R. Hard. 96.*

Nor, for a Legacy for the Purchase of a Dukedom; for Honour ought not to be sold. *R. 1 Ver. 5.*

So it does not support a Devise for Payment of Debts, where the Testator by a Settlement, tho' voluntary, had divested himself of the Estate. *R. 1 Ver. 464.*

So, if a Will for a Personal Estate is obtained by manifest Fraud, after Probate in the Spiritual Court, Equity will not relieve. *R. 2 Ver. 9, 76.*

Yet a Legatee under such a Will shall not be aided in Equity, notwithstanding the Probate in the Spiritual Court. *2 Ver. 76.*

[After Probate of a Will, a Court of Equity may enquire into the Fairness of a residuary Devise of Personal Estate. *Marriot v. Marriot, in Sc. M. 12 G. Str. 666*].

So a Devisee shall not be established in Possession, against him, who claims by a Settlement, tho' the Deed is lost. *R. 2 Ver. 743.*

So, if a Man devise three Tenements to his Wife, in Lieu of Dower, with Liberty to take her Dower, or the Devise, and afterwards sells one Tenement; the Wife shall not be aided for the Value of the Tenement sold; for she ought to take the Estate under the Will, as it was at the Death of the Testator, or her Dower. *R. 2 Ca. Ch. 24.*

So, if a Man devises 1000*l.* to the Child of which his Wife is *enseint*, if it is a Daughter, but if it is a Son, then that 100*l.* *per Ann.* shall be purchased and settled upon that Son in Tail, Remainder to *B.*; the Wife has a Son, who dies in the Life-time of the Testator, and he afterwards dies leaving his Wife *enseint* of a Daughter, for whom no Provision was made; *B.* shall not compel the Settlement of 100*l.* *per Ann.* upon him, for the Circumstances of the Case are altered. *Semb. 2 Ca. Ch. 16.*

So, if a Devise is to Trustees for the Benefit of *B.* for her Life, and if she has Issue, to be settled upon her Issue, and if she has no Issue to the Heir of *C.* who had a Son *D.* and two Daughters *E.* and *F.* and afterwards *D.* the Son of *C.* devises to *G.* and afterwards *B.* dies without Issue; the Trustees shall not be directed to convey to the Devisee of *D.* for his Devise was void, being only of a Possibility, but to *E.* and *F.* the Daughters of *C.* *Eq. Abr. 175. 3 Lev. 427, 428.*

So, if the Words of a Will are not effectual, they shall not be supplied by Proof.

But a Devise may be explained by Witnesses; as, if a Man devises his Manor of *D.* and he has two Manors of that Name; or to his Son *B.* and he has two Sons named *B.* *5 Co. 68. 2 P. W. 137.*

[Parol Evidence is not admitted, except in two Cases; 1st, To ascertain the Person, when there are two of the same Name, or the Christian or Surname is mistaken; 2dly, With regard to resulting Trusts of Personal Estate. *D. per Hardwicke C. Ulrich v. Litchfield, T. 1742. 2 Atkyns 372.*]

[If a Person's Name is mistaken in a Devise, yet if clearly made out by Averment to be the Person meant, and that there can be no other to whom it can be applied, the Devise to him is good. *Rivers's Case, M. 1737. 1 Atkyns 410.*]

[Parol Declarations have constantly been admitted in Cases of Satisfaction of Legacies by Advancement in Testator's Life-time. *Shudal v. Jekyll, H. 1742. 2 Atkyns 516.*]

[If a Man gives his real and personal Estate equally among his Children, and directs his Executor to lay out a Sum not exceeding 300*l.* in putting out one of them Apprentice, and afterwards puts him Clerk in the Navy-Office with 200*l.* Parol Evidence shall be allowed to shew that this is an Ademption. *Roswell v. Bennet, P. 1744. 3 Atkyns 77.*]

[Parol Evidence may be admitted to shew, that 500*l.* given to a Daughter's Husband by the Father, in his Life-time, was in full of 500*l.* left her in his Will. *Biggleston v. Grubb, T. 1740. 2 Atkyns 48.*]

[If *A.* leaves 200*l.* to one Executor, and 100*l.* to another, Parol Evidence may be admitted to prove Testator's Declaration before and after Execution, that next of Kin should have nothing, and the Executors shall have the Residue. *Braßbridge v. Woodroffe, M. 1740. 2 Atkyns 68.*]

[If *A.* has two Children by a first Husband, and four by a second, and *B.* makes her Will, and gives 100*l.* to be divided among *the* four Children of *A.* and after several other Legacies adds, I further give to the Children of *A.* 300*l.* Parol Evidence shall be admitted to shew she meant the Children of the second Marriage in the first Bequest, but not in the second. *Hampshire v. Pierce*, *H.* 1750. 2 *Vezey* 216.]

[Parol Evidence may be admitted to shew that Testator had a great Affection for his Wife, and intended that she, as his Executrix, should have the Residue. *Lake v. Lake*, *M.* 25 G. 2. 1 *Wils.* 313.]

If the Devise is *to the right Heirs of his Mother's Side for ever*, when the Devisor was Heir to his Mother's Mother; it may be proved that he intended his Heir of the Mother of his Mother, and not of the Father of his Mother. *R.* 2 *P. W.* 137.

So, if a Devise is of Personal Estate to a Wife, who is made Executrix, on a Bill brought by the Heir, that it should first be applied for Payment of Debts, there may be Proof by Witnesses, that it was intended to be exempt from Debts, but it was imagined not necessary to say so. 1 *P. W.* 9, 115. *R.* 2 *P. W.* 210.

[*B.* is indebted 3000*l.* on Bond to *A.* who devises all his Estate to *B.* and *C.* and makes them Executors; the Bond-debt is not released; and tho' *C.* in an Answer acknowledges that it was Testator's Intention that it should go to *B.* tho' the Attorney who drew the Will proves that Testator's written Instructions were to that Purpose, but that he told him it would be released of course by *B.*'s being Executor; and that Testator, still dissatisfied, took Counsel's Opinion, who confirmed the same, and thereon Testator executed his Will, persuaded the Bond would be extinguished; yet this Parol Evidence cannot be admitted to contradict the express Words of the Will. *Per Talbot C.* on Appeal from the Rolls; and the Chancellor's Decree affirmed by the Lords. *Brown v. Selwyn*, *M.* 8 G. 2. *C. T. T.* 240.]

[Parol Evidence shall not be admitted against the legal Operation of a Will or an implied Trust, but it shall in Support of Law and Equity. *Taylor v. Taylor*, *T.* 1737. 1 *Atkyns* 386.]

[Parol Proof shall not be admitted in the Case of a Devise of a Guardianship. *Per King C.* *Storke v. Storke*, *T.* 1730. 3 *P. W.* 51.]

[Parol Evidence of Testator's Intention is not allowed when there is a Blank, tho' it is, to explain a Nickname, or where there are two Persons of the same Name. *Baylis v. Attorney-general*, *H.* 1741. 2 *Atkyns* 239.]

[The Court will not add a Legacy to a Will on Parol Proof, if it concerns personal Estate only; and still less, if it concerns real Estate. *Whitton v. Ruffel*, *T.* 1739. 1 *Atkyns* 448.]

[If Lands are given to *A.* and *B.* and their Heirs, as Joint-tenants, and Leasehold and personal to them and their Executors, with strict Injunctions to Testator's Daughter, and Heir at Law, not to contest it, and a Paper signed by Testator gives strong Intimations, it was in Trust for charitable Uses; and the Testator had by a former Will devised them to Trustees for such Uses, yet such Parol Evidence shall not be admitted to prove such intended Trust, as it would break in on the Statute of Frauds. *Adlington v. Cann*, *T.* 1744. 3 *Atkyns* 141.]

[Parol Evidence cannot be read to shew that Testator meant to use general Words in a particular Sense, nor to shew that he intended *A.* should, or that *B.* should not be included in the Number of his Relations. *Goodinge v. Goodinge*, *P.* 1749. 1 *Vezey* 231.]

[But it may be read to shew that he knew *A.* or that he knew he had poor Relations at *S.* *Ibid.*]

[If *A.* devises to *B.* to sell and pay Debts and Legacies, and to pay the Rest to *C.* and *B.* dies, and *A.* has no Heirs, and the Estate escheats to the Crown; Chancery cannot decree a Sale to pay, &c. but the Exchequer, being a Court of Revenue, may. *Reeve v. Attorney-general*, *M.* 1741. 2 *Atkyns* 223.]

(3 A. 3.) How it shall be construed.

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Legacies.
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(4 W. 14.)

What Words pass a Fee, or other Estate, *Vide in Devise*, (N. 4, &c.)

If a Man devises Lands for Payment of his Debts and Legacies, and the Surplus to his Heir; the Personal Estate shall be first applied, in Aid of the Heir, as well for the Payment of the Legacies as of Debts. *R. 29 Car. 2. Ca. Ch. 297.*

Tho' the Residue of the Personal Estate is given to the Executor. *D. 2 Vent. 349. R. F. g. 41.*

[If A. charges his real Estate with Payment of Debts, Legacies and Funerals, and gives specific Legacies to his Wife, and then makes her sole Executrix of his Will, and of all his Goods, Chattels and Arrears of Rent, not disposed of by his Will. The personal Estate shall be applied in Ease of the real. *Per cur. Lucy v. Bromley, H. 1728. Bunb. 260.*]

[If a Man bequeathes all his personal Estate to his Daughter, an Infant of seventeen, and makes her Executrix, and devises his Lands, &c. in D. to Trustees to pay Debts and Legacies, and the Surplus to his second Daughter in Tail, Remainder over, the personal Estate shall in the first Place be all applied to pay Debts. *Hastewood v. Pope, T. 1734. 3 P. W. 322.*]

[If a Man devises thus, As to all my worldly Estate, both real and personal, I dispose, &c. first all my Debts shall be paid, then devises his real Estate to Trustees to sell such competent Part as shall be sufficient to pay his Debts and Legacies, and that the Money to be raised by Sale of his real Estate shall be deemed as personal; and then gives all the Rest and Residue of his personal to A. after Payment of his Debts and Legacies; the personal Estate shall be first applied to pay the Debts and Legacies, tho' Testator died indebted greatly above the Value of his personal Estate, so that A. takes nothing by the Devise of the Residuum. *Ld. Inchiquin v. Ld. O'Brien, H. 18 G. 2. Wils. 82.*]

[But if A. devises his Lands to B. his Wife for Life, chargeable with Annuities and Legacies, and gives her a Power by Sale or Mortgage to raise sufficient to pay his Debts; then reciting his great Satisfaction that his Estate had continued so long in his Name and Family, and his Desire to perpetuate it, devises all his real Estate to his Nephew, &c. they taking his Name and Arms, and then gives his personal Estate to his Wife, and makes her sole Executrix; she shall take it free from the Debts, and it shall not be applied in Aid of the real Estate. *Stapleton v. Colville, T. 9 G. 2. C. T. T. 202.*]

[So, if a Man devises all his Estate in Com' L. to be sold for Payment of Debts and Legacies, then devises Annuity of 200*l.* to A. out of his Estate not otherwise by Will engaged in Com' N. then gives A. several specific Legacies, then gives B. 40*l.* Annuity out of Estate in N. makes A. and C. Executors, and duly executes, and a Year after interlines at the End of the Will, "And I give them (the Executors) all my personal Estate not herein before devised," and re-executes; the Executors shall have the personal Estate discharged of Debts, which shall be paid by Sale of the real Estate in L. *Walker v. Jackson, T. 16 G. 2. Wils. 24.*]

If Land in Holland, where Land is subject to Debts, is devised to A. and the Personal Estate in England to B. the Personal Estate shall be first applied to the Payment of the Debts in Holland. *R. Eq. Ca. 66.**

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So, if by Conveyance Land is settled for the Payment of Debts and Legacies, and afterwards, for the Performance of his Will, the Surplus to the Heir, and there is no Mention made in the Will, how the Personal Estate shall be disposed of, but it is only said, that his Daughters shall release all Demands upon the Personal Estate, (they being intitled to a Dividend by the Custom of York, and being the principal Legatees,) yet the Personal Estate shall be applied to the Payment of Debts and Legacies in Aid of the Heir. *R. Ca. Ch. 297.*

So if a Man devises his Land to A. which was mortgaged, or otherwise subject to his Debts; the Personal Estate shall first be applied to the Discharge of the Debts or Mortgage, in Aid of the Devisee. *2 Ca. Ch. 84. R. 2 Ver. 112.*

[If a Man devises Copyhold Lands (which are mortgaged) to *A.* and after his Debts paid, devises the Residue of his real and personal Estate to his Son *B.* and makes him Executor, the Mortgage shall be discharged out of the personal, then out of the real Estate devised to the Son, and then out of the Profits received by him since Testator's Death, *King v. King*, T. 1735. 3 P. W. 358.]

So a Charge in Equity shall be a Debt, and paid out of the Personal Estate. 2 Ca. Ch. 84.

[If a Man devises Lands to two Trustees, and their Heirs, to be sold for Payment of Debts, &c. and makes the Trustees and a third Person Executor; the Lands when sold are *legal*, not equitable Assets. *Ld. Masbam v. Harding*, T. 1734. Bunb. 339.]

So a Debt in Law, or Equity, shall be paid out of the Personal Estate, tho' by the Custom of *York*, the Wife is intitled to one Moiety, and the next of Kin to the other. 2 Ca. Ch. 84. 1 Ver. 36.

So a Debt, which the Testator denied, shall be paid after other Debts. 1 Ver. 142, 431.

So, if there is a Devise of Land for Payment of Debts, and the Personal Estate to *B.* it shall be liable to the Payment of the Debts. R. 2. Ver. 183.

[If *A.* gives all his personal Estate to his three Sisters, and his real Estate to his four Sons, chargeable with his Debts, and makes his Sisters Executors, and dies indebted by Simple Contract, Bond and Mortgage; the personal Estate shall be first applied to pay all the Debts. *Bromhall v. Wilbrabam*, M. 7 G. 2. C. T. T. 274.]

If a Man, reciting his Intent to pay his Debts and provide for his Children, settles Land for the Payment of Portions for his Children, (but nothing is said of his Debts,) yet it shall be subject to the Payment of Debts as well as Legacies. R. Ca. Ch. 248.

If a Man devises Lands in *A.* to be sold, and after his Debts, Legacies and Funerals paid, a Moiety of the Money to *B.* and the other Moiety to *C.* and afterwards devises all his other Lands to his Executors, and their Heirs, for the Trusts contained in his Will, and then orders, that they convey a Moiety to *B.* and the Heirs of his Body, with Remainders over, the other Moiety to *C.* &c. If the Land in *A.* is not sufficient, all the Lands shall be charged to the Payment of his Debts and Legacies.

If a Surrender of a Copyhold be to the Use of a Man's Will, and by his Will he says, *My Debts and Legacies deducted, I devise all my Estate Real and Personal to A.* the Copyhold shall be sold for the Payment of Debts. 1 Ver. 45.

[If *A.* surrenders customary Lands to *B.* who declares a Trust thereof for several Persons, and for such Use as *A.* shall appoint, and *A.* makes a Will of his whole Estate and Effects, and first Wills, that all his Debts shall be paid, and then devises the Customary in distinct Parts from his other Lands, the Customary Lands are liable to the Debts. *E. Godolphin v. Penneck*, P. 1751. 2 Vezey 271.]

If Tenant in Tail levies a Fine, and declares the Use, to pay 100 *l.* and afterwards to the prior Uses, and afterwards devises the Estate for the Payment of Debts generally; it shall be charged with all Debts. *Dub. Eq. Abr.* 139.

If a Man devises, that his Debts shall be paid out of his Real and Personal Estate, if the Executor pays beyond the Personal Estate, he shall be reimbursed out of the Real. 2 Ca. Ch. 109. 1 Ch. R. 134.

If *A.* devises that his Debts and Legacies shall be paid in the first Place, and afterwards devises Land; it shall be subject. R. 2 Ver. 708.

If *A.* devises Lands to *B.* in Tail, Remainder to *C.* in Fee, and afterwards gives his Personal Estate to *B.* and makes him Executor; the Real and Personal Estate are subject to the Debts. 1 Ver. 411.

So, if he devises an Annuity to the eldest Son, and his Land in Tail to the second Son, and makes him Executor; the Land shall be charged with the Annuity. R. 2 Ver. 144.

[If *A.* gives his Daughter 3000 *l.* (besides 12,000 *l.* secured by his Marriage-Settlement) at eighteen, or Marriage, and directs his Trustees to raise on his Lands as much as with his Personal Estate will pay the 3000 *l.* but not to raise it till eighteen,

eighteen, or Marriage, *that it may not be a Debt on his Personal Estate*; it shall be raised out of the Real Estate only. *Phipps v. Annesley, M. 1740. 2 Atkyns 57.*

[If a Man by his Will wills that his Estate in *L.* be sold for the Payment of his Debts, Legacies and Funerals, and gives *A.* an Annuity and several specific Legacies, and appoints *A.* and *B.* (who is Testator's Heir at Law) Joint Executors, and some Days after adds, And I give and devise to them all my Personal Estate not herein-before devised, and re-executes; the Personal Estate passes to them as a specific Legacy, and shall not be applied to exonerate the Real Estate. *Walker v. Jackson, T. 1743. 2 Atkyns 624.*]

[If a Man by his Will desires all his Debts may be paid by his Executors, adding, I mean those only of my own contracting, not those heavier Debts by my Family, and gives his Personal Estate to his Mother, and makes her Executrix, desiring her to pay all his just Debts exactly; and long after the Mother buys in the Mortgages, and the Son covenants to pay the Money; Testator dies, Mother dies, the Personal Estate is still exempted from both Principal and Interest, on these Mortgages, and they are still a charge on the Real. *Leman v. Newnham, M. 1747. 1 Vezey 51.*]

If a Man devises Land to *A.* and Legacies to others, and makes *A.* Executor, and desires him to see that his Will be performed; the Land shall be charged with the Legacies. *R. 2 Ver. 229.*

[If a Man by his Will first gives an Estate for Life to his Wife, and in the latter Part creates a Term for Years, to take place from the Day of his Death, in Trust to raise Money to discharge his Debts in such Manner as his Wife shall direct, the Term shall take place of his Wife's Estate for Life. *Ridout v. Dowding, M. 1737. 1 Atkyns 419.*]

So, if he says, *As to all my worldly Estate, I will and devise in Manner following; Imprimis, that all my Debts be paid*, and then devises Lands, &c. *5 G. 2. 39.*

[If a Will says, "As to all my worldly Estate, my Debts being first satisfied, I devise," &c. the real Estate is liable to the Debts. *Harris v. Ingledew, H. 1730. 3 P. W. 91. Hatton v. Nichol, T. 9 G. 2. C. T. T. 110.*]

[If a Man charges his Land with Payment of his Debts, all the Debts he contracts during Life will be a Charge. *Brudenel v. Boughton, H. 1741. 2 Atkyns 268*]

[If a Man duly executes a Will, charging his Real Estate with Legacies, and by a second Will, not executed in Form, gives general pecuniary Legacies, they are equally a Charge on the Land. *Ibid.*]

[The Words, All the Debts I have contracted since 1735, must be construed, or shall contract. *Bridgeman v. Dove, M. 1744. 3 Atkyns 201.*]

[If *A.* by Will duly executed gives 800*l.* to his Sister *B.* and 400*l.* to his Sister *C.* and all his Freehold and Personal not disposed of, after Payment of Debts and Legacies, to his Brother *D.* and by a second Will, not duly executed, revokes all others, and gives 400*l.* to *B.* and 100*l.* to *C.* and the Residue Real and Personal to *D.* the Real Estate is chargeable with the latter Sums only. *Brudenel v. Boughton, H. 1741. 2 Atkyns 268.*]

[If a Man by Will charges his Real and Personal with Payment of his Debts, and then devises all his Real and Personal to *A.* and makes him Executor, and he pays the Interest of Debts to Bond-creditors who never demand the Principal, and he sells the Real Estate, the Purchaser shall not be disturbed after long Possession (sixteen Years.) *Elliot v. Merriman, T. 1740. 2 Atkyns 41.*]

[If a Man creates a Term for Payment of Debts, and declares the Trust of the Term to be by Perception of Rents and Profits, or by leasing or mortgaging, to raise sufficient to pay the Debts, it restrains it to Payment out of Rents and Profits, and the Court will not decree a Sale; otherwise, if it is a Trust of the Rents and Profits. *Ridout v. E. Plymouth, M. 1740. 2 Atkyns 104.*]

[If one devises to *A.* her Heir all Clifton Lands, he paying all Debts and Legacies charged on them, and after his Decease to *B.* *A.* must keep down the Interest, or if the Principal is paid, he pays one Third, and *B.* two Thirds. *Bridgeman v. Dove, M. 1744. 3 Atkyns 201.*]

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[If a Man by Will creates a particular Trust out of particular Lands, and subject thereto devises them over, the Devisees can take no Benefit but of the Remainder after the whole Burthen is discharged. *Powis v. Corbet*, T. 1747. 3 *Atk.* 556.]

[If a Man by Will recites that he had by a former Will given his Wife all his Real and Personal, that she is dead, therefore he now disposes of *the same*, and first orders all Debts to be paid; all his Real is liable by Application: But if he goes on and devises certain Premises, except *A.* and *B.* to pay Legacies; this destroys the Implication, and the Creditors are not intitled to Payment out of *A.* and *B.* *Thomas v. Britnell*, T. 1751. 2 *Vezey* 313.]

[If the whole Real Estate is made liable to Debts and Legacies, the subsequent Devise of a Particular Part of it for that Purpose does not restrain it. *Ellison v. Airey*, T. 1754. 2 *Vezey* 568.]

Upon a Devise for Payment of Debts, Debts upon simple Contract, and upon Specialty shall be paid in Proportion; for in Conscience they are equally due. R. ^(3 A. 4.) *In what Order they shall be paid.* *Ca. Ch.* 32. R. *per Finch*, *Ca. Ch.* 249. R. 2 *Ca. Ch.* 54. 1 *Ver.* 64, 102. R. *Ch. R.* 196. R. 2 *Ver.* 62. R. 2 *Ver.* 763. 3 *Ch. R.* 12. *Eq. Abr.* 141. 1 *P. W.* 228.

And if there is not sufficient to pay all, the Loss shall be equal. R. *Ca. Ch.* 32. R. 2 *Ca. Ch.* 54.

So Debts barred by the Stat. of Limitations shall be paid; for they are due in Conscience, tho' the Stat. has taken away the Legal Remedy. *Per Cowper*, 1 *Sal.* 154. R. 2 *Ver.* 141. *Eq. Abr.* 139.

So, if the Interest upon a Bond exceeds the Penalty, and the Devisee or Trustee neglects Payment, he shall pay Interest for the Penalty. 6 *Sal.* 154. *Vide Post*, (4 D. 1, &c.)

After a Decree for Payment equally, one Creditor shall not be allowed to have Preference by obtaining a Judgment, &c. 2 *Ver.* 435, 525.

And if he takes out Execution at Law, the others shall have equal Proportion out of the Assets in Equity. 2 *Ver.* 436.

If a Note is given to *A.* for Part of Purchase Money, and the Purchaser gives a Mortgage to *A.* for the Residue; *A.* shall not be preferred to the other Creditors of the Purchaser, for the Note. 2 *Ver.* 281.

But Judgments shall be satisfied before other Debts; for those in their Nature charge the Land. R. *Ca. Ch.* 32. 1 *Ver.* 102. 3 *Ch. R.* 12. If they are not confessed after the Bill exhibited. R. 2 *Ver.* 62.

So Debts fixed by Bond shall be paid before Damages not ascertained. R. 2 *Ver.* 272, 273.

So Debts which affect the Real Estate bind according to Priority; as, Mortgages, Judgments, Statutes, and Recognizances. R. *in Parl.* 1705. 2 *Ver.* 525. *Eq. Abr.* 141, 2.

If the Recognizance is inrolled, otherwise not. 2 *Ver.* 750.

So Judgments, according to the Priority of the Originals. 2 *Ch. R.* 145.

A voluntary Bond, for the Benefit of a Wife, shall be paid after Debts upon simple Contract, and before Legacies. R. *Temp. G.* 2. 6.

And Debts shall be satisfied before Legacies. *Cont.* 2 *Ca. Ch.* 32. *Acc. per Finch*, *Ca. Ch.* 249. R. If it be by Devise, and not by Deed. *Ca. Ch.* 275. *Cont.* 1 *Ver.* 482. 2 *Ver.* 134. R. *acc.* 2 *Ver.* 248.

So, if Lands are devised to the Executor for Payment of Debts, they are Assets, and the Debts ought to be paid according to their Priority. 1 *Ver.* 64. *Vide Ante*, (2 G. 1.)

[If a Man devises Lands to Trustees to pay all his Debts, and the Bond-creditors recover Part out of the Personal Estate, and then apply for the Rest out of the Real Estate devised; they shall not come in on the Land till the Simple Contract Creditors have received thereout sufficient to make them equal with the Bond-creditors, in respect of what they have received out of the Personal Estate. *Hasslewood v. Pope*, T. 1734. 3 *P. W.* 322.]

[If a *cestuique Trust* of a Real Estate makes a Mortgage of it in Fee, and devises the Equity of Redemption to his Son and his Heirs, subject to his Debts, the Bond-creditors can have no Preference, as it was a Mortgage of the whole Inheritance. *Plunket v. Penfon*, P. 1742. 2 *Atkyns* 290.]

[But if a Reversion in Fee was in the Mortgagor, the Bond-creditor would have Preference. *Ibid.*]

So, in all Cases where there are Assets at Law, tho' the Creditors pray Aid in Equity. *R. 2 Ver. 720, 405. Eq. Abr. 141.*

So, if Land is devised to an Executor, to pay Mortgages in the first Place, then particular Legacies, and afterwards to the Executor in Fee; if he mortgages for the Payment of other Debts of the Testator, those Mortgages, as well as the Mortgages of the Testator, shall be paid before the Legacies. *R. 1 Ver. 69.*

But a Devise that his Debts shall be paid, before the Legacies after mentioned, extends only to pecuniary Legacies, and not to Land expressly devised for the Payment of particular Sums. *1 Ver. 457.*

[If Lands are charged with Payment of Debts, and Part devised to *A.* Part to *B.* &c. the Creditors cannot be paid till the Master certifies what Proportion each Devisee is to contribute. *Harris v. Ingledew, H. 1730. 3 P. W. 91.*]

(3 A. 5.)
The Surplus
shall be to the
Heir.

If a Man devises Lands for the Payment of Debts and Legacies, and gives a Legacy to his Heir, the Devisee has the Inheritance, without a Trust to pay the Surplus to the Heir. *R. Ca. Ch. 197. 2 Ver. 247. R. Cont. for the Surplus shall be to the Heir. 2 Ver. 425.*

[If *A.* by his Will gives 5*l.* to his Brother and Heir at Law, and makes his Wife his whole and sole Heiress and Executrix of all his Real and Personal Estate, the same to sell and dispose of as she thinks proper, to pay his Debts and Legacies; the Surplus is to the Wife, and there is no resulting Trust for the Heir. *Rogers v. Rogers, M. 4 G. 2. C. T. T. 268. 3 P. W. 193.*]

But if a Man devises Lands for the Payment of Debts and Legacies, without more; the Surplus shall go to the Heir. *R. 2 Ca. Ch. 115. 1 Ch. R. 164. Semb. 2 Ver. 247. Vide Post, (3 P. 3.)*

Tho' he devises only a Term for Years. *R. 2 Vent. 359.*

So, if Trustees raise Money sufficient for the Payment of Debts and Legacies, and do not pay them; the Heir shall have the Residue of the Lands, and the Creditors and Legatees, must pursue their Remedy against the Trustees. *R. in Part, 1 Sal. 153.*

• 2d Part of
2 Mod. Ca.

So, if there is a Devise to Trustees, but the Trust cannot be proved; the Trust shall be decreed for the Heir. *R. 1 Ch. R. 101. R. Eq. Ca. 122.**

If the Wife of the Testator, being Executrix, takes Husband, who takes the Personal Estate as a Portion with his Wife, yet he shall account for it, for the Benefit of the Heir, tho' no Creditor is concerned. *R. 2 Ver. 61, 569.*

If *A.* devises Lands to Trustees to be sold, for such Persons as he shall appoint, and if he does not appoint then for *B.* if he appoints, but not to the Value; the Residue does not go to *B.* but to the Heir. *R. 2 Ver. 571.*

If a Man devises, that his Debts and Legacies shall be paid by the Trustees of his Real Estate, and devises to his Wife, whom he makes his Executrix, the Residue of his Personal Estate; that shall be applied in the first Place in Aid of the Real Estate. *R. 2 Ver. 569, 740. Cont. 1 Lev. 203.*

Or, if the Residue of the Personal Estate was devised to the Heir. *2 Ver. 740. Eq. Ca. 129.*

[But if a Man devises his Real Estate to Trustees, for Payment of all Debts, Legacies and Funerals, then Specific Legacies, and then all the Residue of his Personal to his Executors, the Real Estate shall first be applied, and if not sufficient, the Personal. *Bicknel v. Page, M. 1740. 2 Atkyns 79.*]

(3 A. 6.)
When the
Land shall be
sold.

If a Man devises Money to be paid out of the Profits of Land, and the Profits do not amount to the Sum; the Land shall be sold. *D. 2 Vent 357. 1 Ver. 256.*

Vide Post,
4 H. 5.)

So, if he devises, after his Debts paid, 500*l.* for Portions to his Daughters, and to his Executrix all his Lands and Tenements, Goods and Chattels. In such Case, if the Personal Estate and the Profits of the Lands are not sufficient to pay Debts and Legacies; the Executrix shall be decreed to sell the Lands. *R. Ca. Ch. 179.*

So,

So, if a Devise is of Portions for Daughters out of Land, to be paid at a Day fixed, and the annual Profits do not amount to a Sum sufficient to make the Payment at the Day; the Trustee may sell the Land. *R. Ca. Ch. 176, 240.*

[If one has a Power to appoint to an unprovided Child, in such Manner as he shall direct, the Payment of 200*l.* to be raised by Trustees out of the Rents and Profits of an Estate, and the Annual Profits are not sufficient, it shall be sold. *Green v. Belcher, H. 1737. 1 Atkyns 505.*]

So, if a Man devises that his Debts and Legacies shall be paid out of the Profits of his Land; the Land itself may be sold for those Purposes. *R. 2 Ca. Ch. 205. Eq. R. 90.*

So, if he devises Lands, *except the Manor of D. which I appoint for the paying of my Debts*; the Executors may sell the Manor of *D.* for that is the most effectual Means for the Payment of Debts. *R. Sav. 73.*

[If *A.* devises his Copyhold Estate, one-third to his Wife for Life, and two-thirds to his Son, with a Proviso, that if his Personal Estate, and his House and Lands at *W.* shall not pay his Debts, then his Executors to raise the same out of the Copyhold; this intitles them to sell the Copyhold. *Bateman v. Bateman, M. 1739. 1 Atkyns 421.*]

So, if he devises Rents and Profits to pay an Annuity, and afterwards to pay Debts and Portions, and afterwards to other Persons; if the Debts and Portions cannot be conveniently raised without a Sale, it shall be decreed. *R. 2 Ver. 26.*

So, if he devises an Estate to *A.* in Tail, Remainder to *B. &c.* and gives Power to his Executor to raise Money for his Heir, and to pay Debts; the Executor may sell. *R. 2 Ver. 154.*

So, if a Sale is convenient for the Heir, it shall be directed upon his Suit, tho' the Younger Sons oppose it, as well as for the Benefit of the Younger Sons, to whom Portions are given. *R. 2 Ver. 154, 420.*

But if a Man makes a voluntary Settlement, upon Trust to pay Debts out of the Profits of the Land, the Trustees cannot sell. *1 Ver. 104.*

So, if he devises Land for the Payment of Debts out of the annual Profits only. *1 Ver. 104. Eq. R. 90.*

[The directing a gross Sum to be raised does not necessarily imply that it shall be raised at once, and in such Cases the Court will not direct a Sale if not absolutely necessary. *Okeden v. Okeden, M. 1738. 1 Atkyns 550.*]

[If a Man devises the Rents and Profits of his Plantation to Trustees on certain Trusts, the Land shall not be sold. *Conyngbam v. Conyngbam, T. 1750. 1 Vezey 522.*]

[If a Man devises, that Trustees shall sell his Real Estate, and what arises by such Sale shall go to his Daughter, and her Issue, and if she die without Issue, then to two other Daughters; the Land shall be sold, and the first Daughter have the Money, notwithstanding the contingent Interest of the others. *Ridge v. Hudson, P. 1717. in Sc. Bunb. 12.*]

[If a Man having a Son and a Daughter, devises his Lands to Trustees for paying Funerals, Debts and Legacies, then for raising Maintenance for his Children, and surplus Rents and Profits to the younger Children at Twenty-one, the Lands to the eldest at Twenty-three, the Land shall be sold for Payment of Debts, the Legacies shall be paid as the Rents arise. *Baines v. Dixon, M. 1747. 1 Vezey 41.*]

If Land is devised for Payment of Debts and Legacies, and no Person named, who is to sell; the Executor may sell. *Ca. Ch. 178. 2 Jon. 26. R. Dal 106. (3 A. 7.) Who shall sell.*

Dy. 371. b.

So, if it is devised to be sold, and the Money to be distributed. *R. Ca. Ch. 179.*

So, if a Sale was decreed after a Contingency, and before that happens the Executor dies; his Executor, who claims the Land after his Death, may sell. *Ca. Ch. 180.*

So, if a Sale is devised for Charitable Uses, the Executor shall sell. *2 Jon. 26.*

So shall the Heir be decreed to join in the Sale. *Ca. Ch. 262. R. 1 Ch. R. 168. R. 2 Ver. 99.*

[If Testator devises all his Real and Personal Estate to be sold for Payment of his Debts, and no Person named who is to sell, the Executor and Heir, and all proper Parties to be named by the Master, shall join in the Sale. *Blatch v. Wilder*, P. 1738. 1 *Atkyns* 420.]

[If a Man devise Lands in *W.* to Trustees, to raise Money by Sale to pay off what is due on Lands in *S.* mortgaged to *A.* and settled on *B.* in Fee, and his other Debts, and then to *C.* his natural Son; *A. B. C.* the Trustees, and the Administrator, shall join in the Conveyance, and *B.* shall covenant against her own Acts, and the Acts of her Devisor, as to so much as she is benefited by the Estate. *Lloyd v. Griffith*, M. 1745. 3 *Atkyns* 264.]

So, if Land is devised for Payment of Debts and Legacies, and no Person named to sell, and it descends to the Heir, the Heir shall be decreed to sell. R. 1 *Lev.* 304. 1 *Ch. R.* 287.

So, if the Devise is, that the Executors shall sell, and they die before a Sale, the Heir shall be decreed to sell. R. *Ca. Ch.* 180.

So, if the Devise is for Portions of Younger Sons. *Agreed Ca. Ch.* 180.

So, if the Devise is for a Sale, and that the Money shall be distributed to Strangers. R. *Cont.* for that amounts to a total Disinheritance of the Heir. *Ca. Ch.* 180.

—R. *Cont.* but it was reversed in Parliament, and there R. *acc.*

So, if the Devise is, that the Heir shall sell; his Heir may sell. 2 *Jon.* 26.

So, if the Devise is, that after the Death of *A.* the Land shall be sold, without saying by whom, and *A.* is named Executor, and after his Death his Executor sells; tho' the Sale by him is void, yet the Vendee shall have the Land. R. *cont.* but it was reversed in Parliament. 2 *Jon.* 26.

So, if a Man devises, that *A.* and *B.* shall sell, who are not Executors, and *A.* dies; *B.* with the Heir shall sell, for it was a Trust which survived. R. *Hard.* 204. *Semb.* 1 *Jon.* 352.

So, if a Devise is of Land to *A.* and *B.* to be sold, and the Heir is under Age; a Sale shall be decreed, without giving the Heir, after he comes of Age, Time to join, for nothing descends to Him. R. 2 *Ver.* 429.

[If Lands are devised to Trustees to be sold for Payment of Debts, the Infant Heir at Law has no Day given him to shew Cause when he comes of Age; but where the Devise is to no Person, he has. *Blatch v. Wilder*, P. 1738. 1 *Atkyns* 420.]

So, if a Man devises Lands to be sold by his Executors, or to his Executors to be sold; an Interest vests in the Executors. *Hard.* 419.

(3 A. 8.) How expounded, where the Words are ambiguous.

If a Man devises an Estate, to his Executors equally; it does not survive. R. 1 *Ver.* 32. *Vide Post*, (3 V. 3.) *Vide in Devise*, (N. 8.)

If he devises, that Land shall be purchased with the Residue of his Personal Estate, for the Benefit of his Wife for Life, and afterwards for his Executors, equally to be divided, and one dies; the other shall not have the Whole, for it does not survive. R. 1 *Ver.* 32.

[If a Man after giving Legacies to be paid at particular Times, devises the Residue of his Personal Estate to his two Sons, to be equally divided between them, and in Case of either of their Deaths, the whole Residue to be enjoyed by the Survivor; it shall be expounded, their Deaths before Twenty-one without Issue. *Mendes v. Mendes*, H. 1747. 3 *Atkyns* 619. 1 *Vezey* 89.]

[If one devises Real and Personal Estate to Trustees, to turn all into Money, and then lay it out in Land to the Use of three Persons for Life as Tenants in Common, not as Joint-tenants, but so that if either die without Issue living at the Time of his Death, that Share to go to the Survivors, then to Trustees to preserve, &c. then after their respective Deaths to the first and other Sons, then to Daughters, then to ten Grandchildren, their Heirs, &c. equally, as Tenants in Common, not Joint-tenants; and two of the Nephews and three of the Grandchildren die in Testator's Life, and third Nephew dies leaving a Son, he shall have only his Father's Share, the other two go over, but the Shares of the three Grand-

Grandchildren who died are not transmissible, but lapse. *Sperling v. Toll, M.*

1747. *1 Vezey 70.*

[If Testator desires the Residue may be divided between *A.* and *B.* it means equally divided, and they are Tenants in Common. *Peat v. Chapman, T. 1750.*

1 Vezey 542.

If he devises the Residue of his Personal Estate to *A. B.* and *C.* and the Wife of *C.* *C.* and his Wife shall have only one third Part, the Wife only being a Relation of the Testator. *R. 1 Ver. 233.*

If a Man devises 200 *l. per Ann.* out of his Manor of *Walden*, and he has the Manor of *Walden* otherwise *Chippen Walden* of the Value of 80 *l. per Ann.* and another Manor of *Brook's Walden*; the Charge shall be upon *Brook's Walden*, which is of greater Value. *1 Ch. R. 138, 9.*

If he devises 500 *l.* to the eldest Son of *B.* to be begotten, to put him out Apprentice, the eldest Son of *B.* born after the Death of the Devisor, shall have it, before he is put out Apprentice. *2 Ver. 431.*

If he devises Lands to Trustees, for *A.* and *B.* for their Lives, and afterwards to the Children of *A.* and *B.* the Children afterwards born shall take in Common, with those then in Being. *R. Eq. Ca. 105.**

If a Devise is to the younger Children of *B.* who has a Son, who is his Heir; he shall not have any Part of the Thing devised, tho' he is younger in Age to the other Children. *1 Ch. R. 224.*

Tho' he was originally the younger Son, but afterwards became the Heir. *R. 3 Ch. R. 1.*

So, if Portions are to be raised for younger Children, as the Father shall appoint; and he appoints to his second Son, upon his Marriage, being of full Age, 2000 *l.* who seven Years afterwards becomes the Heir by the Death of an elder Brother without Issue; the Father may make another Appointment of this Sum, for younger Children; for the first was upon a tacit Condition, that the Son provided for should continue a younger Son. *R. 2 Ver. 530.*

But if Land is settled to the Use of the second Son of *B.* in Tail, if he takes the Name of the Donor; the second Son shall have it, tho' he afterwards becomes the Heir. *R. 2 Ver. 660.*

If a Devise is of 20 *l. per Ann.* out of a Term for Years, if *A.* so long lives: If *A.* does live so long, and the Devisee dies, his Executor shall have it; for the Payment continues during the Term. *R. 2 Ver. 35, 666, 7.*

[If a Man devise his Real Estate to his Daughters, subject to an Annuity to his Son till he attains forty Years, (hoping he will then have seen his Folly,) then to him for Life, with Remainders over, and the Son dies before forty, the Devise to the Daughters ceases. *Lomax v. Holmedon, H. 1732. 3 P. W. 176.*]

[But if the Devise was a Fund to pay Debts or Portions, it should continue till such Time as *A.* would have attained forty. *Ibid.*]

If a Devise is to the Devisor's Wife for Life, and afterwards to his Son and his Heirs, *Proviso* that if his Son dies without Issue, his Daughter shall have 200 *l.* If the Son has Issue at his Death, the Daughter shall not have the 200 *l.* tho' such Issue dies within three Months afterwards. *R. 2 Ver. 686.*

If a Devise is of a College Lease to *A.* for Life, paying 10 *l. per Ann.* to *B.* and afterwards to *B.* the Renewal ought to be made by *A.* having a Proportion of the Fine from *B.* *R. 2 Ver. 667.*

If a Man devises 5 *l. per Ann.* to *B.* during the Life of his Wife, upon Condition that he behaves himself civilly to her, without saying, to *B.* his Executors and Administrators; if *B.* dies in the Life-time of the Wife, his Executor shall not have it; for the Bequest was Personal to *B.* *R. Pr. Ch. 173.*

If a Will is made in *Latin, Dutch, &c.* of Lands in *England*, it does not pass the Inheritance, where there are not proper Words by the Common Law. *1 Ver. 85, 146.*

If *A.* devises his Lands in *B.* but the Will is void for want of three Witnesses, it is not sufficient to devise a Term, which *A.* hath to attend the Inheritance, tho' the Words are sufficient to have passed it, if it was a Term in Gross. *R. Eq. Ca. 127.**

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[If a Man having Freehold and Leasehold at *A.* devises all his Lands and Tenements at *A.* by Will, not in Presence of three Witnesses, neither Freehold nor Leasehold passes; tho' had it been duly executed, the Freehold only would have passed, and had he had only Leasehold, *that* would have passed. *Chapman v. Hart*, T. 1749. 1 *Vezey* 271.]

If a Will is written in Figures or obscurely, it may be referred to a Master, to be assisted by Persons having Skill, to discover the Sense. *P. W.* 425.

[If Words are repugnant or nonsensical, they may be transposed or rejected; thus, if a Man gives his Daughter 6000*l.* for Life, and after her Death the Interest to be divided between her Husband and Children, Husband Half for Life, (*if no Children*, interlined) the Children the other Half; on his Death, his Half to the Children; till the Children attain Twenty-one, the whole Interest to Husband; on his Death, they to have the remaining 3000*l.*; if no Children at Daughter's Death, or they die before Twenty-one, then on further Trust mentioned:—If there are no Children, Husband is intitled to the whole Interest for Life. *Boon v. Cornforth*, P. 1751. 2 *Vezey* 277.]

[A Devise of the Use of a House for Life, Plate, Linen, and every Thing else her Occasions shall require; and that all Goods, Furniture, Plate, Books, Pictures, and every Thing else, shall remain and be enjoyed by the Person in Possession for the Time being:—In the first, every Thing else includes Provisions, Wine, Corn, &c. in the latter not; in neither, Canes, Watches, India Pieces not made up, &c. *Ibid.*]

[If a Man gives the Use and Occupation of his House, with Stabling and Fields, to his Daughter for Life, and then devises the three Fields to her for Life, without Waste, and then over; the Clauses are co-extensive, and she shall have the Use for Life. *Ibid.*]

So, if the Name of a Legatee is misspelt or mistaken. *P. W.* 425.

[If *A.* devises Lands to her Son *B.* and his Heirs and Assigns for ever, and if he dies in his Minority and unmarried, or without Issue, then to her Son *C.* his Heirs, &c.; this is a Fee to *B.* with an executory Devise to *C.* and if *B.* comes of Age, marries, and dies without Issue, the *or* shall be construed *and*, and the Lands are subject to his Specialty Debts. *Framlingham v. Brand*, M. 1746. 3 *Atkyns* 390. *Wilf.* 140.]

[If a Man by Will gives his Real Estate to his Wife for Life, and after her Death, and Failure of Issue by him, to his Sister *A.* with other Remainders over, and all the Limitations are for Life; it shall be construed that it means a Failure of Issue during the Lives in being, and so the Limitation be good. *Trafford v. Boehm*, H. 1746. 3 *Atkyns* 440.]

[If a Father by Will gives his Real Estate to his four Sons, their Heirs and Assigns, to be equally divided between them as Tenants in Common, and not as Joint-tenants, with the Benefit of Survivorship; and he has used the same Words in a former Clause relating to his Personal Estate, and giving them the Benefit of Survivorship, in case any of them died before Twenty-one; the Devise of the Real Estate shall be construed in the same Manner. *Haws v. Haws*, T. 1747. 3 *Atkyns* 524. 1 *Vezey* 13. 1 *Wilson* 165.]

[If *A.* by Will gives the Residue of her Estate, Real and Personal, to *B.* in Trust, to pay the Produce to *C.* for Life, into her own Hands, for her separate Use, and after her Death to her Children, *C.* has no Power to raise Money by Annuity for her Life; and if she does, she shall be at Liberty to redeem on paying Principal and Interest, tho' no Clause of Redemption. *Caverley v. Bisco*, T. 1747. 3 *Atkyns* 541.]

[If a Man by Will gives Lands (and his Personal Estate to be laid out in Lands) to charitable Uses; then by Codicil, reciting his Will, the Mortmain Act, and his Doubts whether his Will is good, (yet being still desirous of confirming his Will) but if by Law the Estate cannot go to those Uses, he devises it to *A.* and his Heirs; and by another Codicil, reciting he is advised the Devise of his Lands would be void, and it being his Intention the Charity should be continued, and being advised his Personal Estate can be given, he therefore gives his Personal Estate to the Charitable Uses, and his Real Estate to *A.*—the Real Estate is well devised

devised to *A.* *Per B. R. unanimous, and Hardwicke C. Attorney-general v. Lloyd, T. 1747. 3 Atkyns 551. 1 Vezey 32.]*

[If a Man devises his Estate to *A.* to settle it on *B.* for Life, on *C.* for Life, and then on any Person or Persons, for their several Lives, who are descended from Testator's Mother, with Power to revoke and appoint anew, provided it be to a Descendent of his Mother, his Desire being, his Estate should continue to Persons always descended of his Mother; and advises that a Writing may be made to Trustees for ninety-nine Years to the said Uses; *A.* may under this Will limit an Inheritance. *Godolphin v. Godolphin, T. 1747. 1 Vezey 21.]*

[If a Man devises his Real and Personal to Trustees for his Daughter and her Heirs for ever, Proviso, if she dies before Twenty-one or Marriage, then to convey to his nearest Relation of the Name of *A.* and to his or her Heirs, Executors, &c. for ever; Daughter dies under Age and unmarried, the Devise over is not void for Uncertainty, nor shall go to the Heir, nor be confined to a single Person, but goes to the Stock of the *A.*'s who were nearest, and as well those who had changed their Names by Marriage as others. *Pyot v. Pyot, M. 1749. 1 Vezey 335.]*

[If a Man devises to his Son, "All that Estate I bought of *A.*;" both the Land, and all Testator's Interest in it, passes. *Bailis v. Gate, M. 1750. 2 Vezey 48.]*

[If a Man having a Reversion in Fee devises to his Son the Reversion of the Tenement *A.* a Fee passes. *Ibid.]*

[In a residuary Devise where Estate is mentioned generally, accompanied with personal Things, it shall be restrained to Personal; but where Real Estate is mentioned, the personal Things mentioned are considered as an Enumeration only. *Ibid.]*

[If *A.* devises all his Real and Personal in Trust by *B. C.* and *D.* and desires his Debts and Legacies to be paid, the Heir he shall mention to be well educated, and that the first Son of *E.* when Twenty-one, shall have all his Estate Real and Personal; the Personal passes first to the Trustees for Payment of Debts, then the Surplus belongs to *E.*'s Son when Twenty-one, and shall accumulate till then; the Real Estate passes to Trustees, and the Trust is an Executory Devise to *E.*'s Son at Twenty-one; the Mesne Profits go to *E.* Heir at Law, till Son born, then to the Son for his Education; (but *Semb.* the Surplus, if any, belongs still to *E.*)
Q. Why should not the Profits of the Personal Estate be also applied to the Son's Education? *Bullock v. Stones, T. 1754. 2 Vezey 521.]*

[If *Feme-covert*, with Power, devises to her Husband for Life, then to her Children if she should leave any to survive her, but if she should leave none, nor the Issue of such, then to *A.* making him sole Heir in Default of Issue left by her, and after the Husband's Death; the Children take an Estate Tail, not Fee-simple, and the Remainder to *A.* is good; for it is not a contingent executory Limitation on her dying without Children living at her Death, but a general dying without Issue. *Southby v. Stonehouse, T. 1755. 2 Vezey 610.]*

[Words shall receive a Construction according to the Subject-matter, (as if Freehold and Leasehold are devised by the same Words.) *Ibid.]*

[If *A.* having 400*l.* *South-Sea* Annuities, and 400*l.* *East-India* Stock, gives *B.* 10*l.* *per Annum* out of the Dividends of the *South-Sea* Annuities, and gives *C.* the 400*l.* *East-India* Stock, and gives *D.* the 400*l.* *South-Sea* Annuities, subject to the Payment to *B.* and he afterwards buys 100*l.* more *South-Sea* Annuities, and sells the *East-India* Stock, and buys 800*l.* more *South-Sea* Annuities, and is afterwards paid off the first 400*l.* and the other 100*l.* *South-Sea* Annuities by a Draught, which he lodges with *E.* directing him to vest it in three *per Cent.* Annuities, but *E.* vests it in *South-Sea* Annuities, and *A.* makes a Codicil, and devises the Note for 500*l.* in *E.*'s Hands to *F.*; the Legacy of 10*l.* *per Annum*, and the specific Legacies of the Funds are gone, and *F.* is intitled to the Produce of the Note. *Drinkwater v. Falconer, T. 1755. 2 Vezey 623.]*

[In a Devise of all his Stock in Trade, only Shop Goods and Utensils in Trade are included; not Book-debts, Cash, Bills, or Money in Goldsmiths Hands. *Seymour v. Rapier, in Sc. M. 1718. Bunb. 28.]*

When Words in a Devise shall be expounded otherwise than in a Deed, *Vide Legacy, Post, (3 Y. 1.)*

When

When a Devisee shall have the same Privileges as an Heir, *Vide Legacy Post*, (3 Y. 2.)

(3 B) Discovery.

(3 B. 1.) When a Bill lies for a Discovery.

SO a Bill in Equity lies for Discovery of a Title and Deeds, *Vide Post*, (3 I. 1.)

[Every Heir at Law has a Right to a Discovery by what Means and under what Deed he is disinherited. *Harrison v. Southcote*, T. 1751. 1 *Atkyns* 528. 2 *Vezey* 389.]

[The Heir at Law has a Right to have Deeds and Writings produced, and lodged in proper Hands for his Inspection, before he has established his Title, and to remove Terms out of the Way that might prevent his recovering Possession at Law. *Ibid.*]

[The Lord of a Manor may bring his Bill for Discovery of *Treasure Trove*. *Shane v. Heathfield*, M. 1717. in Sc. *Bunb.* 18.]

For Discovery of Court Rolls, Leigers, &c. to be used at a Trial, which relate to the Plaintiff and Defendant. *R. Hard.* 180.

[Any Person in Possession, as Tenant or otherwise, may bring Bill for Discovery of his Title who brings Ejectment against him, even tho' he is a wrong Doer against every Body. *Metcalf v. Hervey*, T. 1749. 1 *Vezey* 248.]

So it lies for a Discovery of Goods put on board a Ship, tho' insured at a Sum certain, Interest or no Interest; for the Value of the Goods saved ought to be deducted out of the Sum to be paid for Insurance. 2 *Ver.* 716.

- So a Bill for Discovery of a Note, Deed, &c. lies after six Years are elapsed; for the Stat. of Limitations is no Plea to it. *R. Ch. R.* 14. *D. & Ch. Westminster v. Cross*, in Sc. P. 1720. *Bunb.* 60.

A Bill for Discovery ought to charge expressly, that the Defendant has the Deeds, Goods, Assets, &c. *Ca. Ch.* 226.

[When a Man brings Bill for Discovery only of Deeds, and to have them established, he shall annex Affidavit that he has them not, or it is Cause of Demurrer; but where he also prays Relief, Affidavit is not necessary. *Johnson v. Elleker*, in Sc. P. 1720. *Bunb.* 46.]

[If a Bill is brought for Relief as well as Discovery of Deeds, an Affidavit must be annexed that Plaintiff has not the Deeds, or Defendant may demur. *Anon.* M. 1743. 3 *Atkyns* 17.]

- [On a Bill for Discovery only, Plaintiff cannot reply, and must dismiss and pay Costs, tho' he has had Discovery, and Defendant was the Occasion of the Bill. *Calverly v. Parker*, H. 1722. *Bunb.* 124.]

If to a Bill for Discovery, it appears that there was such a Deed, and that it is suppressed by the Defendant, there shall be a Decree for Enjoyment by the Plaintiff, until the Defendant produces the Deed; but not upon a Supposition of a Deed suppressed, when it does not appear, whether there was such a Deed. 2 *P. W.* 680.

[If Plaintiff claiming by a Remainder in Tail, expectant on B. Tenant in Tail's dying without Issue, brings a Bill against the Sisters and Heirs of such Tenant in Tail, who answer, that B. executed a Lease and Release to make a Tenant to the *Præcipe*, suffered a common Recovery to the Use of himself in Fee, and refer to the Deeds in their Custody, the Court will, before Hearing, order Defendants to leave the Deeds with their Clerk in Court. *Bettison v. Farrington*, T. 1735. 3 *P. W.* 363.]

[The Counsel who draws a Deed of Annuity, and is Executor to the Annuitant, and submits to produce the Draught by his Answer, and does not insist on Privilege, as a Counsel, may be ordered to produce it before the Hearing. *Stanhope v. Roberts*, M. 1741. 2 *Atkyns* 214.]

A Defendant may be obliged to discover a Case which he had stated to his own Counsel for Opinion, and the Facts contained in the Case. *R. on Demurrer*, and affirmed by the Lords. *Ibid.*]

So a Bill lies for Discovery of Affets, to enable the Plaintiff to bring an Action at Law against an Executor, or Administrator. *Vide Ante*, (2 G. 3.)
And it lies before Probate, or *pendente lite* for a Probate. *Ver.* 49.
Or against an Heir.

[On a Bill for executing a Trust, by settling an Estate on the several Branches of a Family, Plaintiff a younger Brother has a Right to a Discovery from an elder Brother, whether he has a Son who would be the first intitled to the Inheritance, but not, whether he is married. *Finch v. Finch*, M. 1752. 2 *Vezey* 491.]

So, for a Discovery of the Personal Estate of B. in the Defendant's Hands, after Judgment and Execution sued against B. but not before Execution sued. *Semb.* 1 *Ver.* 399.

[If a Bill is brought for Discovery of Bankrupt's Effects, the Court will not allow Defendants to look into their Depositions before the Commissioners, before they put in their Answers. *Boden v. Dellow*, H. 1747. 1 *Atkyns* 289.]

So a Bill for Discovery, to enable the Plaintiffs to bring an Action, was allowed, tho' the Action sounded in *Tort*. R. 1 *Ver.* 307. 2 *Ver.* 442, 3,

As also, for a Discovery of Tithes, by Colour of a Sequestration, tho' it is a Trespass against the Parson. R. *Hard.* 182.

So, for a Discovery of a Matter, which subjects the Party to a Penalty, if he hath agreed to deduct the Value of those Goods, which he had traded in, out of the Freight. 2, 2 *Ver.* 244.

[So for a Discovery of a Matter, which subjects the Party to a Penalty, if he has covenanted to answer any Bill of Discovery, and not to plead the Acts inflicting Penalties. *East-India Company v. Atkyns*, P. 5 G. in *Canc.* *Str.* 168.]

So, for a Discovery of Wine imported, for which Prifage is due. *Hard.* 138.
So, against an Auditor for a Discovery whether the Particular by him made is true; tho' he is finable for the Deceit to the King, if false. *Hard.* 138.

So, against a Woodward, if he cuts or wastes the Woods of the King. *Ibid.*
[Every Person necessary to the Discovery should be made a Party, to prevent Multiplication of Suits. *Plunket v. Penfon*, T. 1740. 2 *Atkyns* 51.]

[Discovery in Equity is not confined to the Rule of Law for inspecting Books; thus the Lord of one Manor may have Leave to inspect the Books of another Manor here, tho' not at Law. *Anon*, T. 1755. 2 *Vezey* 620.]

(3 B. 2. When not.)

But a Bill for Discovery of Deeds, or a Title does not lie against him, who is a Purchaser for a valuable Consideration, without Notice. R. *upon a Plea*, Ch. R. 35. *Vide Ante*, (I. 1.) *Post*, (4 I. 1, &c.)

So it does not lie for an Heir against a Jointress, if the Plaintiff does not confirm her Jointure. 1 *Ver.* 479.

Tho' the Jointure was made after Marriage, without Articles precedent 1 *Ver.* 479.

[A Widow is not obliged to discover on *Offer* to confirm her Jointure, till the Act of Confirmation is done. *Leech v. Trollop*, T. 1755. 2 *Vezey* 662.]

[On a Bill against a Jointress to deliver up one Part of Settlement, she having two, the Court will not on Motion order it to be delivered up, that being the very End of the Bill, but to be produced before the Master. *Aston v. Aston*, H. 1745. 3 *Atkyns* 302.]

Nor, for a Discovery who has the Freehold of Lands, unless in the Case of Dower, or Partition. *Hard.* 139.

[If Plaintiff sets out a Title, and that certain old Terms are standing out, and Defendant does not plead, but sets up a Title inconsistent with Plaintiff's, he is not obliged to discover what Deeds he has relating to his own Title; but if there is any Charge in the Bill that Defendant has Deeds of Plaintiff's Title, it must be answered. *Buden v. Dore*, T. 1752. 2 *Vezey* 445.]

So it lies not against a Devisee, for Discovery of his Title by the Will, to the Heir. *Semb.* Ch. R. 36.

Nor, against him, who has Land contiguous, for Discovery of the Boundaries of his Lands in his Deeds. *R. 2 Ver. 38.*

Nor, against the Assignee of a Term, for a Discovery of the Beginning and Continuance of the Term; of which he was a Purchaser. *R. 2 Ver. 255.*

So it lies not for him in the Remainder in Tail in a voluntary Settlement, after the Estate-Tail is discontinued. *2 Ver. 35.*

Nor, for the Issue in Tail. *R. 2 Ver. 50.*

So, upon a Bill for the Discovery of a Deed, upon a Suggestion of a Trust, if the Defendant denies the Trust, he shall not be obliged to produce the Deed. *2 Ver. 463.*

So a Bill does not lie, for the Discovery of a Matter, which subjects the Party to a Penalty or Forfeiture, if the Plaintiff does not waive the Penalty or Forfeiture. *1 Ver. 109, 129, 306. 1 Ch. R. 144.*

And the Waiver ought to be by all those, who can claim any Part of the Penalty or Forfeiture; for if the Penalty belongs one half to the King, and the other to a Corporation, the Waiver by the Corporation, and not by the Attorney General also, is not sufficient. *1 Ver. 129.*

As, it does not lie for a Discovery, whether the Party imported Cards without Licence; for it may subject him to the Penalty of the Stat. *Hard. 138, 144.*

For Discovery, whether he heard Mass, took Usury, &c. *Ibid.*

Whether he is a Popish Recusant. *Hard. 142.*

[If a Bill is brought to discover whether *A.* under whose Will Defendant claims, was a Papist at the Time of purchasing from Plaintiff's Ancestor, Defendant is not bound to discover, but may plead the Stat. 11 & 12 W. 3. *Smith v. Read, H. 1736. 1 Atkyns 526.*]

[If a Bill is brought against *A.* and *B.* to discover whether *A.* and his Wife, under whom he claims, were not Papists, *B.* who purchased from *A.* is not obliged to discover, but may plead. *Harrison v. Southcote, T. 1751. 1 Atkyns 528. 2 Vezey 389.*]

[No Man is obliged to discover what *may* subject him, not what *must* only. *Ibid.*]

[To a Bill for Discovery of a Marriage, Defendant may plead that it would subject her to Punishment for Incest in the Ecclesiastical Court, tho' the Husband is dead. *Brownfword v. Edwards, H. 1750. 2 Vezey 243.*]

If a Portion is given over on Marriage without Consent, Defendant may demur to Discovery of the Marriage only; tho' Discovery of the Consent is not prayed, and altho' a Plaintiff is intitled to a Discovery of a Marriage in the Case of an Estate during Widowhood, with Remainder over; for the first is a Forfeiture, the last is only a conditional Limitation. *Chancey v. Fenboulet, P. 1751. 2 Vezey 265.*]

[Defendant may plead to Discovery of an Act which would cause a Forfeiture, but not to Discovery of what Estate he hath, as whether Tenant for Life or not, tho' on that the Forfeiture depends. *Weaver v. E. Meath, M. 1750. 2 Vezey 108.*]

Whether he conceals Customs, or Excise. *Dub. Hard. 137, 146, 201.*

[If the Attorney-general exhibits an Information to discover Waste, &c. he must waive Forfeitures. *Waters v. Vincent, H. 1724. Bunb. 192.*]

[On a Bill to stay Waste, Plaintiff cannot have a Discovery unless he waives the double Penalty. *Boteler v. Allington, H. 1746. 2 Atkyns 453.*]

[If *A.* gives Bond to *B.* to pay 800 *l. per Annum*, whilst he or any Body in Trust for him holds a certain Office, *B.* sues on the Bond, *A.* brings Bill for Injunction, *B.* Cross-bill to discover whether *C.* does not hold the Office in Trust; *A.* who is a Member of Parliament is not obliged to discover, for it would vacate his Seat; this he must insist on by Answer, for demurring would have been admitting the Facts. *Honeywood v. Selwin, M. 1744. 3 Atkyns 276.*]

So a Bill does not lie, for a Discovery of Receipts and Acquittances given, or Payments made for Goods after a Recovery for the Goods in an Action at Law. *1 Ver. 176. 3 Ch. R. 17.*

Nor,

Nor, for a Discovery of Things not examinable or relievable in Equity; as the ill Usage of a Husband to his Wife. *R. upon a Demurrer, 1 Ver. 204.*

Nor, for a Discovery of the Tenant of the Freehold, in order to bring a *Formedon*. *R. 1 Ver. 212. 273.*

Nor, for Discovery of the Profits of a Trust Estate (if the Trust is denied) till the Trust is proved; for it is sufficient that the Party shall afterwards be examined upon Interrogatories. *R. Ch. R. 4.*

Nor, against the Clerk of the Company of *Skinners* for a Discovery of Accounts and Books in his Custody, which he is sworn not to shew without the Consent of the Company. *R. upon a Plea, Ch. R. 24.*

[The Court will not compel a Discovery to create Evidence for a future Cause. *Finch v. Finch, T. 1752. 2 Vezey 491.*]

Nor, for a Discovery of Assets against an Executor or Administrator, till Assets be denied by a Plea at Law.

Nor, for Discovery of Assets, upon a Decree to pay out of the Assets, till the Decree is signed, inrolled, and served, *Ch. R. 34.*

Nor, for the Discovery of the Consideration of a Bond (not obtained by Fraud, as it seems) after an Assignment thereof to the King. *R. Hard. 200.*

[The Court will not admit a Bill of Discovery in Aid of the Jurisdiction of the Ecclesiastical Court, for they can come at Discovery themselves. *Dun v. Coates, M. 1738. 1 Atkyns 288.*]

[If a Bill for Discovery, and perpetuating Testimony, in praying Process prays, that Defendant may abide the Order and Decree of the Court, it makes it a Bill for Relief, and ought to be dismissed. *Rose v. Gannel, H. 1746. 3 Atkyns 439.*]

[Bill for Discovery does not lie against one for what he may be examined to, as one who is merely a Witness claiming no Interest, but he must plead thereto, and support it by Answer, disclaiming Interest, and a Demurrer is bad. *Plummer v. May, H. 1749. 1 Vezey 426.*]

(3 C) *Dismes.*

When Tithes shall be decreed in *Chancery*.

SO *Chancery* will compel the Payment of Tithes. *2 Ca. Ch. 237. 1 Ca. Ch. 233. Vide Dismes, (M. 13, &c.)*

[This Court never dismisses a Bill for Tithes, unless there is a good legal or equitable Bar. *Douglas v. Vane, H. 19 G. 2. Wilf. 128.*]

A Parson or Impropriator, or his Lessee, may exhibit a Bill against the Parishioners for Discovery and Payment of the single Value of their Tithes. *Vide 1 Ver. 60.*

[The Owner and Lessee of a Rectory may bring a Bill for Tithe in Kind, and so establish a Custom of setting out in Stooks, tho' there is a derivative Lease in being. *Archbishop of York v. Stapleton, H. 1740. 2 Atkyns 136.*]

So the Executor of a Parson, &c. may exhibit a Bill for Arrears in the Time of his Testator, without offering to take the single Value; for he is not intitled to the Penalty of the *St. 2 & 3 Ed. 6. 13. R. upon Demurrer. 1 Ver. 60.*

But the Parson himself ought to make an Offer to take the single Value. *Semb. 1 Ver. 60. Vide Dismes, (M. 13.)*

But *Chancery* will not by a Decree establish a *Modus*, and that the Land shall be discharged of Tithes *in Specie*, tho' there is a Verdict for the *Modus*. *Ca. Ch. 187. R. upon Demurrer, 1 Ch. R. 27.*

[If a Bill is brought to establish a *Modus* against the Lessee of the Impropriator, the Impropriator must be a Party also. *Glanvil v. Trelawney, in Sc. H. 1720. Bunb. 70.*]

[If a Bill is brought to establish a *Modus*, and on an Issue directed there is a Verdict in Favour of the *Modus*, the Court will establish it, and direct Costs at Law, but not in Equity, to be paid to Plaintiff. *Clifton v. Orchard, H. 1737. 1 Atkyns 610.*]

[If

[If the *Modus* is too rank (as 48*l. per Annum*, for the Tithes of a Manor, the whole Demefne Lands of which were worth but 48*l.* in Q. Elizabeth's Time) the Court will decree Tithes in Kind. *Ekin v. Pigot*, H. 1745. 3 *Atkyns* 298.]

[Tho' a *Modus* may appear something too rank, yet if there is no other Objection to it in Law, nor any Evidence of Tithes being paid in Kind, this Court will not direct Payment in Kind without an Issue. *Chapman v. Smith*, T. 1754. 2 *Vezey* 506. *Ekins v. Dormer*, T. 1747. 3 *Atkyns* 534.]

[The Court will not grant an Injunction to stay Proceedings in the Ecclesiastical Court, on a Suggestion that there is a *Modus*. *Rotheram v. Fanshaw*, H. 1747. 3 *Atkyns* 628.]

[Of late the Court does not require the Time of Payment of a *Modus* to be particularly laid, such a Time or *thereabouts* is sufficient. *Carte v. Ball*, P. 1747. 3 *Atkyns* 496. 1 *Vezey* 3. *Richards v. Evans*, 1 *Vezey* 39.]

[But a Custom must be substantially laid, therefore it must be alledged by whom a *Modus* is to be paid. *Ibid.*]

[Setting up a *Modus* does not preclude Defendant from objecting to Plaintiff's Title to Tithes. *Ibid.*]

[If the Vicar be endowed *de omnib. minut. decim. inf. Paroch.*, he shall have a Decree for Tithes, after Verdict found, on Issue directed, that none had ever been paid to him, nor to a third Person, out of A. *Fox v. Rutty*, in Sc. M. 1721. *Bunb.* 87.]

[A Grant from Q. Mary, with the general Words *decimas bladorum et fœni, et omnes alias decimas*, are not sufficient to bar a Rector of his Common Right of Tithes, unless it is expressly stated what was the Right of the Crown. *Ekins v. Dormer*, T. 1747. 3 *Atkyns* 534.]

So, if a Bill is filed in *Chancery* for the Tithes and Bounds of a Parish, and the Plaintiff, after Answer, exhibits a Bill in the *Exchequer*, and there proceeds to the Examination of Witnesses, and then replies in *Chancery*; the Proceedings and Examination in the *Exchequer*, may be pleaded against an Examination for the same Matter in *Chancery*. *R. Ca. Ch.* 233.

So, if the Defendant has a Verdict and Judgment upon the St. 2 & 3 Ed. 6. 13. for not setting out Tithes in *Specie*, it may be pleaded to a Bill brought for a *Modus*. *R. Ch. R.* 13.

[This Court has Jurisdiction to inquire, whether the Lord Mayor of London has done right in refusing to grant a Warrant to levy a Minister's dues, under Stat. 22 & 23 C. 2. c. 15. and if he has done wrong, to issue a Warrant for levying the Sum assessed. *Ex parte Croxall*, P. 1748. 3 *Atkyns* 639.]

[If the County in general is concerned in a Tithe Cause, (as *Kent*, in a *Modus* in *Romney Marsh*) the Court will order Trial in another, (as *London* or *Middlesex*.) *Chapman v. Smith*, T. 1754. 2 *Vezey* 505.]

[In *Chancery* an Account of Tithes shall be carried down to the Time of the Master's Report, in the *Exchequer* to the Time of filing the Bill only. *Bell v. Reed*, M. 1747. 3 *Atkyns* 590.]

(3 D) Distribution of Intestates Estates.

(3 D. i.) By the St. 22 & 23 Car. 2.

CHANCERY will enforce a Distribution upon the St. 22 & 23 Car. 2. 10. concerning the Estates of Intestates. 2 *Vent.* 362. 1 *Ver.* 134. *Vide in Administration*, (H).

Tho' the Defendant pleads a Jurisdiction reserved by the same Stat. to the Ecclesiastical Court to make a Distribution. *R. 2 Ca. Ch.* 95.

[An Estate *pur auter vie* is distributable in Equity, tho' not in the Spiritual Court. *Witter v. Witter*, H. 1730. 3 *P. W.* 99.]

So, if an Infant sues for a Distribution in the Ecclesiastical Court, and afterwards sues here, the Suit depending there, is no Plea to the Bill, for the same Cause, in *Chancery*. *Vide Post*, (3 Y. 3.)

[Aunts

[Aunts and Nephews are in equal Degree of Relation, and shall take *per Capita*, and not *per Stirpes*. *Durant v. Prestwood*, T. 1738. 1 *Atkyns* 454.]

[If an Intestate leaves only an Aunt, a Son of a Brother, and a Daughter of a Sister, they take equally. *Lloyd v. Tench*, H. 1750. 2 *Vezey* 213.]

[If *A.* and his Wife *B.* have two Sons, *C.* and *D.* who both marry in their Father's Life, *A.* dies, *B.* survives, *C.* dies leaving Children, *D.* dies intestate, leaving *E.* his Widow. *E.* shall have Two-fourths, *B.* One-fourth, and the Children of *C.* One-fourth between them. *Stanley v. Stanley*, P. 1739. 1 *Atkyns* 455.]

But if an Husband covenants, &c. that his Wife at his Death shall be worth 600*l.* and her Share under the Stat. of Distribution exceed that Sum; it goes in Satisfaction of the Agreement, and she shall not have the 600*l.* and then her Share by the Stat. R. 2 *Ver.* 709.

(3 D. 2.)
Who shall be
excluded
from a Share
upon a Dis-
tribution.

[If by Articles before Marriage the Terms therein are declared to be to the Wife, then an Infant, in Satisfaction of all Claim of Dower, or any Claim by Common Law, Custom of the City, or any other Usage, Law or Custom; the Wife has her Election at the Death of the Husband, and if she accepts the Terms in the Articles, she cannot have a distributory Share on her Husband's dying intestate, for that would be a Claim under a Law, viz. the Statute of Distributions. *Glover v. Bates*, T. 1739. 1 *Atkyns* 439.]

[If a Man by Articles previous to Marriage covenants by Will, or good Assurance in Law, to grant to his Wife, or her Mother in Trust for her, 1000*l.* to be paid after his Death, if she survives; and if he shall not so assure, then his Executors or Administrators shall pay it; and he dies without making such Deed or Will, she is not intitled to her distributory Share. *Lee v. Cox*, H. 1746. 3 *Atkyns* 419. 1 *Vezey* 1.]

If a Man covenants to leave his eldest Son by his first Wife 500*l.* in case he marries a second Wife, and he does marry a second Wife, and dies Intestate; the eldest Son shall bring his 500*l.* into Hotchpot, if he comes for a Share of the Personal Estate. R. 2 *Ver.* 639. 2 *P. W.* 437.

So, if he covenants to leave to his Wife 1500*l.* in full of Dower, Thirds, Custom of London, or otherwise, out of his Real or Personal Estate; she shall not have Distribution upon the Stat. R. 2 *Ver.* 725.

[The Estate of an intestate, leaving a Brother and a Grandfather, shall go wholly to the Brother, the Grandfather has no Right to share. *Evelyn v. Evelyn*, H. 1754. 3 *Atkyns* 762.]

(3 D. 3.) By Custom.

So a Man may enforce a Distribution of the Goods of an Intestate, pursuant to a Custom in the Province of York. 1 *Ch. R.* 79.

[If a Man dies intestate in the Province of York, leaving his Son *B.* who dies soon after, and his Wife *C.* *enfeint* of *D.* *D.* is intitled to her Share, as if born before Intestate's Death, and his Estate shall be divided into nine Parts, four of them *C.*'s, four of them *D.*'s, and the other ninth to be equally divided between them. *Wallis v. Hodson*, H. 1740. 2 *Atkyns* 115.]

Or, upon the Custom of London, 1 *Ch. R.* 84. 1 *Ver.* 61. *Vide in Gardian*, (G. 2.)

And if a Freeman of London dies Intestate, his Personal Estate shall be distributed, a Moiety, or Two-thirds according to the Custom, the Residue according to the St. 22 & 23 *Car.* 2. 1 *Ver.* 134.—So, in York. R. 1. *Ver.* 305, 314, 432, 465.

And a Bill, for Distribution to the Wife of her Share, shall be allowed, tho' the Husband had left London before his Marriage, and resided in the Country for twenty Years, and settled a Jointure upon his Wife. R. upon a Plea of such Matter. 1 *Ver.* 180. 2 *Ver.* 110.

If all the Children are advanced by the Father in his Life-time, the Distribution of the Whole shall be according to the St. 22 & 23 *Car.* 2. 1 *Ver.* 200. R. 2 *Ver.* 274.

If the Wife is barred of her Share by a special Agreement, it shall be distributed amongst the Children. *Dub. 2 Ver. 263.*

If a Man devises a Moiety of his Estate to his Wife, she shall have a Moiety by the Custom, and also a Moiety of the Residue. *2 Ver. 111.*

So, if a fraudulent Gift, &c. is made to prevent the Custom, a Bill may be brought to avoid it. *Ch. R. 16. 2 Lev. 130.*

As, if a Man by Deed disposes of his Goods in his Life-time, but keeps the Goods, or the Deed in his Custody. *2 Ver. 277.*

But if he absolutely gives away the Goods, *bonâ fide*, in his Life-time to his Children, or otherwise, it will be no Fraud. *Ibid.*

(3 E) Dower.

(3 E. 1.) Wife favoured by Equity.

Vide Marriage Settlement, Post, (3 Z. 1.) Vide Ant, (2 M. 12.)

IF a Woman is intitled to Dower by Law, *Chancery* does not bar her; as if *A.* for securing 100 *l.* makes a Bargain and Sale to *B.* and his Heirs, to the Intent that he should redemise to *A.* for Life, and upon Condition that the Bargain and Sale shall be void on Repayment; *B.* redemises, and afterwards *A.* repays the Money; the Wife of *B.* being dowable by Law, shall not be restrained by *Chancery*; for it was the Folly of *A.* that he did not make the Bargain and Sale to two Persons, as is usual. *Eq. Abr. 217. Cro. Car. 190. Vide Post, (3 E. 2.)*

If a Father purchases in the Name of his Son and gives him Possession, who afterwards executes a Declaration of Trust to the Father, but continues in Possession, his Wife shall be endowed; for the Declaration of Trust is fraudulent to Creditors and Purchasers. *R. Eq. Abr. 218.*

If a Man devises an Estate for Payment of Debts, and afterwards to his Son in Tail; the Wife of the Son shall be endowed; for the Devise for Payment of Debts is but a Chattel Interest; but she shall not have Possession until the Debts are paid. *Eq. Abr. 218.*

So, if the Lands of the Husband are sequestered before Marriage, his Wife shall be endowed. *Ibid.*

If a Woman recovers Dower against an Heir being an Infant, when there was a Term to protect the Inheritance, which by Neglect of the Guardian was not pleaded; the Term shall not be set up against her in Equity. *Eq. Abr. 219.*

So a Woman shall be aided in Equity for her Dower against a Term for Years, which attends the Inheritance, if it is not in the Case of a Purchaser, *R. 2 P. W. 639, 646.*

So, she shall be intitled to the Equity of Redemption against a Mortgagee, paying a Third of the Principal, or a Third of the Interest. *2 P. W. 632.*

So, if the Estate is in Trust for *B.* and his Heirs, who directs the Trustees to convey to his Son in Tail, at the Age of twenty-one Years; and after twenty-one, the Son marries and dies; his Wife shall have Dower of the Trust Estate in Equity. *Per Jekyll, 2 P. W. 641, 647.*

So, of a Trust Estate in Fee, made by the Ancestor of the Husband. *Semb. per Jekyll, 2 P. W. 641, 650.**

**Vide 3 P. W. 229.*

[If *A.* buys Customary Freehold Lands, which are conveyed to him and *B.* and the Heirs of *A.* and *A.* devises them to his Son *C.* in Tail, and dies; and *C.* dies, living *B.*; *C.*'s Widow cannot have these Lands as her Free Bench, nor as Customary Dower, as it is out of the Trust of a Freehold Estate, the legal Estate standing out in *B.* *Godwin v. Winsmore, H. 1742. 2 Atkyns 525.*]

But a Woman shall not be endowed in Equity of an Estate limited to Trustees in Trust for the Husband and his Heirs. *Eq. Abr. 217.* If it was done by the Husband himself, or for the Benefit of a Mortgagee, or other Purchaser. *2 P. W. 640.*

[The Wife of a *Cestuique Trust* of a Rent-charge is not to be endowed of it. *Chaplin v. Chaplin, H. 1733. 3 P. W. 229.*]

Nor

Nor of a Trust Term, assigned for the Security of a Purchaser. 2 P. W. 639.
So a Woman shall not be endowed, where her Husband devises Land to her in Satisfaction of Dower, if she does not waive the Devise; for she shall not have both. *Vide Eq. Abr.* 218.

But a Devise shall not be intended to be in Bar of Dower, if it is not expressed: And therefore, tho' the Husband devises a Personal Estate and Land to his Wife for Life, and the Residue of all his Estate to A. the Wife shall have Dower also. *R. Eq. Abr.* 218. *Vide Post*, (3 E. 2.)

[If a Woman marries without Settlement, and by Act of her Husband is barred of her own Fortune, and he by Will devises her his Personal Estate at his Seat, and a Remainder for Life of his Real Estate, in Default of Issue Male and Female by himself, this does not bar her of Dower out of that very Estate. *In- cledon v. Northcote*, H. 1746. 3 *Atkyns* 430.]

[If a Man by Will, taking no Notice of his Wife's Claim to Dower, devises her the Residue of his Personal Estate, it is no Bar to her Dower. *Ayres v. Willis*, P. 1749. 1 *Vezey* 230.]

[If a Widow intitled to Dower comes to account for the Profits of the Estate of which she is in Possession as Trustee for her Son, she shall be allowed for the Pro- fits of her Dower, future, as well as past, and shall not be drove to her Writ of Dower. *Graham v. Graham*, T. 1749. 1 *Vezey* 262.]

[If a Widow suffers an Annuity granted to her by Settlement, and the Interest of Money left her by her Husband's Will, to run in Arrear for eight Years during her Son's Life, she shall have it against the Remainder over; for it shall neither be presumed that she is satisfied, nor that it was fraudulently intended in prejudice to the Remainder. *Aston v. Aston*, T. 1749. 1 *Vezey* 264.]

[The Court will not oblige a Jointress to bring her Jointure-deed into Court or before a Master, unless the Party requiring it will confirm it; but will order her to deliver in a Schedule of Deeds, to order what shall be produced. *Petre v. Petre*, P. 1747. 3 *Atkyns* 511.]

(3 E. 2.) Dower, When aided, and When not.

If a Woman has recovered Dower, *Chancery* will ascertain her third Part by a Commission. 1 *Ch. R.* 38.

[If Lands descend to two in Coparcenary, and one, before Receipt of Rent or Partition made, dies, his Widow suggesting that the other has the Title-deeds, shall have Relief in Equity for that Reason, and because she must come there for a Partition. *Moor v. Black*, T. 9 G. 2. C. T. T. 126.]

If the Sheriff by Collusion assigns a Third for Dower more valuable than either of the other third Parts of the Estate; the Court will direct a new Assignment. 1 *Ver.* 218. 2 *Ca. Ch.* 160. *Eq. Abr.* 220.

So, tho' there is not any Collusion in the Sheriff, when the Assignment is not equal. 2 *Ca. Ch.* 160.

So, if the Husband covenants that the Jointure shall be of such a Value, the Wife may bring a Bill in Equity for Discovery of Assets and Satisfaction, tho' Equity does not decree Damages; but the Master upon such a Bill shall report the Deficiency, and the Court will decree a Satisfaction, or a Trial. *Eq. Abr.* 18.

If A. makes a fraudulent Conveyance and afterwards marries, his Wife shall have Relief against it. *Eq. Abr.* 220.

So a Woman shall be allowed her Dower, tho' Land is devised to her for Life, and all the Real Estate to another, if it be not in Satisfaction of Dower. *Cont. per Lord Somers.* *Acc. per Wright*, 2 *Ver.* 365.* *Vide Ante*, (3 E. 1.)

So the Wife of one, who had the Trust of a Copyhold, where the Custom allows to the Wife her *Free-Bench*, if the Trustees refuse to surrender to the Husband, shall be allowed her *Free-Bench* in Equity. *R.* 2 *Ver.* 585. * *R. Acc. in Parliament. Eq. Abr.* 218, 219.

So a Woman shall not be restrained from having her Dower, where the Hus- band makes a Settlement upon her in Consideration of the Marriage Portion, if it is not expressed to be in Bar of Dower, and it does not appear to be expressly intended. *R. Eq. Ca.* 152.*

[A general Provision for a Wife is not a Bar of Dower, unless expressed so to be; neither a general Devise of Lands, nor a Bond for Money; but if it is expressed to be for her Livelihood and Maintenance, it is a Bar. *Tinney v. Tinney*, M. 1743. 3 *Atkyns* 8.]

[But a Jointure made with Approbation of Parents and Guardians on an Infant shall not be set aside because it is inadequate to the Dower, unless it appears to be a mere elusory Jointure. *Harvey v. Ashley*, P. 1748. 3 *Atkyns* 607.]

[And if a Jointure is made after Marriage, and the Widow, still an Infant, without doing any Act to determine her Election during her Infancy marries again, and the second Husband enters on the Jointure-Estate, that Entry binds them during Coverture.] *Ibid.*

If the Wife joins in a Fine to a Mortgagee, for barring her Dower, upon an Agreement by the Husband, that she shall have the Equity of Redemption in Lieu of Dower, and afterwards the Husband makes two other Mortgages; the Agreement for the Redemption will be fraudulent as to the subsequent Mortgages, but the Wife shall have her Dower in Equity, notwithstanding the Fine. R. 1 *Ver.* 294. *Eq. Abr.* 219.

If a Personal Estate is vested in Trustees upon Trust to pay 100 *l.* per Ann. to the Wife in Lieu of Dower; tho' she accepts it for many Years, if the Personal Estate afterwards proves deficient, she shall be supplied out of the Real Estate. R. *Ch. R.* 134.

If A. devises Land for Payment of his Debts and Legacies, and afterwards to his Son in Fee; the Wife of the Son shall have Dower, from the Time the Debts and Legacies are paid, tho' her Husband dies before that Time. R. 2 *Ver.* 404. *Eq. Abr.* 218.

But a Woman Tenant in Dower shall not have the Benefit of a Term to attend the Inheritance. R. 1 *Ver.* 357. *Ca. Parl.* 69. *Vide Post*, (4 G. 5.—4 W. 19, 22.)

[If A. purchases of B. a Real Estate in Mortgage for a Term, and it is agreed to pay off the Mortgage out of the Purchase-money, and to assign the Term to attend the Inheritance, which is done, B.'s Widow shall not have Dower. *Hill v. Adams*, T. 1741. 2 *Atkyns* 208.]

So a Woman, intitled to Dower of a Manor, shall not have a third Part of the improved Values of Copyholds, which her Husband enfranchised after Marriage. *Ca. Ch.* 246, 7.

[If Husband dies intitled to Copyhold Estates in a Manor whereof he is Lord, and the Sheriff estimates them upon the Writ of Inquiry for ascertaining the Dower, this Court will set aside the Assignment of Dower; and of such Estates as the Husband became intitled to by Copy of Court-roll, and granted out again by Copy of Court-roll, the Wife shall not have Dower; and as to Lands whereon Leases for Lives or Years were renewed by the Husband, of those which were not actually expired at the Renewal, she shall not have Dower for the instantaneous Seisin, but of those which were expired, she shall. *Sneyd v. Sneyd*, T. 1738. 1 *Atk.* 442.]

So a Woman shall not have Relief for Dower of an Estate, which was in Trust for her Husband. 1 *Ch. R.* 254. *Eq. Abr.* 217.

So, if the Husband purchases Land of A. who has only an Estate for Life; but covenants that he in the Reversion shall convey, and he conveys to the Heir of the Husband; the Wife shall not have Relief in Equity for her Dower; for her Husband was not seised, but only for the Life of A. R. *Ch. R.* 369.

So, if A. purchases *Whiteacre* of B. who makes him a Lease of *Blackacre* for securing the Purchase, and dies, and his Son enters; the Wife of the Son shall not have Dower, other than subject to the Term. *Eq. Abr.* 219.

So, if a Wife having a Jointure of 400 *l.* per Ann. joins in a Sale thereof with her Husband, who afterwards settles 150 *l.* per Ann. on Himself for Life, and afterwards on his Wife and the Heirs of her Body (without an Agreement that other Land should be settled in Recompence) and afterwards dies without Issue, and the Wife suffers a Recovery, and devises for Payment of her Debts; he in the Remainder shall be aided against the Devisee; for it was a Forfeiture within the St. 11 H. 7. R. *Eq. Abr.* 220.

So, if the Husband gives a Bond to settle Land upon his Wife for Life, and afterwards to the Children; she shall be barred of her Dower. *Per King, 5 Geo. 2, 17.*

So, a Wife shall not have a Provision by her Husband for her Jointure, and also a Distribution upon the *St. 22 & 23 Car. 2. Vide Ante, (3 D. 2.)*

[When the Husband dies seized, there shall be no mesne Profits till Demand; when he does not die seized, there shall be no mesne Profits; when the Widow is in Possession she may have Remedy at Law, if he have any Right to mesne Profits. *Delver v. Hunter, in Sc. H. 1719. Bunb. 57.*]

(3 F) Equity.

(3 F. 1.) Relief, when allowed in Equity.

A Court of Equity will give Aid principally in Cases of Fraud, Accident, and Trust. *Vide Ante, (C. 2.—Z.) Post (3 M. 1.—4. W. 1.)*

And Equity will give Relief in such Cases, tho' it is agreed, that no Relief shall be prayed in Equity. *1 Mod. 305.*

So Equity will relieve, tho' the Party himself upon Oath in a former Answer, &c. denied his Right to it. *Vide Post, (4 W. 5.)*

Tho' the Party has obtained a Judgment at Law. *Vide Post, (3 W.)*

[On a Bill against Judgment, on an absolute Promissory Note, suggesting that the Note was agreed to be conditional, Plaintiff was relieved, and was permitted to give Parol Evidence of the Intent of a Note in Writing Underhand. *Snowball v. Vicaris, T. 10 G. Bunb. 175.*]

[On a Bill against a Judgment, on Proof that two Notes, which would have been a Defence at Law, were mislaid at the Trial, and since found. *Vernon v. Minskul, T. 1724. Bunb. 178.*]

[On a Bill against a Judgment, by Default on a South-Sea Contract, and Issue directed to try whether the Defendant was possessed of the Stock. *N. B. It appeared Plaintiff had been guilty of Subornation of Perjury. Anstruther v. Christie, T. 1724. Bunb. 178.*]

[A. files a Bill against B. his Father, to recover (*inter alia*) 20,000 l. on Bond, conditioned to pay 10,000 l. and Interest, B. demurs, for that Plaintiff has Remedy at Law, Demurrer allowed, A. brings Action, and on *solvit ad diem* pleaded, obtains a Verdict; then B. files Bill, shewing the Bond to be voluntary, intended to be of Force only till some Settlement made, that he had since given him 10,000 l. on Marriage, covenanted to give him 10,000 l. more, settled 1,000 l. *per Annum* in Land in Possession on him, transferred larger Quantities of Stock to him, the Bond thirty Years standing and no Demand; he shall have Injunction. *Humphreys v. Humphreys, M. 1735. 3 P. W. 395.*]

Tho' the Contract be made originally by, or with the King himself. *Hard. 373.*

[If Plaintiff brings Bill for Discovery of Coals wrought under his Land, and for Satisfaction against several Defendants, some Executors, some Administrators, and it would be difficult for him to proceed at Law, the Court will retain the Bill. *Taylor v. Crompton, M. 1721. Bunb. 95.*]

[A Bill may be brought for a Preacher's Pension only. *Bailey v. Cornes, M. 1724. Bunb. 183.*]

[If an Heir (of Age) is imposed upon, by a Tradesman's selling to him at exorbitant Prices in many Instances, the Court will relieve, not if in one Instance only. *Berkley Freeman v. Bishop, P. 1740. 2 Atkyns 39.*]

[The Court will relieve an Heir against Fraud, whether the Estate in Expectancy is to come from his Father, or from any other Relation. *Ibid.*]

[If a Mortgage is taken to secure such Price, the Court will relieve as far as the unjust Gain, but for what is found due on *quantum meruit* it shall stand good. *Ibid.*]

[If A. puts Mortgages into the Hands of B. to receive the Money, and he pawns them to C. for 100 l. for which he gives his Note, and takes C.'s to restore them on Payment, C. shall be decreed to deliver them to A. and take his Remedy at Law against B. on his Note. *Jackson v. Butler, P. 1742. 2 Atkyns 306.*]

(3 F. 1.)
In Cases of
Fraud, Acci-
dent, and
Trust.

[Where one Party sets up a Title inconsistent with the Title set up by another Party, and fails in his own Claim, yet he may appear to have a Right to something under the other's Claim, and the Court will not deprive him of it. *Bennet v. Lee, H. 1742. 2 Atkyns 529.*]

[Shares in Waterworks (as the *New River*) tho' a legal Estate and corporeal Inheritance, are properly sued for in this Court. *Ld. Townshend v. Windham Afb. P. 1745. 3 Atkyns 336.*]

[If an Estate has been sold by *A.* to *B.* and the Money paid, and it appears that the Estate was *B.*'s, the Money shall be refunded with Interest for bringing the Bill, tho' there was no Fraud. *Bingham v. Bingham, M. 1748. 1 Vezey 126.*]

[If a Deed is destroyed or concealed by Defendant, Plaintiff may have Relief in Equity. *Whitfield v. Fausset, H. 1749. 1 Vezey 387.*]

[Or if the Deed is lost, and Plaintiff cannot recover at Law without a *Profert*, he shall have Relief in Equity. *Ibid.*]

[If a Bill prays specific Performance, and also general Relief, and the Court will not decree the specific Performance, it will not give Relief on the general Prayer, if inconsistent with the particular Relief prayed. *Legal v. Miller, T. 1751. 2 Vezey 299.*]

(3 F. 2.)
Where the
Transaction is
done *malâ*
Fidr.

So Equity will relieve where an Act is against good Conscience, tho' Fraud is denied: As, where a Man sues at Common Law, for a violent retaking of Money won by Play; an Injunction shall be granted. *1 Ver. 489, 490.*

If *A.* unseals and displaces Writings delivered to his Custody, by which Evidence may be suppressed; his Demands shall be disallowed, tho' he swears that all the Papers are produced. *1 Ver. 452.*

If a Trustee purchases the Estate for Life of the Husband at an Under-value, when he absconds from his Creditors, *Chancery* will direct a Reconveyance, for the Benefit of Creditors, upon Repayment of Principal and Interest. *1 Ver. 465.*

[If a Lease is made of an Estate belonging to a Church, by a Deceit on the Court by the Rector, who takes a Fine, tho' not mentioned in the Proposal laid before the Master, his Executor shall refund the Fine, to be laid out in Purchase for Benefit of Successors; but the Lease shall stand good, if the Lessee was not privy. *Galley v. Baker, T. 9 G. 2. C. T. T. 199.*]

If a Man advances Sums of Money to Young Persons, and takes joint Securities of them for large Sums, each of them shall have his Security delivered up to him, upon Payment of the Money advanced to himself. *1 Ver. 467.*

[If a Father intrusts his Heir (an Infant) to a Servant, the Son comes of age, and gives Bond for 1000 *l.* to the Servant, unknown to the Father, and not having wherewith to pay it, Equity will set aside the Bond, as obtained by Fraud and a Breach of Trust. *Osmond v. Fitzroy, M. 1731. 3 P. W. 129.*]

[But Equity will not set aside a Bond, if there is no Fraud or Breach of Trust, merely because the Obligor is a weak Man. *Ibid.*]

[If *A.* sells an Annuity for his own Life to *B.* with a Clause of Redemption in three Years, and eleven Years after *A.* applies to *B.* to redeem, which he refuses; the Court will order a Redemption, on Payment of the Annuity to the Time of the Application to redeem, and the principal Sum advanced, without Interest from that Time. The Annuity was purchased at seven and an half Years Purchase, which seems a fair Price. *Stanbope v. Cope, M. 1741. 2 Atkyns 231.*]

[If *A.* intitled to an Annuity on personal Security of 200 *l. per Annum*, being a Prisoner, sells to *B.* 150 *l. per Annum*, Part of it, for 1050 *l.* with Proviso that if *A.* desires at any Time to purchase back said 50 *l.* on six Months Notice, *B.* on Payment of said 1050 *l.* (all Arrears of Annuity being paid) shall resign; and there is an Indorsement, that if *A.* should repurchase or redeem, he shall pay 75 *l.* more; this is unreasonable, vitiates the Whole, and the Agreement shall be set aside. *B.* shall reconvey, on Payment of Principal, Interest at 5 *l. per Cent.* and what Money has been actually paid for Insurance; and if he is overpaid by Receipt of the Annuity, he shall refund. *Lawley v. Horper, M. 1745. 3 Atkyns 278.*]

So, if *A.* sells an Office in the Army to *B.* and afterwards procures him to be turned out. *2 Ca. Ch. 82, 3.*

If

If a Barrister at Law undertakes the Recovery of an Estate to which *B.* hath a Right, and obtains of *B.* a Bond to surrender to him a Moiety of the Estate, when it shall be recovered; he shall be decreed to deliver up the Bond, and re-transfer the Estate, upon Payment of the Whole by him expended, with an Allowance for his Care. *R. Ch. R. 477.*

So, if a Trustee for *A.* takes a Security for 600 *l.* with his Privity, of *B.* and afterwards for 600 *l.* assigns it to *C.* who relies upon the Word of the Trustee; *A.* shall be relieved against *C.* tho' both are defrauded; for *C.* put the greater Confidence in the Trustee. *2 Ca. Ch. 77.*

[If an Attorney for the Seller on the Sale of an Estate does not disclose to the Buyer an Incumbrance, he is liable to make Satisfaction. *Arnot v. Biscoe, T. 1748: 1 Vezey 95.*]

If an Administrator during the Minority of an Infant sells, as his own, the Stock of the Infant, in the *East-India Company*, to *B.* who by Entries in the Books of the Company hath Notice that it was the Stock of the Infant; the Infant shall be relieved against *B.* *R. Ch. R. 298.*

[If it is alledged that a Promissory Note for a large Sum was given to induce a Man to withdraw a Suit, and deliver up a Note of a third Person, (and this not with Intention of paying the Money, but as a Security of procuring a Living for him,) and the Note itself and the Consideration denied, the Court will (without sending the Question of Forgery to Trial) order the Note to be left with the Register, and if not sued in reasonable Time, to be delivered up. *Bishop of Winchester (Hoadly) v. Fournier, T. 1752. 2 Vezey 445.*]

(3 F. 3.) When not.

But a Man, who will not do Equity, shall not have Relief in Equity; as, if a Jointress hath a Lease, which she confesses was to attend the Inheritance; on a Bill brought by the Heir for Deeds in her Possession, on a Confirmation of her Jointure, she shall not have her Jointure confirmed, without delivering up the Lease. *1 Ver. 480.*

(3 F. 3.)
If a Man will
not do Equity.

If *A.* sues *B.* who purchased in Trust for him, and paid the Money for making the Conveyance; on Repayment, *A.* ought also to pay all other Monies due from him to *B.* *2 Ca. Ch. 87.*

[If *A.* has a Judgment against *B.* and also a Mortgage on his Estate, without Notice that *C.* has a Judgment subsequent to *A.*'s Judgment, but prior to the Mortgage; Equity will not direct a Sale of *B.*'s Estate on a Suit of *C.* and Consent of *B.* unless *C.* will pay off the subsequent Mortgage as well as the prior Judgment. *Smithson v. Thompson, M. 1739. 1 Atkyns 520.*]

[This Rule does not extend to all Cases, so as to tack together Things independent in their Nature, but the Court will lay hold of any Circumstance for it, as Danger from absconding or living abroad. So, if *A.* is decreed to account to *B.* who ought to convey an Estate to *A.* who has often absconded, *A.* shall account before *B.* shall convey. *Shish v. Foster, H. 1747. 1 Vezey 88.*]

If an Heir comes to redeem a Mortgage made by his Father, he ought also to discharge the Bond of his Father, in which the Heir is bound, or other Mortgage, defective, made by his Ancestor, before a Redemption shall be allowed him. *Vide Post, (4 A. 10.)*

[If Tenant in Tail pays off a Mortgage without taking an Assignment of it, the Remainder-man shall pay it to his Representative, or he shall not have an Assignment from the Mortgagee. *Kirkham v. Smith, T. 1749. 1 Vezey 258.*]

If a Man sues Trustees for the Portion of his Wife, he ought to make a suitable Settlement. *Vide Post, (3 Z. 5, 6.)*

If a Man devises Lands in Tail to one Son, and in Fee to another; the Son, who claims the Land in Fee under the Will, ought to release his Interest to the Land intailed, to the other; & *e Contra. 2 Ver. 582.*

But if a Corporation, Trustees for a Charity, make a Lease and covenant in Consideration of 100 *l.* to be expended by the Lessee for Repairs, to renew, and the

the Lessee covenants to pay an additional Rent; the Rent shall be paid, tho' the Corporation is not compelled to renew. *R. 2 Ver. 412.*

(3 F. 4.)
If his Actions
are wrongful.

So, if an Obligor prays Relief from the Penalty of a Bond given to maintain a Bastard, and for Payment of 50 *l.* to the Woman; if it appears that he was a Suitor to the Woman, and abused her, he shall not have Relief, tho' he brings the 50 *l.* into Court. *R. 2 Ca. Ch. 15.*

So, if a Man, by Practice, obtains a Bond of 1600 *l.* upon the Loan of 90 *l.* he shall not have Relief out of the Trust Estate of the Obligor, for any Part of the Debt, tho' 90 *l.* was *bonâ fide* due. *R. Ca. Ch. 202.*

If a Woman, who elopes, and is divorced *a Mensa & Thoro*, sues for a Settlement made by her Husband for Alimony, she shall not be aided. *1 Ver. 53. Semb.*

If there is a Covenant that Tin shall be delivered Custom-free to *B.* and the Tin is afterwards seized for the Customs; *B.* shall not be relieved. *Ca. Ch. 256.*

(3 F. 5.)
Tho' a Man's
Expectation
is frustrated.

So Equity will not give Relief against a Contract by *A.* tho' his Expectation is frustrated, where no Default was on the other Side: As, if a Bond be to give 100 *l.* to *B.* if he surrenders his Office, which is with an Intent that the Obligor should obtain it; if he does not obtain it, if *B.* surrendered, he shall not be relieved. *R. 1 Ver. 98, 9.*

[If *A.* agrees with *B.* for a Number of Tickets at a stated Price, and all Profit to be *A.*'s, but he loses by them; the Court will not relieve, even if it was a hard Bargain, unless there is Fraud or undue Means. *Willis v. Fernegan, H. 1741. 2 Atkyns 251.*]

(3 F. 5.)
Nor when a
reasonable
Benefit has
accrued to
another by
Law.

So Equity does not take away a reasonable Benefit, which accrues to another by strict Rules of Law; as, if a Marriage Settlement is made to *A.* for Life, and afterwards to his first, second and other Sons in Tail Male, and if no Son living at the Death of *A.* to the Use of his Daughters, till such Portions paid; *A.* dies having Daughters, but no Son living, his Wife *privement enseint* with a Son, afterwards born; Equity will not take away the Portions vested by Accident in the Daughters, tho' contrary to the Intent of the Parties, if it is a reasonable Provision. *Semb. 2 Ver. 579.*

[If *A.* Mother of *B.* Wife of *C.* is seised in Tail *ex Provisiōe Viri* of Lands, Reversion in Fee to her Husband, and *B.* and *C.* create a Mortgage-term on these Lands, and *A.* joins in levying Fine to the Use of the Mortgagee, Remainder to such Uses as *C.* shall appoint, or in Default to him and his Heirs; and before this *C.* has sold an Estate to *D.* and covenanted for quiet Enjoyment, and afterwards makes an Appointment to Trustees of *B.*'s Estate; *D.* is evicted, *C.* dies, *A.* dies; if it does not appear that the Breach of *C.*'s Covenant by the Eviction of *D.* happened before the Appointment made by *C.* the Court will not grant Relief. *White v. Sansom, H. 1746. 3 Atkyns 410.*]

[The Court will not relieve against a Master's Right to his Apprentice's Earnings, who quits his Service before his Time, (tho' he goes to Sea and takes a great Prize, but in that Case recommends them to compound, and favourably for the Apprentice.) *Meriton v. Hornsby, M. 1747. 1 Vezey 48. Hill v. Allen, H. 1747. 1 Vezey 83.*]

(3 F. 7.)
Nor against a
Statute.

So Equity will never give Relief against a Provision by Act of Parliament: As, if a Lease by a Bishop, &c. is void; tho' the Lessee has Equity against the Bishop, he shall not be relieved against his Successor; for the Stat. which makes the Lease void, does not save any equitable Right. *Ca. Ch. 227.*

[If a Trustee, in Breach of Trust, presents a Man to a Living; after six Months Plenarty this Court will not give Relief, for it is against Stat. *Westminster 2d. Boteler v. Allington, H. 1746. 3 Atkyns 453.*]

So, if a Court erected by Act of Parliament determines a Thing, within their Jurisdiction, there shall be no Relief in Equity. *R. Ch. R. 320.*

[But if new Act of Parliament is made to alter the Law, and the Judges are formal in adhering to Rules of Law, and will not construe according to the Words and Intentions

Intentions of the Act, (tho' it is their Business to mould their Practice so as to render it conformable to the Legislature,) there Equity will take it up, and give Remedy. *Basset v. Basset*, M. 1744. [3 *Atkyns* 203.]

Nor contrary to an express Maxim of the Common Law, unless in Case of Fraud, &c. as, if an Obligee releases to one Obligor only, he shall not have Aid against the other, tho' he did not intend to release the other. R. 1 *Rel.* 374. l. 21. (3 F. 8.) Or a Maxim at Law.

If a Deed or Will is not duly executed, Equity will not relieve. 2 *Ver.* 475. If one Executor receives and releases the whole Debt, the other shall not be relieved. *Mo.* 620.

Or, one Jointenant; tho' there was a Bill against the Debtor, or an Agreement to divide the Debts.

So, there shall be no Relief against a Descent according to the Rules of Law, tho' the Estate is in Trust. 2 *P. W.* 668, 9.

[If a Man has lost his Right by a legal Bar, he can have no Remedy. *Brereton v. Gamul*, H. 1741. 2 *Atkyns* 240.]

But upon Circumstances, Chancery will direct contrary to a Rule in Law, As, upon a Bill, it will change the Venue to another County, by reason of the great Power of the Defendant in the proper County. 1 *Ver.* 439.

So, if the Plaintiff has equal Relief and Benefit by the Law; as upon a Bill by the Executors of the Husband, to be relieved against a Contract of the Wife, because she had eloped, and had a separate Maintenance, and that it was known to the Defendant; for this is a good Defence to an Action at Law. 1 *Ver.* 71. (3 F. 9.) Not where the Plaintiff has the same Relief by Law.

So if a Bill be against an Executor for Debt, tho' the Debt is proved in Equity, the Plaintiff shall not be relieved till a Recovery in an Action at Law; and then he shall have an Account whether there are Assets. R. 2 *Ver.* 192.

[But if a Bill be brought to discover Assets and Payment of a Bond, and there is no Dispute as to the Bond or Assets, Equity will provide for the Payment of the Debt. *Heath v. Percival*, M. 7 G. *Str.* 403. *Bishop v. Church*, M. 1750. 2 *Vezey* 100.]

[Where the Executor or Administrator confesses a liquidated Debt, there Discovery draws on Relief, otherwise not. P. Gilbert Chief Baron. *Alpot v. Thompson*, in Sc. P. 1726. *Bunb.* 29.]

[If on coming in of Answer to a Bill for Discovery of Assets and Relief, Plaintiff makes his Election to proceed at Law, yet he may afterwards, on agreeing to drop that Part of the Bill which prays Relief, have the Order of Election discharged. *Fitzgerald v. Sucomb*, M. 1740. 2 *Atkyns* 85.]

[If the Representative of an Intestate is seeking to give Preference by confessing Judgments, the Court will let Plaintiff proceed at Law to get Judgment with Stay of Execution, and in this Court for Discovery of Assets, at the same Time. *Barker v. Dumaresque*, H. 1740. 2 *Atkyns* 119.]

[If there is a Judgment obtained for a Partnership Debt against A. surviving Partner and one of the Executors of B. and A. gives a Mortgage on the separate Estate of B. Equity will order Satisfaction out of the Mortgage, without sending them to Law. *Jacomb v. Harwood*, P. 1751. 2 *Vezey* 265.]

If an Executor pleads to three Actions, No Assets ultra 100 l. where he hath only 100 l. Assets in toto; he shall not be relieved in Equity; for it was his own Fault to plead negligently. 1 *Ver.* 119.

So Equity does not aid, if the Defendant by the Mistake of his Attorney pleads an improper Plea. R. 2 *Ver.* 325.

[If a Bill is brought to discover Assets and for Relief, the Court will grant Relief if the Defendant joins Issue, not if he demurs. *Depuis v. D. of Kingston*, T. 1718. *Thomas v. Williams*, in Sc. M. 1718. *Bunb.* 29.]

So Equity does not give the same Relief, which the Plaintiff may have by an Action at Law.

[If a Bill is brought for Treasure-trove, Plaintiff shall have no Relief; for he might have brought Action of Trover; and Bill dismissed with Costs. *Sloane v. Heathfield*, in Sc. M. 1717. *Bunb.* 18.]

[A Bill for several Tolls, where the Decree would bind only the Defendants, dismissed. *Dunlop v. Robertson*, in Sc. (P. 1719). *Harding v. Alinge*, T. 1719. *Bond and The City of Exeter*, Bunb. 111.]

[But if a Fee-farm Rent is reserved, it gives the Court of Exchequer Jurisdiction. *Per Montague B. cat. dissent. Attorney-general v. Eyre*, in Sc. M. 1720. Bunb. 68.]

[Bill for a Toll due to a Town does not lie, tho' a Fee-farm Rent is payable by the Town. *Nottingham v. Wood*, M. 1733. Bunb. 330.]

[Bill for Beaconsage dismissed. *Mayor of Boston v. Jackson*, H. 1721. Bunb. 101.]

[So for Suit of Court. *Thornbush v. Hartshorn*.]

[So for Fee-farm Rent, or Law-day Silver. *Pynsent v. Skillings*, T. 1727. Bunb. 237.]

[A Bill to have the Enjoyment of a Watercourse, and Damages for stopping it, does not lie. *Reynolds v. Hind*, P. 1729. Bunb. 264.]

[If A. gives voluntary Deed to pay B. 60l. per Ann. with Power to distrain on Lands, or to pay B. 1000l. with Interest, and B. brings Bill, setting forth, that the Lands are incumbered, and to be paid one or the other, and A. brings Cross-bill, and at the Hearing B. does not prove that the Lands were so incumbered that she knew not where to distrain, the Court will retain the Bill till B. has tried her Remedy at Law. *Thurkettle v. Howarth*, M. 1727. Bunb. 241.]

[If a Bill is brought for Wharfage, &c. and Defendant admits Plaintiff's Right, but sets up an Exemption for a particular Place, the Court will not dismiss the Bill, but will give Leave to bring an Action at Law. *Town of Poole v. Bennet*, T. 1729. Bunb. 270.]

[Bill for Discovery and Relief against Defendants, who broke into Intestate's Room, and took away Money, Bonds, &c. does not lie, if Defendants deny the Equity. *Kerlake v. Pannel*, T. 1730. Bunb. 287.]

[A single Copyholder is not relievable in Equity against an excessive Fine; but several Copyholders are against a general Fine. *Cowper v. Clark*, M. 1732. 3 P. W. 155.]

[Disputes between Masters and Apprentices are no Foundation for coming into Equity. *Argles v. Heafeman*, M. 1739. 1 Atkyns 518.]

[This Court cannot set aside a Will for Fraud, but only direct an Issue *deviseavit vel non*; for a Will of Personal Estate may be set aside in the Ecclesiastical Court for Fraud, and of Real Estate at Law. *Powis v. Andrews*, H. 1723. *Bennet v. Vade*, T. 1742. 2 Atkyns 324.]

[A Person claiming Lands under Marriage Articles and Settlement, which he has in his Custody, and where no Terms are standing out, must establish his Title at Law before he can come into this Court for Deeds and Writings. *Warrick v. Warrick*, H. 1745. 3 Atkyns 291.]

[If Plaintiff comes properly into this Court, (as for Discovery of Deeds, and to have them produced, or for an Account of Rents and Profits,) it will determine a Matter of Law. *Ld. Townshend v. Windham Ash*, P. 1745. 3 Atkyns 336.]

[A Bill for an Account and Share of Prize-Money does not lie against the Representative of an Admiral; the Remedy is at Law against the Agents for Captures. *Ogle v. Representatives of Haddock*, M. 1748. 1 Vezey 161.]

[If A. loses B. a Banker's Notes, payable to him or Bearer, and B. offers to pay the Money, on the usual Security to indemnify; A. dies without doing it, and his Representative, seven Years after, brings Bill for Payment, but there is no Affidavit of the Loss, nor Offer of Indemnity; this Court will not relieve, but leave him to Action at Law. *Whalmfley v. Child*, M. 1749. 1 Vezey 341.]

[If there is a List of Bank-notes in a Testator's Writing, some marked paid, others unpaid, and these have not appeared in many Years, and are supposed to be lost, and the Executor swears he believes Testator had lost them, and offers to give Security, yet the Court will not order Payment; for the Testator's Hand is no Evidence here more than at Law, therefore the same Remedy at Law. *Glynn v. Bank of England*, M. 1750. 2 Vezey 38.]

[A Creditor

[A Creditor by *Elegit* executed may have Relief against a fraudulent Conveyance, tho' he might have Relief at Law. *Bennet v. Musgrave*, M. 1750. 2 *Vezey* 51.]

[If the precedent Conveyance is only voluntary, without other Fraud, subsequent Purchaser for valuable Consideration shall be left to his Remedy at Law. *Ibid.*]

[If *A.* treats with *B.* for the Loan of Money, *A.* dies abroad, which *B.* not knowing pays it to *C.* his Agent, who remits it in Bullion, *A.*'s Executors receive it, and remit it back to England to the Executors of *A.*'s Father; *B.* cannot have Relief against them, but must try it at Law against *C.* or the Executors of *A.* abroad. *Eyre v. Eyre*, M. 1750. 2 *Vezey* 86.]

Nor will it give Relief in Execution of a Sentence of an Ecclesiastical Judge; as for the quieting of the Possession of a Pew in the Church, after a Decree for it by the Ordinary. 2 *Ver.* 226.

[If *Spoilation* or Suppression of a Will is clear, the Court will give Relief without making the Plaintiff cite the Defendant in the Spiritual Court, or directing an Issue at Law. *Tucker v. Phipps*, T. 1746. 3 *Atkyns* 359.]

Nor, against Churchwardens, to enforce the signing of a Rate to reimburse what the Party had expended by Order of Vestry, after they are out of their Office. 2 *Ver.* 262.

[The Court will not receive a Suit relating to Church Rates, for the Ecclesiastical Courts have Jurisdiction; unless Prescription is alledged. *Anon.* T. 1752. 2 *Vezey* 451.]

But where a Man has Privilege in the Court, he may sue there for a Matter for which he has an Action at Law: As, a Solicitor may have a Bill for Fees in a Suit in Chancery. 1 *Ver.* 203.

Yet to such a Bill a Plea, good at Law shall be allowed; as, that he did not deliver a Bill signed pursuant to the St. 3 *Jac.* 6. 1 *Ver.* 312.

(3 G) Executor.

(3 G. 1.) Stands in the Place of the Testator.

CHANCERY will decree an Interest vested in the Testator to his Executor, tho' he is not named; as, if a Legacy is given to *A.* and if he dies under Age, to *B.* and *C.* or the Survivor; *B.* and *C.* die, and then *A.* dies under Age; the Legacy shall be decreed to the Executor of the Survivor. R. 2 *Vent.* 347.

If a Bond is upon Condition to pay Money to *A.* upon such a Day, and he dies before the Day; it shall be paid to his Executor, or Administrator. 3 *Leo.* 212.

If an Executor makes a Lease, rendring Rent, his Administrator shall have the Rent, and not the Administrator *de bonis, &c.* 1 *Ver.* 94.

If a Bond is given to pay a Sum of Money, for Owelty of Partition, to the other Parcener; the Executor or Administrator of the Obligee shall have it, and not the Heir. 1 *Ver.* 133.

If Money is paid to the Remembrancer in the Exchequer, who imbezils it, a Bill lies for Relief, by his Successor against his Executor. Ca. Ch. 300.

If Goods are devised to be sold for the Purchase of Lands for *A.* who dies without Issue before the Purchase made; the Executor of *A.* shall have them. 1 *Ch. R.* 204.

If a Term is vested in Trustees for Payment of 1000 *l.* to *A.* his eldest Son, and every other Child not married or provided for; *A.* was then married and had 40 *l.* per Ann. for the Life of his Father, but no other Provision, and died before his Father; the Executor of *A.* shall have the 1000 *l.* 1 *Ch. R.* 258.

But, if upon an Assignment of a Statute to the Conusor by the Administrator *de bonis non* of the Conusee, the Conusor covenants to pay the Money to him, his Executors or Administrators, and the Administrator dies; the Money shall be decreed to the Executor of the Administrator, and not to a new Administrator *de bonis non, &c.* no Debts of the first Intestate appearing to be due. 2 *Vent.* 362.

So, if a Man is bound to pay Money to such Person as *A.* by Will shall nominate, who does not nominate, but makes *B.* his Executor; *B.* shall not have

have the Money; for it ought to be an Assignee in Fact that shall take. *R. Hob. 9.*

(3 G 2.) What Things he is compellable to do in Equity.

An Executor is compellable in *Chancery* to pay Legacies. *Vide Post. (3 Y. 13.) P. W. 575.*

[If *A.* puts his Will in his Nephew *B.*'s Hands, his Executor and residuary Legatee, with Intention to reconsider it, which he does before a Witness, his Nephew *C.* reminds him of 100*l.* he intends to leave him, *A.* allows it, desires *B.* to pay it, who promises it, and offers his Bond or Note for it; and again after *A.*'s Death promises to pay it; *B.* shall be decreed to pay it, not personally, but out of Assets, and a Debt due from *A.* to *C.* shall be deducted, being deemed satisfied by Implication. *Reech v. Kennegal, M. 1748. 1 Vezey 123. 1 Wils. 227.*]

[If an Executor pays all Legacies but one, and never exhibits an Inventory, his Representative, admitting Assets of him, shall pay that Legacy. *Onr v. Kaines, H. 1750. 2 Vezey 193.*]

If he is guilty of a *Devastavit*, his Executor or Administrator shall be liable (if he has Assets) to the Debts of the first Testator, to the *Quantum* of the Goods wasted. *Ca. Ch. 257.*

If any one administers, without Authority, the Executor shall be compelled to allow all Payments, to which he himself would have been liable. *R. Ca. Ch. 33.*

A fortiori such Payments shall be allowed to an Executor *de son tort.* *Ca. Ch. 33.*

If Money is to remain in the Hands of an Executor, till Payment to Infants, when of full Age; *Chancery* will compel him to give Security for it.

And to pay Interest. *2 Ca. Ch. 152. Vide Post, (3 S. 4, 5.)*

[If a Term for Years and Personal Estate is devised to *A.* an Infant, and if he dies, and his Mother has no Children, to *B.* and *A.* dies; tho' the Mother is living, and may have a Child, yet the Court will direct an Account and Discovery of the Estate, to secure it to *B.* in case the Contingency happens. *Studholme v. Hodgson, T. 1734. 3 P. W. 300.*]

[If one charges the Residue of his Personal Estate with an Annuity to his Wife, payable quarterly, the Court will order the Executor to bring Securities before the Master, to be set apart to answer it, tho' usually when the Will does not require Security, neither does the Court. *Slanning v. Styles, M. 1734. 3 P. W. 334.*]

[The Court will not take the Assets out of the Hands of an Executor by appointing a Receiver, because the Executor is poor, if no Appearance of Fraud. *Hathornthwaite v. Russel, H. 1740. 2 Atkyns 126.*]

[But if the Executrix is a *Feme-covert*, whose Husband was in *England* at the making of the Will, but at Testator's Death in the *West-Indies*, and in bad Circumstances, the Court will appoint a Receiver. *Taylor v. Allen, M. 1741. 2 Atkyns 213.*]

[If there has been a Verdict at Common Law against a Will, on Account of the Testator's Infanity, and the Executor insists, that such Verdict affecting the Real Estate only, he may still support the Will in the Ecclesiastical Court, and gather Testator's Assets; this Court will order the Executor to pay in what he has received to the Bank, to the Account of the Accountant-general, and will appoint a Receiver to pay into the Bank with Accountant-general's Privity, whilst the Validity of the Will is contesting in the Commons. *Montgomery v. Clark, M. 1742. 2 Atkyns 378.*]

[If *A.* is intitled by Covenant of *B.* to 2000*l.* after the Death of *B.*'s Widow and Executrix, who has an Interest for Life in the Fund out of which it is to come, she shall be obliged to set apart the Fund in her Life-time. *Johnson v. Mills, T. 1749. 1 Vezey 282.*]

[On a Bill by Heir at Law to contravert a Will of Real Estate, the Court will not appoint a Receiver, because there is a Dispute in the Ecclesiastical Court concerning the Probate. *Knight v. Dupleffis, M. 1749. 1 Vezey 324.*]

So, if he receives Money put out upon Mortgage; he shall be compelled to place it out at Interest. 2 *Ca. Ch.* 21.

So, if he compels Payment, and places the Money out at Interest; he shall account for the Interest, tho' he takes the Security at his Peril. *R. cont.* 2 *Ca. Ch.* 21. *R. Acc.* 2 *Ca. Ch.* 152.

Otherwise, where he is compelled to receive it. 2 *Ca. Ch.* 21.

[If an Executor admits Assets, the Decree shall be Personal against him; if the Fund has been out at Interest, for Interest also; and if he has misbehaved (as if he has obtained a Release without a Consideration) for Costs also. *Horsley v. Chaloner*, *M.* 1750. 2 *Vezey* 83.]

[Unless he makes a Case to the contrary; as that a Banker, in whose Hands the Money was, broke. *Ibid.*]

So, if a Tertenant suffers a Rent-charge to be in Arrear, his Executor shall be compelled to the Payment of the Arrears if he has Assets; for tho' the Person of the Testator was not liable for a Rent, which was recoverable only by Distress, yet his Personal Estate was augmented by the Non-payment. *R. Ca. Ch.* 121.

If an Executor is indebted to the Testator, tho' the Debt is released by Law, Equity will enforce Payment by the Executor, for the Discharge of Debts, or Legacies.

So it will enforce Payment to the Residuary Legatee. *R. Ca. Ch.* 292.

So it will enforce Payment of Debts on simple Contract, if the Executor has Assets, tho' the Executor is not liable by Common Law. *R. Mo.* 556.

[If *A.* gives Bond to *B.* for Payment of Money at her Death in Nature of a legatary Disposition, and dies, and *B.* obtains Judgment against *A.*'s Executor *C.* who pleaded *Non est factum*; *C.* shall pay Principal and Interest, whether he had Assets or not, as if he had confessed Judgment, or let it go by Default. *Ramsden v. Jackson*, *H.* 1737. 1 *Atkyns* 292.]

[A voluntary Bond shall be postponed in Equity to simple Contract Debts. *Ib.*]

[If a Bond is claimed in Consideration of Money lent, and the Obligee fails in proving the Consideration, he shall not afterwards set it up as a voluntary Bond. *Ibid.*]

[An Executor is not compellable in Equity nor Law to take Advantage of the Statute of Limitations against an otherwise just Demand. *Norton v. Frecker*, *H.* 1737. 1 *Atkyns* 524.]

[If there has been no Demand for the Arrears of an Annuity left by Will for Twenty-two Years after the Annuitant's Death, the Court will not compel the Executor to pay them; the Statute of Limitations holds as to an Annuity, tho' not as to a Legacy. *Smallman v. Hamilton*, *M.* 1740. 2 *Atkyns* 71.]

[If a Creditor brings Bill, obtains a final Decree, Master's Report confirmed, and then another Creditor does the same, the Executor ought to have paid first him who used the first Diligence, as at Law the Creditor who obtains the first Judgment shall be preferred; but as to Legacies it is otherwise, for they shall be paid *pari passu*; for there is no Priority in them. *Ashley v. Pocock*, *M.* 1744. 3 *Atkyns* 208.]

[Payment of Interest on a Legacy, from Time to Time, shall be Evidence of Assets; thus, if a Man leaves 500*l.* the Interest to be paid to five Persons for Twenty-one Years, if they so long live, and then to a Charity, and the Executors pay the Interest, and the Husband of one of them pays her Proportion of it after her Death, and they exhibit no Inventory, the Husband and the other Executor shall pay the 500*l.* *Corporation of Clergymen's Sons v. Swainson*, *H.* 1747. 1 *Vezey* 75.]

So, if an Executor joins in the Probate of a Will, and afterwards the other Executor only acts; he shall be aided in Equity against a Sentence in the Ecclesiastical Court, which charges both for the Payment of a Legacy. *Semb. Ca. Ch.* 200.

[But a Joint Executor and residuary Legatee shall make good a Legacy out of his Moiety of the Surplus, tho' he had left the Money in the Hands of the other Executor and residuary Legatee from whom the Legatee had received Interest before his Bankruptcy, and a Dividend out of his Estate afterwards. *Spendlove v. Aldrich*, *M.* 1 *G.* 2. *Ld. Raym.* 1320.]

[An Executor who is a Bond-creditor is not obliged to discharge his Bond piecemeal as Assets come in, and he may discharge all other Demands on Testator before his own; therefore he shall be allowed Interest, till it appears he had sufficient in his Hands to discharge his Bond entirely, over and above all other Demands. *Robinson v. Cumming*, T. 1742. 2 *Atkyns* 409.]

[If Executors have obtained Probate of Will, by Consent of the next of Kin by imposing on him, and the Will is found forged by Verdict, this Court will order the Executors to stand as Trustees for him. *Barnesley v. Powel*, T. 1749. 1 *Vezey* 284.]

[But if there appears a prior Will, the Court will order the Executor to consent to a Revocation of the Probate, that then the other may be propounded, and if that is not done, they shall consent to Administration being granted to next of Kin. *Ibid.*]

[And, in the mean time, will order an Account of the Personal Estate, and that it be paid into the Bank, for the Benefit of those intitled. *Ibid.*]

[If A. settles a Plantation in America to Trustees, to the Use of two Mulattos, his natural Children, their Heirs, &c. they paying to another Mulatto 500*l.* with a Clause obliging himself, his Heirs, Executors, &c. to warrant said Plantation, and the Stock thereon; and afterwards Ejectment is brought against him for the Plantation, which he defends, but is evicted, and then brings Ejectment in his own Name, but compromises, and conveys for 1000*l.* which he receives, and continues to manage the Whole as his own; and after his Death Bill is brought against his Executor for Satisfaction out of Assets, not following the Subject itself, Plaintiff shall have Satisfaction for the Value of the Plantation as it stood at the Time of Sale, and the Stock as it stood at the Death of A. according to the Value at the Time of Eviction, and English Interest on it from his Death. *Williamson v. Goddington*, T. 1750. 1 *Vezey* 511.]

(3 G. 3.) How he shall pay Legacies.

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An Executor need not pay a Legatee, without Security to refund, if the Assets fail. *Ca. Ch.* 257, 137.

And he shall refund to Creditors and also to other Legatees; for if the Assets fail, the Legacies shall be paid in Proportion. 2 *Vent.* 358, 360. 1 *Ver.* 94. 1 *Ch. R.* 134. 2 *Ver.* 205. 2 *Ch. R.* 137.

And if the Spiritual Court decrees Payment, without Security for refunding, a Prohibition shall go. 2 *Vent.* 358. *Ca. Ch.* 258. 1 *Ver.* 93.

So, if by a Decree of Chancery, a Legatee is paid, and afterwards Debts are discovered, he shall be compelled to refund. 2 *Vent.* 358. *R. Ca. Ch.* 136. 2 *Ver.* 205. *Vide* 2 *Ch. R.* 137.

So, if the Executor of an Executor, who has made a *Devastavit*, pays a Legacy of his Testator, and then, upon an Account, the first Executor appears to have wasted the Goods of the first Testator; the Legatee shall be compelled to refund to a Creditor of the first Testator, upon a Bill against the Executor of the Executor (who was insolvent) and the Legatee. *R.* 2 *Vent.* 360. 1 *Ver.* 162.

Otherwise, if the Bill was brought by the Creditor and the Executor of the Executor against the Legatee; for the Executor shall not reverse his own Assent. *R.* 2 *Vent.* 360.

But if an Executor assents to a Legacy, without requiring Security to refund, if Debts are afterwards discovered, and the Assets fail, he shall not compel the Legatee to refund. *R.* 1 *Ver.* 94, 453, 460. 2 *Vent.* 358, 360. *R. Cont. Ca. Ch.* 257, 136.

So, if he pays a Debt due by simple Contract, before a Debt by Specialty; the Creditor shall not be compelled to refund. 2 *Vent.* 360.

So, if an Executor assents to a Devise of a Term for Years, and the Devisee sells it *bonâ fide*; the Creditors cannot compel the Vendee to refund. *R. Ca. Ch.* 257.

So, if an Executor pays a Legacy, and afterwards Assets fall short for the other Legatees; the first Legatee shall not be compelled to refund. *Semb. Ca. Ch.* 136. 2 *Ver.* 205.

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[If an Executor pays a Legacy voluntarily, he is presumed to have sufficient to pay all, and shall not oblige the Legatee to refund; but if Executor proves insolvent, the other Legatees may compel the one paid to refund. *Orr v. Kaines*, H. 1750. 2 *Vezey* 193.]

[Residuary Legatee paid by Executor without Fraud, shall not be obliged to refund to Legatees who were to be paid at a future Time. *Moore v. Moore*, T. 1755. 2 *Vezey* 596.]

A specific Legacy, or Sum, actually paid, shall be refunded as well as another. *Ca. Ch.* 257.

So, if a Devise is that the Executor do assign Land of 100 *l.* Value to *A.* and gives Legacies out of Lands sold to others; and Land of above 100 *l.* Value is assigned to *A.* by reason of which the Assets fall short for the other Legatees; *A.* must refund. *R. 2 Ca. Ch.* 25.

When Legatees abate, *Vide Post*, (3 Y. 18, 19.)

[If Testator leaves large Sums in Legacies, and directs his Corpse to be buried at a Distance, the Court will not adhere to the Law Rule of allowing but 10 *l.* for Funeral Charges. *Stag v. Punter*, T. 1744. 3 *Atkyns* 11 [9.]

[Neither residuary nor specific Legatees have any Interest without the Assent of the Executor, till then he has the Interest in him, and not a bare Authority only. *Mead v. E. Orrery*, T. 1745. 3 *Atkyns* 235.]

[If a Term is devised to *A.* for Life, Remainder to *B.* and the Executor assents to the Devise to *A.* it is an Assent to the Devise over. *Adams v. Pierce*, T. 1724. 3 *P. W.* 11.]

If the Executor demises a Term in Trust for a Legatee, this shall be a sufficient Assent. *R. 2 Vent.* 358. 1 *Ver.* 94, 453.

If an Executor refuses to assent, he shall be compelled thereto in Equity. 1 *Ver.* 94.

If an Executor is Residuary Legatee, and dies before Election made to take as Legatee, yet the Residue shall be distributed as his own Estate; for the Court will make the Election for him. *R. Ca. Ch.* 310.

But if a Man devises his Personal Estate to his Wife, and makes her Executrix, she shall take as Executrix. *R. 2 Ver.* 302, 309.

Vide Post, (3 G. 7.)

The most safe Way for Payment of Legacies, by an Executor, is to take the Direction of the Court of Chancery. (3 G. 6.)

If an Executor pays a Legacy without the Direction of the Court, and afterwards Assets are evicted; he shall not be relieved against the Legatee, nor compel him to refund. *R. 2 Ca. Ch.* 9. *Vide Ante*, (3 G. 1.)

So, if Assets afterwards fail to answer all the other Legacies fully, he shall answer out of his own Money, so much as the first Legatee is paid beyond his Proportion. *R. 2 Ca. Ch.* 132.

Tho' that Legatee was to be paid in the first Place. *Semb.* 2 *Ca. Ch.* 132.

So an Executor may exhibit a Bill against all the Creditors, to settle their Debts, and which of them are to be preferred. *R. upon Demurrer*, 2 *Ver.* 37.

But Payment to the Father of an Infant, where the Legacy is not of Value to support the Charge of a Decree, shall be good, tho' the Father afterwards fails. *Ca. Ch.* 245.

A fortiori, if he takes Security from the Father to pay the Infant. *Ibid.*

Otherwise, if he takes Security for his Indemnity; for then he pays at his Peril. *Ibid.*

[If an Executor pays a considerable Legacy (as 100 *l.*) into the Hands of an Infant, he shall not be allowed it; if it is a very small one, he may. *Philips v. Paget*, M. 1740. 2 *Atkyns* 81.]

So Payment of a Legacy, where each Legatee ought to be paid out of a proper Fund, is good; tho' the Fund of others afterwards fails; for each shall sustain the Loss, which happens to his particular Fund. 2 *Ca. Ch.* 132.

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If a Man makes his Executor, and says nothing as to the Residue of his Personal Estate; it goes to his Executor. *R. 2 Ver.* 104. *R. Eq. Ca.* 28.* *Admitted* 1 *P. W.* 554.

So, if a Man gives a Legacy to his Executor, without Mention, that another shall have the Residue; his Executor shall have it. *R. 2 Ver.* 677, 8. *R. 2 Ver.* 737.—*Cont.* 2 *Ver.* 361, 425. *R. Eq. Ca.* 12.* *Cont. Pr. Ch.* 170.

[If Testator makes his Wife sole Heiress and Executrix of all his Real and Personal Estate, to sell and dispose thereof at her Pleasure, and to pay his Debts and Legacies, and gives his Heir at Law 5*l.* the Wife has the Residue to her own Use, and there is no resulting Trust to the Heir. *Rogers v. Rogers*, *T.* 1733. 3 *P. W.* 193. *C. T. T.* 268.]

[If *A.* gives Legacies to her Children, and then directs 1000*l.* of her Partnership Stock to be strictly settled on her Son, and gives the Residue of Partnership Stock to Trustees, for the separate Use of *B.* a *Feme-covert*, and makes her Executrix, but makes no Disposition of the Surplus, *B.* shall have it. *Newstead v. Johnson*, *T.* 1740. 2 *Atkyns* 45.]

[Tho' Executors have Legacies one 200*l.* the other 100*l.* yet if it is proved that Testator always declared that he would not leave any Thing to next of Kin, the Executors shall have the Residue. *Brasbridge v. Woodroffe*, *M.* 1740. 2 *Atkyns* 68.]

[A Legacy to an Executor for Mourning for himself, Wife, and Children, does not exclude him from the Residue, especially if there are two. *Buffar v. Bradford*, *M.* 1741. 2 *Atkyns* 220.]

[If *A.* by Will gives *B.* and *C.* Infants, particular specific Legacies by Name, and makes them joint and sole Executors, they shall have the Surplus; for the specific Legacies might be intended for an Inequality of Division among them, and also to give each a distinct Interest, not liable to Survivorship. *Blinkhorn v. Feast*, *M.* 1750. 2 *Vezey* 27. 1 *Wils.* 285.]

[If a Man makes his Wife and *A.* Executors, gives his Wife specific Legacies, and makes her residuary Legatee, and to *A.*'s Wife gives a Real Estate in Fee, and Testator's Wife dies in his Life-time, the Residue goes to *A.* surviving Co-executor. *Wilson v. Ivat*, *H.* 1750. 2 *Vezey* 166.]

[Wife Executrix, tho' Testator devises to her Money and Land, yet on Parol Proof of his great Affection to her, and his Intention, may have the Residue. *Lake v. Lake*, *M.* 25 *G.* 2. 1 *Wils.* 313.]

Tho' he devises a Legacy to his Executor after all other Legacies. *R. 2 Ca. Ch.* 187.

Tho' the Executor is his Wife, or other Relation. 2 *Ver.* 649, 678.

[If a Husband is left sole Executor, he is intitled to the Surplus. *Partridge v. Pawlet*, *H.* 1736. 1 *Atkyns* 467.]

But a Legacy given to the Executor for his Care or Trouble, excludes the Executor, unless he be expressly named Residuary Legatee, from the Residue of the Personal Estate, after Debts and other Legacies paid; for in such Case the Residue shall be distributed according to the *St.* 22 & 23 *Car.* 2. for the Distribution of *Intestates Estates*. *R. 1 Ver.* 473. *R. 2 Ver.* 674. *Adm.* 2 *Ver.* 677. 2 *Ver.* 737. *R. Eq. Ca.* 10.* *R. 1 P. W.* 9, 550. *Eq. Ca.* 209.

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[If Testator gives his Executor 5*l.* for his Trouble, the Surplus shall be distributed. *Rusdell v. Carneffe*, *T.* 9 *G.* *Str.* 568.]

[If Testator gives Executor a Legacy for his Trouble, and also an express Legacy to the next of Kin, yet the Surplus shall go according to Statute of Distributions. *Davers v. Dewes*, *T.* 1730. 3 *P. W.* 40.]

[Where Executors are made Trustees, they can take Nothing for their own Benefit, unless particularly given them; and having no Ownership, cannot alter the Interest of the *Cestuique Trusts*. *Reed v. Snell*, *T.* 1743. 2 *Atkyns* 642.]

[If a Man gives an Annuity to his Executor, the first Payment to be made the first Quarter-day after Testator's Death, whether that will exclude him from the Surplus? *Dub. Southcot v. Watson*, *T.* 1745. 3 *Atkyns* 226.]

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[But if he gives him an Annuity, and then all his Household Goods and Furniture (three Pictures excepted) and all his Plate, Linen, Watches, Jewels, and Clothes whatsoever, this excludes him from the Residue. *Dub. Southcot v. Watson, T. 1745. 3 Atkyns 226.*]

[Where a necessary Implication, or violent Presumption appears, that Testator by naming Executor meant only to give the Office of Executor, and not the beneficial Interest or Property, he shall be considered as a Trustee, and a resulting Trust for the next of Kin to Testator. *Bishop Cloyne v. Young, M. 1750. 2 Vezey 91.*]

[So if *A.* makes *B.* and *C.* his Executors, and as to his Personal Estate, &c. gives *B.* a Mortgage on *B.*'s Estate, to be divided among his Children, and gives *C.* a Bond due from *B.* and then gives the Residue to ———, the next of Kin shall have it. *Ibid.*]

[If a Man gives 1*s.* apiece to his Brother and Sister, and 50*l.* apiece to his Executors; this Devise of 1*s.* shall not prevent their having the Residue as next of Kin. *Andrew v. Clark, H. 1750. 2 Vezey 162.*]

So, if a Man devises the Rest of his Goods and Chattels to his Executor, and gives him 100*l.* for his Care, and then says, *the Rest of my Personal Estate to A.* *A.* shall be the Residuary Legatee of the Goods, as well as of the other Personal Estate. *R. 1 Ver. 30.*

So, if the Executor submits to account for the Residue, having his Legacy, tho' it was by Surprise. *1 P. W. 298, 300.*

If a Man devises 800*l.* to his Executor upon Trust to pay several Annuities, the Residue of his Personal Estate to *A.*; the Surplus of the 800*l.* after the Annuities satisfied, shall go to *A.* *1 Ver. 425, 6.*

If a Man devises 20*l.* to his Executor, and desires him to take the Trouble of his Will, and gives all that he has in Legacies, but afterwards acquires a larger Personal Estate; the Surplus shall be in Trust for the Legatees in Proportion. *R. 2 Ver. 149.*

If a Man devises his Plate to his Wife for Life, and afterwards to his Son, and makes his Wife Executrix, but says nothing of the Residue; it shall be distributed. *R. 2 Ver. 650. R. 2 Ver. 674. R. Cont. 2 Ver. 677. Vide infra.*

[If Testator after several Legacies devises the Residue to his Wife for Life, and she devises to *A.* the Residue of the Husband's Personal Estate shall be distributed. *Joslyn v. Brewett, T. 1722. Bunb. 112.*]

So an absolute Legacy, if it lapses by the Death of the Legatee, shall not go to the Residuary Legatee, but shall be distributed. *2 Ver. 395.* Or it goes to the Executor, where the Benefit of the Whole was given to him for his Life. *Temp. 5 G. 2. 12.*

[If a Man by a *French* Will institutes for his *universal Heiresses* his Sister *A.* for one Third, his Sister *B.* for one Third, and as to the other Third, the Profits to *A.* for Life, and then to the Children of his Brother *C.* and makes *D.* Executor; *A.* dies in Testator's Life, her Third does not go to the Executor, but shall be divided in Thirds between *B.* and *F.* Testator's Sisters, and the Son of *C.* *Androvin v. Poilblanc, H. 1745. 3 Atkyns 299.*]

If a Man gives a Legacy to *A.* and another to his Executor, and dies before he devises over; the Residue of the Personal Estate shall be distributed. *R. Eq. Ca. 184.*

[If *A.* devises her worldly Substance to *B.* to be paid at Twenty-one or Marriage, if she marries with Consent, or if she dies before, then to ———, and makes *C.* Executor, heartily requesting him to be so kind as to take the Execution, and *B.* dies under Age and unmarried, the next of Kin shall have it. *Lord North v. Purdon, T. 1752. 2 Vezey 495.*]

The Residuary Legatee may demand an Account against the Executor. *2 Ca. Ch. 35.*

So, against every one to whom Money of the Testator is payable. *2 Ca. Ch. 57. Vide Ante, (2 A. 1.)*

And the Executor shall account for all Interest received by him, as well as the Principal, to the Residuary Legatee. *R. Cont. 2 Ca. Ch. 35.*

If an Executor compounds a Debt or Mortgage, the Advantage tends to the Benefit of the Residuary Legatee, and not of himself. *R. 1 Sal. 155.*

If a Legacy is given to *A.* upon the Contingency of his returning from *France*, &c. and he dies before; it will go to the Residuary Legatee, the Condition precedent, upon which it is given, not being performed. *R. 2 Ver. 394.*

If a Man devises the Use of his Plate to his Wife for Life and makes her Executrix; she shall have the Residue. *Cont. per Cowper, but reversed in the House of Lords, 1 P. W. 115. 2 Ver. 648, 675. 1 P. W. 552. Vide supra.*

[If a Man makes his Will in *French*, of all his Estate, and says, "My Daughter *M.* is very ill; if she dies, I leave my Wife the Revenue; if she lives, her Dower only; I give my Daughter *M.* the Residue;" then, if she dies without *Enfans*, gives pecuniary Legacies; and concludes, "to my Brother *ce que se trouvera*;" and *M.* survives Testator, but dies of that Illness, (a Cancer,) without Issue; *Enfans* signifies Children, and not Issue, therefore the Wife has the usufructuary Interest for Life, and *ce que se trouvera* is a sufficient residuary Bequest to the Brother. *Dubamel v. Ardovin, H. 1750. 2 Vezey 162.*]

(3 G. 8.) What Relief an Executor shall have in Equity.

Vide Administrator, Ante, (2 B. 1, 2.)--Devise, Ante, (3 A. 1, &c.)

An Executor shall be relieved in Equity.

To a Bill brought by an Administrator, it may be pleaded, *that the Deceased made a Will and the Defendant his Executor.* *1 Ver. 397.*

That the Defendant is Executor by a Nuncupative Will made beyond the Sea, and no Assets here, tho' the Nuncupative Will is not proved here for there is no need of it, when made in a foreign Country, of an Estate there. *R. 1 Ver. 397.*

That the Plaintiff is not Administrator. *1 Ver. 473.*

So, if *A.* being sued as Executor, pleads *Ne unques Executor*, and there is a Verdict against him, because some minute Thing as 2 *d.* or other small Sum was paid to him, and a small Part of the Goods of the Testator delivered to him; he shall be relieved in Equity. *R. 2 Ver. 147, 8.*

So, if a Verdict be against him upon *Plene Administravit*, upon a Confession by him, that he had a Mortgage for 300 *l.* when that Mortgage was of no Value, there being two prior Mortgages. *R. 2 Ver. 147.*

So, if an Executor pays Money pursuant to a Decree, and afterwards is charged with that Money as Assets at Law, he shall be aided in Equity; for the Decree was not pleadable at Law. *3 Ch. R. 3.*

[If an Executor or Administrator with his own Money pays Judgments beyond the personal Assets, it shall be allowed him out of the Real Assets, before other Creditors; but if he pays Bond-Debts beyond Personal Assets, he must come in *pro rata* with other Bond-Creditors for Satisfaction out of the Real Assets. *Robinson v. Tonge, M. 1735. 3 P. W. 398.*]

So, if *A.* covenants, upon the Sale of Land to *B.* that he shall enjoy, or the Money paid shall be refunded, and *B.* is afterwards evicted by *C.* and afterwards *B.* makes *C.* his Executor; *C.* shall be aided in Equity to recover the Money, tho' he himself has the Estate; for he has it *en autre Droit.* *R. 1 Ver. 284.*

If *A.* covenants, within four Months to settle 100 *l.* per *Ann.* or, if he does not do it, that his Executor shall pay 2000 *l.* and dies within four Months, his Executor shall have his Election to settle the Land, or pay the Money. *R. 2 P. W. (617.)*

[If *A.* dies Intestate, and his Wife possesses herself of all his Personal Estate, and the Son acquiesces for many Years, and accepts a Legacy under the Mother's Will, he shall not afterwards bring a Bill against her Executor for an Account of the Father's Personal Estate. *Huet v Fletcher, M. 1739. 1 Atkyns 467.*]

[If one Executor is indebted to the Testator on Mortgage, the Co-executors cannot bring a Bill to foreclose, but for Sale of the Estate. *Lucas v. Seale, T. 1740. 2 Atkyns 56.*]

[If an Executor, for the Benefit of Testator's Estate, invests Money in the Funds, or transfers from one Stock to another, he is not guilty of a *Devastavit*; this is not a Conversion or Appropriation, and you may still follow the Money as if it continued in its first Plight. *Waite v. Whorwood, P. 1741. 2 Atk. 159.*]

[If a Will is controverted in the Commons, and both the next of Kin and the Executor bring Bills, and there is an Order for a Receiver, in pursuance of which the Executor has paid in Notes, and the next of Kin has possessed himself forcibly of Houses; he shall deliver up the Possession to the Receiver, on the Executor's staying Proceedings on an Indictment for the forcible Entry. *Wills v. Rich, H. 1741. 2 Atkyns 285.*]

[If an Executor, Administrator, or Trustee, decreed to account for Assets, delivers Goods to his Solicitor, who is robbed; such Executor, &c. shall not be charged, for he was only to keep them as his own. *Jones v. Lewis, H. 1750. 2 Vezey 240.*]

(3 G. 9.) What not.

But if an Executor or Administrator pays Debts on Specialties to the Value of the Assets, before Notice of a Decree; he shall pay the Whole due by the Decree, and shall not be aided in Equity. *2 Ver. 37.*

[If an Executor pays simple Contract Debts preferable to a Bond with Notice, he shall pay Costs *de bonis propriis* in Equity as at Law. *Jefferies v. Harrison, H. 1736. 1 Atkyns 468*]

If he proves the Will in the Spiritual Court, and a Legacy is interlined and forged, he shall not be aided in Equity; for it might have been reserved in the Ecclesiastical Court, which has the Probate of Wills, *quoad* the Personal Estate. *P.W. 388.*

(3 H.) Exchange.

IF a Man incloses Glebe amongst other Lands improved out of a Waste, and allots other Land to the Parson, as good in Quantity and Quality, and it is so found upon a Commission; it shall be established by a Decree. *1 Ch. R. 41,*

(3 I) Fait.

(3. I. 1.) When a Discovery shall be enforced.

CHANCERY will compel the Discovery of Deeds, or other Writings. *Vide Ante, (3 B. 1, 2.)*

And that, at the Suit of every one, who has a Right to a Deed in the Defendant's Custody; as, if there is a Devise to a Wife or Daughter, &c. the Heir may pray a Discovery of a Deed of Intail, which defeats the Devise. *2 Ca. Ch. 4.*

If a Deed is discovered to be in the Hands of A. who suppresses it; there shall be a Decree for Enjoyment according to the Deed. *2 Ver. 380.*

Tho' the Defendant denies the Deed to be in his Custody, if he has confessed it in a former Answer. *2 Ver. 380.*

If the Defendant says, that, in a Passion, he burnt the Deed, but it is proved that he produced it, after the Time alledged for the burning of it; he shall stand committed till he either produces it, or admits it to be to the Effect in the Bill. *R. 2 Ver. 561.*

But a Purchaser for a valuable Consideration without Notice, shall not be compelled to discover a Deed for the Impeachment of his Title, but may plead that he is a Purchaser without Notice. *Vide Ante, (I. 1.)*

Nor a Woman, who has a Jointure, if the Jointure is not confirmed.

So there shall not be a Bill for the Discovery of a Deed, without an *Affidavit* that it is lost; where the Court has not Jurisdiction, without the Deed. *Vide Ante, (E. 1.)*

Or, if the Plaintiff, besides the Discovery, prays Relief. *Eq. Abr. 13.*

But where the Bill is for a Discovery only, or to have a Deed produced at a Trial, an *Affidavit* is not necessary. *Semb. Eq. Abr. 13.*

Or, if the Bill is for the Discovery of a Lease, without which the Plaintiff cannot fix his Damages at Law, tho' he prays General Relief; for that does not import

import Relief in Equity, but shall be confined to such Relief as was sought by the Discovery, to the Intent to have Relief at Law. *Eq. Abr.* 14.

(3 I. 2.) When a Deed shall be aided, or avoided.

When a Deed shall be aided, or avoided, *Vide Conveyance, Ante*, (2 T. 1, &c.) — *Obligation, Post*, (4 D. 1, &c.)

If a Man, upon a Displeasure at his Son, makes a greater Settlement upon his Wife, but afterwards cancels the Deed; yet the Wife, if she finds the Deed, shall have Advantage of it. 2 *Ver.* 476.

[If *A.* in Consideration of Love to her Niece *B.* grants her Personal Estate to Trustees, to permit *A.* to enjoy during Life, then after Debts and Funerals paid, to the separate Use of *B.* or as she shall appoint, and *B.* dies before *A.*; yet it goes to the Representative of *B.* not to the Executor and Residuary Legatee of *A.* *Peck. v. Parrot, P.* 1749. 1 *Vexey* 236.]

If a Deed is discharged, by Payment, &c. the Court will compel the Delivery of it to the Party. *Vide Obligation*, (4 D. 1.)

So of a Deed with a Power of Revocation; if it is revoked pursuant to the Power; for the Deed of Revocation may be lost. *Eq. R.* 1.

[If *A.* on coming of Age executes a Deed to *B.* his Agent of a Reversion of Lands for 180 l. which was not paid or intended to be paid, it being merely a Bounty, and there are Covenants proper for a Vendor to a Vendee, but improper in a Grant of a Bounty, and there is no Fraud, the Deed shall not be rescinded, but *B.* shall execute a Release of the Covenants. *Cray v. Mansfield, H.* 1749. 1 *Vexey* 379.]

(3 I. 3.) When a Deed shall be produced.

If the Defendant by his Answer offers to produce a Deed, known to be in his Custody, as the Court shall direct; it shall not be produced till the Hearing of the Cause.

If he pleads, that he himself is a Purchaser for a valuable Consideration, as by a Deed ready to be produced appears, he shall not be obliged to produce it to the Plaintiff. *Eq. Abr.* 36.

But where the Plaintiff is Co-heir with the Defendant, who having the Settlement of the Estate in his Hands, pretends a Devise to him, he shall produce the Settlement, before the Trial of the Will; for a Trial will be vain, without producing the Settlement, which belongs to the Plaintiff as well as to the Defendant. *R. Eq. Ca.* 99.*

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2 *Mod. Ca.*

(3 K) Fines.

IF a Man has a Tenant-right Estate; a reasonable Fine shall be established by a Decree; as, the Value of one Year, upon a moderate Estimate. 1 *Ch. R.* 34, 96.

Vide Fine and Recovery, Post, (3 N. 1, 2.)

(3 L) Forfeiture.

When it shall be aided, and when not.

CHANCERY will relieve against a Forfeiture by Waste upon a Copyhold, if Satisfaction is made for the Waste, and there does not appear an Intent to commit the Waste. *R. Ca. Ch.* 96. *Vide Copyhold*, (M. 3.)

So, against a Forfeiture of a Lease for Years, &c. for Non-payment of Rent.

And by *St. 4 Geo. 2.* 28. A Lessee being relieved, shall enjoy according to the Lease, without a new Lease.

So, if Tenant for Life, as *Cestuy que Trust*, levies a Fine of the Trust-Estate, it shall not be a Forfeiture of his Trust for the Benefit of him in the Remainder, or Reversion. 2 P. W. 147.

[If A. devises his Estates to Trustees, to his Daughter B. for Life, to Trustees to preserve, &c. to her first Son in Tail-male, second and others in Tail-general, to the Daughters of B. and C. in Tail, to D. for Life, his Sons in Tail, and to E.; and B. conveys the Reversion in Fee, expectant on the Remainders in the Will, to Trustees for certain Uses, and covenants to levy a fine *sur concessit* to the Uses, and both Deed and Fine recite the Limitations; it is not a Forfeiture, but only a Fine of the Reversion. *Lethieullier v. Tracy*, M. 1750. 3 Atkyns 728.]

[If Tenant for Life of a Trust Estate, with Trustees to preserve continent Remainders, levies a Fine *sur concessit* of his Estate for Life, it is not a Forfeiture, but would only operate in Equity as a Grant of such Interest as he had Power to grant. *Ibid.*]

[If a Fine *sur concessit* is levied by Tenant for Life, Reversioner in Fee expectant on several Limitations, Equity will not construe it to work a Wrong. *Ibid.*]

But by the St. 4 Geo. 2. 28. Lessee, or any claiming Right to a Lease, preferring a Bill for Relief in six Calendar Months after Judgment in Ejectment, and Execution thereon executed, shall not be restored to Possession, unless he pay to the Lessor what the Profits, which he received, or might, without wilful Neglect, have received, fall short of the reserved Rent.

So, if a Copyholder commits a Forfeiture, he shall not be aided.

As, if he makes a Lease not warranted by the Custom. 2 P. W. 147.

So, if an Estate is settled in Trustees in Trust for A. for Life, afterwards to his Wife for Life, afterwards to their first and other Sons; and A. and his Wife make a Mortgage thereof to B. and levy a Fine to him; B. shall have it during the Lives of A. and his Wife. 2 P. W. 147.

(3 M) Fraud.

(3 M. 1.) When it shall avoid a Bargain.

FRAUD, Accident, and Breach of Trust are proper for Relief in Conscience, *Fraudulent Gift, or Feoffment, &c. Vide in Covin.*
1 Rol. 374. l. 10. 4 Inst. 84. *Vide Ante*, (Z)—*Post*. (4 W. 1.)
And therefore, if a Man is decoyed by Fraud or Circumvention to make a disadvantageous Bargain, he shall be relieved in Equity. *Vide Ante*, (2 C. 8. 9. 12. (B. 2, &c.)
—2 T. 11.) *Post*, (4 L. 1.—4 W. 28, 29.)

As, if he is drawn in by Art or Covin to give 500 l. for Goods of but half that Value.

If he gives a Bill of Exchange for Value received, where nothing was paid and no Consideration given. R. 2 Ver. 123.

Or Judgments for great Sums, when a small Sum was paid. 3 Ch. R. 10.

If he is drawn in to execute a Release, by Suppression of the Truth, or by a Suggestion of a Falshood. P. W. 240.

So if a young Gentleman is inveigled to give 500 l. for Goods, which he sells only for 200 l. Ca. Ch. 276.

If an Heir apparent gives Security to pay 1200 l. after the Death of his Father, for Goods of 400 l. Value, and if he dies before his Father, then to pay nothing. 2 Ca. Ch. 137.

So, if he sells the Reversion of Land, after the Death of his Father, for a small Sum, and an Annuity for the Life of his Father, tho' the Sale would be void, if he were to die before his Father. 2 Ca. Ch. 120. 1 Ver. 167. 2 Ver. 27, 77.

If upon a Loan of 2000 l. he gives Judgment to pay 5000 l. after the Death of his Father, or if he marries before. R. 2 Ver. 15. P. W. 312.

So, if he engages in Securities with others, upon Payment of the whole Money, which he received, he shall be aided. R. 2 Ver. 77.

So, if A. in the Remainder after the Death of his Uncle, without Issue, takes up Money by Loan, upon an Agreement to pay 1000 l. for every 100 l. if his
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Uncle dies before him without Issue, and afterwards, upon a Bill in Equity to redeem or to foreclose, submits to be foreclosed, and acknowledges by his Answer, that the Bargain was fairly made, he shall be relieved upon Payment of Principal and Interest, without Costs. *2 Ver. 122.*

If *A.* offers a Mortgage for 1000*l.* if a Scrivener can find him a Gentleman, who will advance it; and the Scrivener contrives with *B.* who, as Agent for another Person, advances 300*l.* only, and supplies Wine to the Value of 200*l.* for 400*l.* more, and discounts 300*l.* Debt with the Scrivener, and takes Security of *A.* and the Scrivener: *A.* shall be relieved, upon Repayment of all that he received, viz. 300*l.* and Interest. *R. 2 Ver. 347.*

So, if a Son, in Remainder in Tail after the Death of his Father, sells 150*l.* per Ann. for 1050*l.* having Issue born. *R. 1 P. W. 312.*

So, if *A.* procures a Policy of Insurance to be subscribed by Fraud; a Verdict thereupon shall be avoided in Equity, with Costs. *2 Ver. 206.*

If *A.* a Devisee by a Will not executed according to the *St. 29 Car. 2.* procures a Release from the Heir and a Conveyance for a small Sum. *P. W. 239.*

So, if *A.* sells Shares of a Bubble of no Value, he shall refund the Money. *2 P. W. 154.*

And a Purchaser shall be aided in Equity for the Fraud, tho' he has an Action at Law for the Money received to his Use. *2 P. W. 156. 220.*

(3 M. 2.) Or Conveyance.

So, if by Fraud, or Circumvention a Person is engaged in the Execution of a Deed, or Conveyance. *Vide Ante, (2 C. 12.—2 T. 11.) Post, (4 D. 3.—4 L. 1.—4 O. 1.)*

If a Son, upon his Marriage, gives a Bond to refund Part of the Portion, without the Privy of his Father, he shall be relieved against the Bond, as fraudulent. *1 Sal. 156.*

If by an Agreement of the Father, before Marriage, his Estate was to be settled upon his Daughter, and her Husband and their Issue, and *A.* undertakes that a Conveyance shall be made accordingly, but procures a Conveyance to be made to himself in Fee, in Consideration of a Debt due to him; it shall be cancelled, as fraudulent. *R. Ch. R. 449.*

If the Daughter and Heir of *B.* who was *Cestuy que Trust* in Fee of an Estate in *A.* marries *C.* who procures the surviving Trustee to convey to him; and then the Husband and Wife levy a Fine, to the Use of the Husband in Fee; it shall be set aside as fraudulent, tho' five Years, and Nonclaim have passed; and the Husband and Wife shall be decreed to reconvey to the Heir of *B.* *R. Ch. R. 449.*

[If *A.* a Year after coming of Age grants his Guardian or Trustee an Annuity, and at the same Time a general Release and two written Discharges, on his delivering up some Papers, it shall be set aside on Principles of general Utility; and more especially, if it appears the Guardian would not deliver the Estate till he had the Grant. *Hylton v. Hylton, T. 1754. 2 Vezey 547.*]

[Yet a Ward or *Cestuique Trust* may, when of Age and put in Possession, *et sui Juris* and at Liberty, grant a Reward. *Ibid.*]

[*Vide Cray v. Mansfield, ante 3 I 2. Oldham v. Hand, ante 2 A 4. Oldin v. Samborn, ante 2 T 11. Proof v. Hines, post, 4 D. 3. Walmsley v. Booth, post, 4 D. 12.*]

[If there is a Conveyance for a fictitious Consideration, it shall not be afterwards set up as a Gift. *Bridgman v. Green, T. 1755. 2 Vezey 627.*]

[And this, tho' the fictitious Consideration was inserted by the Grantor; and tho' it has been found a Gift by a Jury, yet Equity will relieve. *Ibid.*]

[If *A.* Heir in Tail expectant (on the Death of his Father, aged seventy-two and infirm, and Tenant in Tail, with Remainder to himself in Fee) of an Estate worth 3000*l.* and in necessitous Circumstances, by Articles, in Consideration of 1500*l.* to be paid by *B.* in a Year, and a House worth 200*l.* to be conveyed to him, covenants to convey said Estate in Fee to *B.* subject to his Father's Life, soon desires to be off, but *B.* refuses; then by Lease and Release prepared by *B.* (an

Attorney)

Attorney,) and executed at his House, only him, his Son, and another present, and *A.* covenants, that he is seized in Fee, and a Clause of Warranty against his Father and his Heirs, and a Fine levied by *A.* declared to be to the Use of *B.* in Fee, and *B.* conveys the House to *A.* but without Covenant or Warranty, and the Father soon dies, and *A.* writes Letters acquiescing in the Transaction, then files Bill charging Fraud and praying Relief, and *B.* answers, denying Fraud; *B.* intimidates *A.* who stays Proceedings, and executes a Deed reciting the Proceedings that the Purchase was fair, and confirms and releases the Estate to *B.*; afterwards they, with a common Friend, settle Accounts; two Years after Bill is dismissed, and three Years after that *A.* dies; yet the Whole shall be set aside, on *A.*'s Son paying Principal, Interest, and lasting Repairs. *Baugh v. Price, in Sc. H. 25 G. 2. 1 Wils. 320.*]

(3 M. 3.) Tho' the Bargain or Settlement was to take Effect upon a Contingency.

So, tho' the fraudulent Contract is to take Effect upon a Contingency; as, if *A.* by Practice draws in *B.* for 300 *l.* to grant him 300 *l. per Ann.* in Fee; with a Proviso that it should be void if *A.* had Issue Male who should attain the Age of twenty-one, tho' there was an Improbability that he ever should have any Issue. *R. 1 Ver. 238.*

So, if *A.* upon a Loan of 2000 *l.* gives a Judgment for 5000 *l.* after the Death of his Father; and if he died before his Father, to pay nothing; for the Money would have been lost, without mentioning of it, if *A.* died before his Father. *R. 2 Ver. 15.*

[An Heir of Twenty-seven, an Officer in the Guards, borrows 500 *l.* to pay 1000 *l.* if he survives his Father and Father-in-law, otherwise the Lender to lose his Money; if he survives he shall be relieved, even tho' he has paid the Money thro' Fear. *Curwyn v. Milner, T. 1731. 3 P. W. 292.*]

[An Heir borrows 1000 *l.* and 1000 *l.* to pay 2500 *l.* for each if he survives his Father, otherwise lost, grants two Judgments for 5000 *l.* each, defeasanced for 2500 *l.*; Relief granted as to the Penalties only, *per Nottingham C. H. 33 C. 2.* and he paid 5390 *l.* On rehearing, Plaintiff ordered to repay all above the 2000 *l.* lent, and Interest. *Per Jeffereys C. H. 2 J. 2 Berney v. Pitt, 3 P. W. 293.*]

[If a Sailor sells his Prize-money to a Physician greatly under Value, he assigns it, Bill is brought to set Sale aside, new Agreement to dismiss Bill with Costs, and confirming the Sale for further Consideration, and the Agent gives a Note to pay it out of the second Dividend; both Agreements shall be set aside. *Taylor v. Rochfort, P. 1751. 2 Vezey 281.*]

[If a Sailor's Prize-money is purchased at a great Under-value, and then assigned to another, both shall be set aside, but shall stand as a Security for the Money really advanced to the Sailor. *How v. Edwards, T. 1754. 2 Vezey 516. Baldwin v. Rochford, M. 22 G. 2. 1 Wils. 229.*]

[*A.* has 500 *l.* left him if he survives Testator's Wife; he sells it for 100 *l.* to be paid by 5 *l. per Ann.* to him and his Executors, &c. but if the Wife dies in *A.*'s Life, what is then unpaid shall be paid in a Year; the Wife dies, the Executors controvert the Payment to the Purchaser, *A.* hears their Answer read, blames them, and executes a Deed of Confirmation; this Bargain shall not be set aside on a Bill brought by *A.* *Cole v. Gibbons, T. 1734. Per King C. affirmed per Talbot C. 3 P. W. 290.*]

[A Man caught in Bed with another Man's Wife, by the Husband with a Sword in his Hand, who is about to kill him, gives a Note for 100 *l.*; when payable, gives a Bond for it, the Court will not relieve against the Bond, tho' it would against the Note. *Per Cowper C. Anon. 3 P. W. 294.*]

(3 M. 4.)

(3 M. 4.) Or was transacted by an Agent.

So, if the fraudulent Practice be managed by an Agent, to which the Party who gives the small Consideration does not appear to have been privy. 1 Ver. 240.

(3 M. 5.) So a voluntary Settlement will be fraudulent as to Creditors.

[A Settlement is not fraudulent for being voluntary, but it is an Evidence of Fraud, and there is scarcely a Case where the Person conveying was indebted at the Time, that it has not been deemed fraudulent; where not indebted at the Time, subsequent Debts do not shake the Settlement. *Hayward v. Hammond*, M. 1738. 1 Atkyns 13.]

So, if a voluntary Settlement is made of Lands, it will be fraudulent as to Creditors. R. 1 Ch. R. 132.

And, as to Articles for a Purchase upon a valuable Consideration. 1 Ch. R. 146. *Vide Covin*.

So, a Bill of Sale from a Man to A. who cohabits with him as his Wife. 2 Ver. 490.

So a Settlement with a Power of Revocation will be fraudulent as to Creditors. *Vide Eq. Abr.* 148.

Tho' made after Marriage for the Jointure of a Wife, if it is not made pursuant to an Agreement precedent. *Ibid*.

[If Money is left to a Husband who settles it in Trustees to the Use of himself for Life, his Wife for Life, and then his Children, it is void as against his Creditors, either before or after his Marriage. *Taylor v. Jones*, T. 1743. 2 Atkyns 600.]

[If on Marriage of A. and B. A. and his Father promise to settle an Estate on her, in Consideration of the Marriage and her Fortune, but she refusing to let the Father have it, he says she shall have none of his Lands, and conveys them to A. and A. afterwards being indebted settles the Lands on B. for Jointure, and in strict Settlement and dies; this is voluntary and void against Creditors. *Beaumont v. Thorp*, T. 1747. 1 Vezey 27.]

[But if a Man having a Son A. contracts on a second Marriage to settle 400*l.* on Wife for Life, then to the Issue of that Marriage, together with A. and A. only survives, he shall have the 400*l.* not subject to his Father's Creditors. *Ithell v. Beane*, H. 1748. 1 Vezey 215.]

So if A. makes a Settlement for the Jointure of his Wife after Marriage, with a Power of Revocation, and afterwards, upon a Treaty of a Marriage for his Nephew, proposes to settle Lands of 700*l.* per Ann. Value in A. and B. on such Marriage, if a Portion of 2500*l.* is given; if the Lands in A. and B. are not of the Value of 700*l.* per Ann. the Deficiency shall not be supplied out of Lands in D. settled many Years before for the Jointure of his Wife, tho' such Settlement was voluntary, and with a Power of Revocation. R. Ch. R. 148.

So, if A. makes a voluntary Settlement for Payment of Creditors and for raising Portions for his Children, reserving 50*l.* per Ann. to himself for his Life, it will not be fraudulent against Creditors by Bond given twelve Years afterwards, tho' the Trustees did not enter directly but suffered A. to live in his House. *Cont. per Hutchins*, but two Commissioners dub. 2 Ver. 261.

If A. upon the Purchase of a Term, directs it to be assigned to B. in Trust for himself for Life, and afterwards for a Woman, with whom he cohabits as his Wife, it will not be fraudulent; for the Term never was in him, and upon a Purchase, a Man disposes of the Estate as he pleases, and it will not be fraudulent. R. 2 Ver. 490.

[If a Son taking a Benefit from his Father's Will promises to make it good, it may be a valuable Consideration for a Bond or Settlement. *Blount v. Doughty*, P. 1747. 3 Atkyns 481.]

(3 M. 6.)

(3 M. 6.) But Fraud shall not be presumed.

But Fraud shall not be presumed in Law or Equity, without manifest Proof.

³ *Ca. Ch.* 85, 114.

Nor shall it be determined in Equity, after it has been found by a Verdict at Law. *2 Ver.* 238.

(3 M. 7.) A Party to the Fraud shall not be relieved.

A Party to the Fraud shall not have Relief; as, if *A.* intrusted to receive Interest for *B.* receives the Principal, and then fails, and compounds for 9s. in the Pound, but *B.* will not accept such Composition, without a private Agreement for 175*l.* *A.* shall not be relieved against this Agreement. *R. 2 Ver.* 602.

[If *A.* on an intended Marriage between his Son *B.* and *C.* proposing to give a Bond for 100*l.* *per Annum* for their Lives, and the Survivors, is persuaded by *C.* to make it 150*l.* that thereby her Uncle may be induced to make a larger Provision for her, promising to demand only 100*l.* tho' there is no Contract on the Part of the Uncle, and tho' *C.*'s Mother is living, yet if *A.* treats with him, he shall be considered as *in Loco Parentis*, and *A.* shall not be relieved against his Bond. *Pitcairne v. Ogbourne*, *T.* 1751. *2 Vezey* 375.]

So, if *A.* compounds with his Creditors, but makes a private Agreement with some of them, to induce an Acceptance of the Composition by others; he shall not be relieved on the Agreement to compound, against the Creditors who signed the Agreement. *R. 2 Ver.* 71.

But if a Mortgagee upon her Marriage settles the Estate on herself for Life, and afterwards on her Issue, and the Mortgagor, upon a Decree for Redemption, pays the Money to the Mortgagee, who takes no Notice of the Settlement in her Answer; and afterwards the Son of the Mortgagee recovers in Ejectment; the Mortgagor shall be relieved, for there was no Default in him. *R. 2 Ver.* 142.

(3 N) Fine and Recovery.

(3 N. 1.) Avoided for Fraud, &c.

CHANCERY will aid against a Fine or Recovery suffered by Fraud: As, if *Vide Post*,
a Woman levies a Fine and declares the Use to *A.* and his Heirs, where it (4 K. 1, 2 —
was intended to him only for Life. 4 S. 4.)

Or, where there is Proof that it was intended to *A.* only in Trust, and she devises it to *B.* *Eq. Abr.* 258.

So, if a Devise is to Trustees, till Debts are paid, and then to an Infant and his Heirs; *B.* enters, levies a Fine, and five Years pass without Claim, whereby the Infant at full Age is barred in Ejectment; He shall be aided in Equity; for he shall not suffer by the Neglect of the Trustees in not entring. *Ibid.*

But *Chancery* does not vacate the Fine or Recovery for the Fraud, but decrees a Reconveyance; for if there be Error in it, or if the Fine is irregular, or rased, or obtained by Practice, it may be vacated by the Court of *C. B.* *R. Eq. Abr.* 259.

[Tenant for Years, at Will, or at Sufferance, cannot by a Fine devert an Estate and turn it to a Right. *Brereton v. Gamul*, *H.* 1741. *2 Atkyns* 240.]

[Confession of Lease, Entry and Ouster in an Ejectment will not give a Seisin to Defendant in Ejectment, so as to enable him to levy a Fine. *Ibid.*]

[Tho' more Parcels of Land are put into a Fine than belong to the Conusor, yet a Court of Equity will restrain it to his Land. *Ibid.*]

[Supposing a Fine to be good in Law, yet if it is levied by a Person who is in the Nature of a Trustee, as an Administrator and Guardian, intitled to a Sum to pay Debts, and distribute to the Infant, this Court will not suffer it to bar the equitable Interest of Creditors and Infant. *E. Pomfret v. Ld. Windsor*, *T.* 1752. *2 Vezey* 472.]

(3 N. 2.) Aided, when defective.

So Equity will aid the Defects in a Fine, or Recovery. *Vide Eq. Abr. 258.*

[If Husband and Wife mortgage, and covenant to levy a Fine in *Easter Term* next, but do not till *Trinity* three Years after, and then sell the Equity of Redemption, and covenant that the Fine shall be to the Uses of this last Deed, it is good. *Fleetwood v. Templeman, M. 1740. 2 Atkyns 79.*]

But if Tenant in Tail covenants to levy a Fine, and the Caption is taken, and he dies before the Fine is perfected, *Chancery* will not make the Fine good. *Semb. Eq. Abr. 258. Vide Post, (4 S. 2.)*

So, if *A.* upon the Marriage of his eldest Son, levies a Fine to the Use of him in Tail, and upon his Death without Issue, to the Use of the Younger Son in Tail, &c. The Eldest has Issue, who mortgages to *B.* and dies without Issue; Equity will not aid a Defect in the Date of the Deed, which leads the Uses, upon a Bill by the Younger Son; for the Consideration did not extend to him. *R. Eq. Abr. 258.*

If a Fine is levied by a Purchaser having Notice of a Trust, tho' five Years pass without Claim, the *Cestui que Trust* shall not be barred. *Eq. Abr. 256, 7.*

If Tenant for Life makes a Mortgage, and levies a Fine to corroborate it, and afterwards his Son, who has the Remainder in Fee, enters for the Forfeiture, the Mortgagee shall have it during the Life of the Mortgagor. *Eq. Abr. 257.*

And during the Life of his Wife, if she, having a Trust for her Life, joins in the Fine. *R. 2 P. W. 147.*

But, if a Purchaser without Notice levies a Fine, and five Years pass, the Trust will be barred. *Vide Eq. Abr. 256.*

[But if *A.* in Marriage Settlement gives his Wife a Power to dispose of 100*l.* by Will, to be paid to her a Year after his Death, and in Default impowers *B.* to make a Lease of Lands to raise it; the Wife makes an Appointment, but never receives the 100*l.* while living; the Heirs of *A.* mortgage the Land to *C.* without Notice; *C.* afterwards purchases the Lands, the Heirs of *A.* levy Fine, and convey the Equity of Redemption to *C.* who has then Notice of the Power; tho' five Years elapse, yet the Appointee shall have the 100*l.* and Interest from one Year after the Wife's Death. *Willis v. Shorral, H. 1738. 1 Atkyns 474.*]

Vide Fine, (I. 2.)

(3 O) Guardian.

(3 O. 1.) How he shall account.

Vide Guardian.
Vide Ante,
(2 A. 1.)

WHEN, and how a Guardian shall be assigned to an Infant, *Vide Guardian, (A.—F. 2.)*

If a Parent receives a Legacy given to his Son, and is sued for it, he shall not be allowed for the Maintenance and Education of the Infant, out of the Principal Sum. *R. 33 Car. 2. 2 Vent. 353.*

[A Father cannot apply a Legacy left to a Child by a Relation in its Maintenance, nor putting it out Apprentice, or setting it out in the World. *Darley v. Darley, M. 1746. 3 Atkyns 399.*]

If a Guardian compounds a Debt, charged upon the Estate of the Infant, he shall not be allowed more of the Infant, than was paid. *R. 2 Ca. Ch. 245.*

[If any Person, Father or Stranger, enters on an Infant's Estate, and continues in Possession, he shall account as a Guardian, unless the Infant waives it when of Age. *Morgan v. Morgan, H. 1737. 1 Atkyns 489.*]

But a Father shall discount the Money for putting out the Infant Apprentice, out of a Legacy given to his Son. *2 Vent. 353. 1 Ver. 255.*

So, Money paid for a Debt charged upon the Estate of an Infant. *Ca. Ch. 157.*

And Money laid out for Education; where the Interest is too little for that Purpose. *1 Ver. 255. R. Ch. R. 2.*

[Yet if a Man leaves 100*l.* to his Son, not to be paid till Twenty-one, and 5*l.* *per Annum* for his Maintenance till then; the Mother Executrix shall have no Allowance for putting him Apprentice, fitting him out for the *East-Indies*, or Maintenance, but the 100*l.* and Interest from the Son's Death shall be paid to his Legatee. *Smee v. Martin, M. 1723. Bunb. 136.*]

(3 O 2.) How he shall manage the Estate of the Infant.

If a Guardian has Money of an Infant in his Hands, he shall employ it in the Payment of Debts charged upon the Estate of the Infant, and shall not pay them with his own proper Money. *R. Ca. Ch. 156, 7.*

[*A.* seized of some Lands in Fee, and of others in Tail, devises the Lands in Fee (except 30*l. per Annum*) to his Daughter, and dies, leaving Son and Daughter Infants; his Widow takes the Profits of both Estates as Guardian, and on Bill brought for Account swears she paid Bond-debts out of the Profits of the intailed Estate, and then dies insolvent; the Answer cannot be read against the Daughter, and there is no other Evidence; the Court will intend she paid the Bond-debts out of the Fee-simple Estate, as she ought to have done. *Chaplin v. Chaplin, T. 1735. 3 P. W. 365.*]

If the Estate of an Infant is mortgaged, it may be discharged out of the Assets of his Father; and if the Infant dies, whereby the Estate descends to a remote Heir; the Guardian shall not have the Money repaid. *2 Ver. 193.*

If 100*l.* is given to an Infant at his Age of Twenty-one, and if he dies before, to *B.* the Guardian shall be allowed 20*l.* out of the 100*l.* for putting him out Apprentice, tho' he died before Twenty-one. *2 Ver. 137.*

So the Guardian of an Infant ought to pay the Interest due upon a Mortgage of his Estate, out of the Profits. *2 P. W. 279.*

But if a Guardian purchases for an Infant Lands, with the Profits raised out of the Real Estate of the Infant, and declares that it shall be for him and his Heirs, if he discharges the Guardian of the Purchase-money; the Infant dies under Age; the Heir of the Infant shall not have the Land, the Purchase not being made by the Direction of *Chancery*, but his Executor shall have the Money. *R. 1 Ver. 403, 435.*

[If a Guardian is directed by Will to make Purchases for the Benefit of Infant, he may on a Life in a Lease's dropping take a new Lease for new Lives, tho' thereby the Estate which before would have descended *parte materna*, now descends *parte paterna*. *Pierfon v. Shore, T. 1739. 1 Atkyns 480.*]

So, if a Guardian vests the Personal Estate of an Infant in the Purchase of Lands for the Infant; the Guardian shall take the Purchase, and shall be answerable to the Infant for the Money. *Vide 1 Ver. 436.*

[Guardian cannot turn Infant's ancient Pasture into Arable, tho' on Account of the Distemper among Cattle it is waste. *Clarke v. Thorpe, H. 1750. 2 Vezey 232.*]

[If Trustee has an Infant's Money to lay out in Funds, and lays it out in Trade, the Infant has his Option to take the Profits of Trade, or the Interest. *Anon. T. 1755. 2 Vezey 629.*]

So, if *A.* dies indebted by Bond or other Specialty, his Heir under Age; if the Guardian pays off the Bonds, and takes Assignments, he shall have a Discovery of Assets against the Heir of the Infant; for he was not bound to pay the Debts upon Specialty out of the Real Estate of the Infant. *R. 2 Ver. 606.*

[The Court may make a liberal Allowance out of the Infant's Estate to a Mother a Guardian, who is in distressed Circumstances. *Roach v. Garvan, M. 1748. 1 Vezey 157.*]

(3 O. 3.) How directed by the Court.

If a Guardian in Socage is not of Sufficiency, *Chancery* will oblige him to give Security. *Decreed per North, 2 Mod. 177. Eq. Ca. 137.* Eq. Ca. 173.†*

If he is suspected to be insufficient, the Court will oblige him to account annually. *3 Ch. R. 59.*

* 2d Part of
2 Mod. Ca.
† *Gillb.*

And

And the Court can determine a Right to a Guardianship, without Bill, upon a Petition. 2 P. W. 118, 124.

[There may be an Application to the Court in Case of a Guardianship of Children, tho' there is no Cause depending. *Mellish v. De Costa*, M. 1737. 2 Atkyns 14.]

[If there is no Bill filed, no Father, Mother, nor testamentary Guardian, no Socage Lands, the Court will, on Petition, refer to the Master to see who is the most proper Person for Guardian. *Ex parte Watkins*, T. 1752. 2 Vezey 470.]

[The Court may do several Things *ex Officio* for Infants; may give extrajudicial Directions, may hear a Stranger as *Amicus Curiae*, may on his Complaint of the Guardian, and of Abuse of Infant's Estate, and Undertaking to pay Costs, direct the Master to examine Receiver's Accounts, &c. *E. Pomfret v. Ld. Windsor*, T. 1752. 2 Vezey 472.]

So, if a Guardian by Testament endeavours to marry the Infant to his Disparagement, *Chancery* will oblige him to give Security to the contrary. 2 Ca. Ch. 238. *Eq. Ca.* 137.* 2 P. W. 110.

So, if a Guardian commits Waste upon the Estate of the Infant, an Injunction shall be granted. *R. Hard.* 96.

So, if the Guardian to a Bastard is not a proper one, the Court may remove him to the natural Father. *Eq. Ca.* 116.*

[If an Infant is about to marry when there is no Cause in Court, without the Approbation of his testamentary Guardians, and they file a Bill, and present a Petition, the Court will order the Infant to continue in their Care and Custody, and that they do not permit him to marry, and the Father of the Lady not to permit his Daughter to marry the Infant without the Consent of the Court. *Case of Ld. Raymond (and Miss Chetwynd)* M. 8 G. 2. C. T. T. 58.]

So, if any Person marries an Infant, without the Consent of the Guardian allowed by the Court, it will be a Contempt, *Eq. Ca.* 177. 2 P. W. 111.

Cont. if it is not a Guardian allowed by the Court. 2 P. W. 562.

[Marrying an Infant, Ward of the Court, is a Contempt, tho' the Parties concerned did not know it. *Herbert's Case*, T. 1731. 3 P. W. 116.]

[*Contra*, to make Persons liable to the Censure of the Court, they must have had a Hand in the Contrivance of the Marriage, and been apprized that the Infant was a Ward of the Court. *More v. More*, P. 1741. 2 Atkyns 157.]

[The Court will order a Man not to marry a Ward of the Court, and that all Letters importing Promise of Marriage be produced before the Master, and if he is an Infant, will order his Guardian (his Father) tho' not before the Court, not to permit him to marry the Ward. *Smith v. Smith*, H. 1745. 3 Atkyns 304. *Beard v. Travers*, M. 1749. 1 Vezey 313.]

If the Court appoints a Guardian, he usually gives a Recognizance that the Infant shall not marry, without the Leave of the Court, with his Privy. P. W. 698. 2 P. W. 112.

And if the Clause [with his Privy] is omitted. the Court will not suffer the Recognizance to be sued, if done without his Privy. P. W. 698.

[If a Mother appointed Guardian to two Daughters by the Court, misbehaves, and endeavours to marry one of them to A. an improper Person, the Court will order her to place them with a proper Person, that the Daughter shall not marry without Leave of the Court, nor A. see or write to her. *Roach v. Garvan* M. 1748. 1 Vezey 157.]

So the Accomplices to a Marriage may be committed. 2 P. W. 112.

But if an Uncle takes an Infant out of the Custody of his Guardian for his advantageous Education, and sends him out of the Realm; the Infant shall be sent for home. 2 Ca. Ch. 238.

If a Guardian recovers upon a Bond made to an Infant, he shall be obliged to acknowledge Satisfaction for so much as he received. Mo. 852.

Yet a Guardian in Socage shall not be compelled to give Security, till there is some Default in him. 3 Ch. R. 60.

[Infant went to *Oxford*, tho' his Guardian would have him go to *Cambridge*; the Court sent a Messenger to carry him from *Oxford* to *Cambridge*, and on his returning

returning again, another, *tam* to carry him to *Cambridge*, *quam* to keep him there. *Tremain's Case*, P. 5 G. in *Canc.* Str. 168.

[The Court will not indulge an Infant in the Choice of what School he shall go to, but will compel him to go where his Guardian pleases. *Hall v. Hall*, T. 1749. 3 *Atkyns* 721.]

[If testamentary Guardians differ as to the Education of their Ward, the Court will receive Parol Proof of the Father's Intention. *Anon.* (Ld. St. *John's Case*) M. 1750. 2 *Vezey* 56.]

[The Inclination of an Infant of the Age of Puberty as to the Place of Residence is of Weight, where there is no Imputation on the Person chosen. *Miss Nichol's Case*, T. 1751. 2 *Vezey* 374.]

(3 O. 4.) When he shall be removed.

If a Guardian at Common Law misbehaves himself, the Court, upon Cause shewn, may remove him. *Vide Eq. Abr.* 261. 1 *P. W.* 703.

So, if a Guardian appointed by the Court is in poor Circumstances. *Eq. Ca.* 116, 140.*

So a Guardian appointed by Chancery, or by the Ecclesiastical Court, is removable *ad Libitum*. *Eq. Ca.* 140.* * 2 Part of 2 *Mod. Ca.*

So, if Guardians appointed by Will misbehave themselves, the Court may interpose. *P. W.* 703.

Or, if there is only a Suspicion of their Misbehaviour. *P. W.* 705.

Or, if the Guardians are directed to advise with B. who is attainted, they ought to act by the Advice of the Court. *P. W.* 706.

(3 O. 5.) When not.

But where a Guardian is appointed by Will, the Court will not remove him. 2 *Ca. Ch.* 238. Without Cause. *Semb.* 1 *Ver.* 442.

If several are appointed Guardians, the Court will nominate the Survivor; for the Interest survives. *Eq. Ca.* 175.

If a Father, by Will, appoints his Wife, and A. Guardians to his Son, and, if his Wife marries, that they shall appoint another; the Wife marries, but she and A. do not agree to name another; *Chancery* will appoint a Guardian. *R. P. W.* 703. in *Marg.*

If a Guardian is appointed by the Court for a Lunatick, the Court will not remove him, because there is another Person nearer in Blood; for he has not the Right of Custody by Proximity of Blood. *R. 2 Ca. Ch.* 239.

So, if a Guardian is appointed to the Intent to pay himself a Debt due from the Father, he shall not be removed without Payment of the Debt, or Abuse of the Trust. 1 *Ver.* 442.

Yet a Testamentary Guardian, as well as a Guardian by Nature, or Nurture, * 2d Part of or in Socage, may be removed by *Chancery*, upon reasonable Cause. *R. Eq. Ca.* 2 *Mod. Ca.* 141.* *P. W.* 703.

[The Court will not determine a Guardianship, or discharge an Order made for a Guardian, because of a Marriage. *Roach v. Garvan*, M. 1748. 1 *Vezey* 157.]

(3 O. 6.) When Payment to a Guardian is allowed.

If Guardians appointed by Will to an Orphan, account in the Court of Orphans, for Money due to the Orphan, and pay the Balance to B. named Guardian, at the Request of the Friends of the Orphan, by the Court, who has given Security *pro tanto* to the Court; the Payment shall be good, tho' B. afterwards fails, the Orphan, at his full Age, having allowed B. for his Guardian. *R. 2 Ch. R.* 12.

But if A. named Guardian to an Orphan, and Executor to his Mother, pays to B. chosen by the Friends of the Orphan and approved by the Court for his Guardian, Money over and above the Sum for which B. gives Security; that Payment does not discharge A. tho' the Orphan, after his full Age, approves of B. for his Guardian. *R. 2 Ch. R.* 12.

So Payment of a Legacy to the Father of an Infant, tho' there was a parol Direction by the Testator, that it should be paid to him, and tho' the Son accounts with the Father, and does not make a Demand of the Legacy for fifteen Years after his full Age, shall not be allowed, when the Son afterwards becomes a Bankrupt. *R. P. W.* 285.

(3 O. 7.) The Power of a Guardian.

A Guardian shall be by Common Law, or by Statute.

By Common Law there was a Guardian in Chivalry; but this was taken away by the *St. 12 Car. 2. 24.* But Guardians in Socage, by Nature, or for Cause of Nurture, continue. *Vide Ante*, (3 O. 1.)

By the *St. 4 & 5 Ph. & M. 8.* If any take a Damsel under sixteen, out of the Custody of the Person to whom the Father by Will, or Act in his Life-time appoints it, he shall suffer two Years Imprisonment, or pay such Fine as the Court shall assess.

By the *St. 12 Car. 2. 24. s. 8, 9.* A Father may by Deed in his Life-time, or by Will, dispose of the Custody and Tuition of his Child or Children, till their Age of twenty-one or any lesser Time, and such Disposition of the Custody to be good and effectual against all Persons claiming the Custody or Tuition of such Child or Children as Guardians in Socage, or otherwise; and the Persons, to whom such Custody shall be disposed, may maintain an Action of Ravishment of Ward, or Trespas against any Persons wrongfully taking them away, and recover Damages for the Benefit of such Child or Children. And the Persons to whom such Custody shall be disposed may take into their Custody to the Use of such Child or Children the Profits of all their Lands, and the Custody and Management of their Personal Estate, till their Age of twenty-one, or any lesser Time according to such Disposition, and may bring such Actions as by Law a Guardian in Socage might do.

And if three are appointed, and one dies, the Survivors are Guardians, tho' it is not said, *To the Survivors.* *R. 2 P. W.* 107, 121.

Guardian in Socage, or by the *St. 12 Car. 2.* has an Authority and Trust coupled with an Interest. *2 P. W.* 122. *Vide Guardian*, (B. 1, &c.—E. 2.)

And therefore, he may make Leases, grant Copyholds, avow in his own Name, maintain Ravishment of Ward, &c. *2 P. W.* 122.

But a Guardian by the *St. 4 & 5 Ph. & M.* has only a bare Authority. *2 P. W.* 122.

[It is clear in Point of Law, that a testamentary Guardianship is not assignable. *Mellish v. Da Costa*, *M.* 1737. *2 Atkyns* 14.]

(3 P.) Heir.

(3 P. 1.) When subject to the Debts of the Ancestor.

Vide Heir.

IF a Man by Specialty binds his Heirs, the Heir shall be liable to the Payment of the Debt, if he has Affets by Descent from his Ancestor. *Vide Affets*, (A.) *Pleader*, (2 E. 2, &c.) *Ante*, (2 G. 1, &c.)

When he shall be bound by the Covenant of the Ancestor, *Vide in Covenant*, (C. 2.)

And tho' the Penalty of a Bond is 40*l.* instead of 400*l.* it shall be aided against the Heir. *R. 2 Ca. Ch.* 225.

And there shall be the same Decree against the Heir as upon a Judgment at Law. *R. 2 Ca. Ch.* 225.

If a Man has Land charged with an Annuity of 250*l.* for four Years, and receives the Rent, but does not pay the Annuity; the Land shall be charged in the Hands of his Heir, tho' the four Years are expired. *R. 2 Ver.* 180.

If a Man settles Land in Trustees for Payment of Debts; it shall be good against the Heir, tho' no Creditor is a Party, nor any particular Debt expressed, nor Covenant for Payment. *R. Ca. Ch.* 249. *Vide Post*, (4 W. 14.)

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Tho' the Conveyance would be otherwise void. *Ca. Ch. 249.*

So, if Land is settled to be sold for Payment of Debts; tho' the Heir shall have Advantage of the Personal Estate, to be applied in the first Place for Payment of Debts: Yet a Purchaser of the Land shall be safe, tho' the Personal Estate was not sufficient for the Payment of the Debts, and the Heir shall take his Remedy against the Trustee. *R. 2 Ca. Ch. 115.*

So a Purchaser shall hold against the Heir, tho' the Trustee embezzles the Money. *Ibid.*

So, if *A.* grants a Watercourse in his Land to *B.* and covenants for himself and his Heirs to cleanse it, and that all Fines and Recoveries of the Land shall be for Confirmation of the Grant, and a Recovery is afterwards suffered; the Heir shall be obliged to cleanse the Watercourse, for the Covenant runs with the Land. *Eq. Abr. 27.*

(3 P. 2.) When not.

But the Heir shall not be answerable to another for the Debt of his Ancestor, who bound himself and his Heirs by Specialty, if he has not Affets by Descent.

So, in a Writ of Error against the Heir on an erroneous Judgment obtained by the Ancestor in a Real Action, the Heir shall not render Damages, if he has not Affets by Descent. *Bro. Affets 3.*

So a Bill for Discovery of Affets, against the Heir, to satisfy the Bond of his Ancestor, shall not be allowed, if it does not appear that the Heir was bound by the Bond. *1 Ver. 180.*

So, if there is a Verdict against the Heir, upon a false Plea in Debt upon the Bond of his Ancestor, and he dies before the Day in Bank, a Bill for Relief against his Devisee shall be dismissed. *1 Ver. 400.*

(3 P. 3.) What Advantages an Heir shall have, and what not.

When Land is charged with the Payment of Debts, the Personal Estate shall be first applied in Aid of the Land. *Vide Ante, (3 A. 3, &c.) Post, (3 Y. 2.)*

And the Surplus shall be decreed to the Heir. *Vide Ante, (3 A. 5.)*

So, when by Settlement Portions are charged upon Land, to be paid at full Age, if the Infants die before, the Benefit accrues to the Heir. *Vide Post, (3 Y. 2, 8, 15.)*

[If a Man devises his Real Estate, and also his Personal Estate, to trustees, to sell both for Payment of Debts, and then to apply the Money arising from the Personal and also from the Real Estate among his five Children, thus, to the eldest Son 200*l.* which he gives him at Twenty-one, and the Residue thereof among the four others, share and share alike: And if any of the four younger die, his Share to go to the Survivor; if the eldest die before Twenty-one, the 200*l.* shall go to the Heir of the Testator. *Cruse v. Barley, M. 1727. 3 P. W. 20.*]

[Whether a Portion charged on Land is given with or without Interest, by Deed or by Will, if the Person dies before the Age at which it becomes payable, it shall sink into the Estate. *Boycot v. Cotton, M. 1738. 1 Atkyns 552.*]

[But the Interest accrued thereon before his Death, if not paid, shall be paid to the Person who maintained him. *Ibid.*]

So, if a Devise is of the Real Estate, subject to Debts and Legacies, and that the Creditors and Legatees not paid may enter till satisfied; the Personal Estate goes in the first Place in Aid of the Real. *R. 2 Ver. 121.*

So, a Devise of Lands for sixteen Years for Payment of Debts and Legacies; the Surplus shall be to the Heir. *2 Ver. 645.*

Or, if it is for 500 Years to pay Debts and Legacies, and four Years afterwards to attend the Inheritance; the Surplus shall be immediately to the Heir after Debts and Legacies paid. *2 Ver. 645. Eq. Ca. 187.**

So a Devise of Lands to be sold to pay Debts and Legacies, the Surplus to his Executor, and to be Personal Estate, shall go to the Heir. *2 Ver. 645.*

But

* 2d Part of
2 Mod. Ca.

But if a Man devises Land to be sold for Payment of Debts and Legacies, and the Surplus to his Heir, and devises his Goods with his House, and the Residue of his Personal Estate to his Sister, whom he makes Executrix; the Personal Estate shall not go in Aid of the Real. 2 Ver. 718. Eq. R. 72, 129.

[If A seized in Fee of Lands, possessed of personal Estate, gives all his worldly Goods to his Wife, and then devises the Lands to her for Life, then to R. his Son, and his Heirs, and gives M. his Daughter 150 L. to be paid her in twelve Months after R. shall come to enjoy the Premises; and if R. dies before his Mother, then H. another Son coming to the Possession thereof, and surviving his Mother shall pay M. 200 L.; this Charges the Real Estate only, and shall be paid by the Heir claiming under the Devisee and Heir at Law of Testator. Miles v. Leigh, M. 1738. 1 Atkyns 573.]

So if the Grandfather mortgages and dies, then the Father dies; the Personal Estate of the Father shall not be applied for the Payment of the Mortgage. Sal. 450.

If a Man purchases an Equity of Redemption, the Mortgage shall not be paid out of his Personal Estate. 1 Ver. 37.

So, if a Mortgagor devises Lands in Mortgage to B. and other Land for Payment of Debts; B. shall take the Lands in Mortgage cum Onere. R. 2 Ver. 183.

[If A. devises Lands to B. in Tail, Remainder over, &c. then in Mortgage for 1300 L. and devises other Lands subject to his Debts, in case his personal Estate and other Estates devised for that Purpose are not sufficient, to C.; the 1300 L. must be paid out of Personal Estate, or if deficient out of the Real Estate devised to C. Bartholomew v. May, H. 1737. 1 Atkyns 487.]

[If a Man seized in Fee of an Estate, having borrowed Money, gives Bond for it, and afterwards a Mortgage on it, and afterwards by Will devises the Estate in Fee so mortgaged, and also an Estate for Lives to A. his Wife, and makes her sole Executrix, and after making his Will purchases at two different Times the Reversion in Fee of the Life-hold Estate, and dies without altering his Will; the Life-hold Estate, and the Reversion of it, so purchased, shall descend to the Heir at Law, but it shall be liable as Real Affets to exonerate the mortgaged Estate in Fee devised to A. the Wife. Galton v. Hancock, M. 1742. T. 1743. T. 1744. 2 Atkyns 424. 427. 430.]

[If A. and B. his Wife, seized in Right of B. of Lands in D. held by Lease for three Lives, and seized of the Inheritance in Fee, expectant on the Death of B.'s Grandmother and Mother, of a Manor and Lands in L. mortgage the Lands in D. for 1000 L. and then the Manor, &c. in L. for 800 L. and then on borrowing 200 L. more, subject both to Payment of the three Sums, and before Payment A. dies, and B. becomes solely seized, and borrows 240 L. 6 d. which with 159 L. 19 s. 6 d. Interest, makes up 2400 L. and by Indorsement on the second Mortgage makes both subject thereto; and then agrees with C. that for 2260 L. 10 s. she will convey to him and his Heirs the Estate in L. subject to the two Lives, the Money to be applied in Discharge of the Mortgage, and that the Lease should be renewed, and a third Life (C.'s Son) added, and then C. to lend her 1600 L. to pay the Residue of the Mortgage, the Fine, and her Debts, and C. pays 100 L. and the Grandmother dying, C. agrees to pay 146 L. more, and pays several other Sums in Part, and the Lease is renewed and the Fine paid, and C. takes Notes and a Bond for the Sums advanced till the Agreement shall be completed, and before that B. dies intestate. On a Bill brought by her Administrator for himself and the Creditors of C. admitting the Facts, the Agreement shall be carried into Execution against the Heir at Law. Lacon v. Mertins, M. 1743. 3 Atkyns 1.]

So, if in a Mortgage there is no Covenant for Payment, and the Mortgagor's Personal Estate is devised to his Wife; it shall not be applied to the Mortgage. 2 Ver. 701. Eq. Ca. 129.

So, if A. having Power to charge 500 L. for Payment of Debts, makes a Mortgage for that Purpose, and, upon an Assignment of the Mortgage, his Son covenants to pay; the Personal Estate of the Son shall not be applied. 2 P. W. 596.

If a Debt is recovered against the Heir upon the Bond of his Ancestor, when the Executor has Affets; the Executor shall be compelled in Equity to reimburse the Heir. Ca. Ch. 74. Per Hale, Hard. 512. 1 Ch. R. 156.

If a Man enters into an Article for the Purchase of Land and dies, the Money shall be decreed to the Heir for the Purchase. 1 *Sal.* 154. 2 *P. W.* (632).
Vide Assets, Ante, (2 G. 1.)

So a Mortgagee shall be paid out of the Personal Estate, if there are Assets for Debts and Legacies. *Sal.* 449. *R. Ch. R.* 401.

So, if there is a Residuary Legatee, the Heir shall be aided out of the Personal Estate. *R. 2 Ver.* 43. *R. Eq. R.* 72.

Tho' he be the Devisee, after the Death of the Residuary Legatee, and also Heir. *Dub. 2 Ver.* 470.

But if a Man is indebted by Mortgage, Stat. &c. which charge the Real Estate, and there are Personal Assets for other Debts; if the Mortgagee, &c. recover their Debts out of the Personal Estate, the other Creditors shall be relieved against the Heir in Equity, for so much as was chargeable on the Real Estate. *Vide Post, (3 Y. 6.)*

So shall a Legatee, where, by Extent, &c. upon the Personal Estate, no Assets remain for Legacies. *R. 2 Ca. Ch.* 5.

Or, if the Personal Assets are exhausted by Payment of Debts, for which the Land was charged. *R. 2 Ca. Ch.* 117.

If the Case is dubious, the Heir shall be preferred. *D. Ca. Ch.* 7. 2 *Ver.* 571.

If a Devise is to a Daughter in Fee, Proviso that the Son and Heir shall have the Land, if he pays 50 *l.* at such a Day; if he does not pay it at the Day, and the Daughter sells, the Heir shall be relieved, upon Payment afterwards, against the Vendee. *R. 2 Ca. Ch.* 1.

If a Devise is to *A.* and his Heirs, in Trust to pay a Third of the Profits to his Wife in Lieu of Dower, till his Son is Twenty-one; and out of two Thirds to raise Portions for younger Children, and after the full Age of his Son, to him in Tail, &c. If the Son dies before the Age of Twenty-one, the Profits after the Death of the Wife and the Portions raised, go to the Heir at Law, his Executor, or Administrator. *R. 2 Ver.* 139.

If a Man devise to three and their Heirs, to the Use, or in Trust for *A.* for Life, and his Issue severally in Tail Male, without limiting any Use or Trust of the Fee; it shall be decreed to his Heir at Law, and not to the Trustees. *R. 2 Ver.* 644.

If a Man settles an Estate by Deed or Will, all that is not otherwise disposed of goes to his Heir; as, if he settles an Estate in Trust, that if his Daughter marries *A.* and has Issue, it shall be to *A.* and his Wife for their Lives, and after their Death without Issue, to *B.* in Tail, and for Default of such Issue to *C.* which *B.* and *C.* are his Heirs at Law; if the Daughter has no Issue, whereby the Condition precedent is not performed, and *A.* cannot take for his Life, *C.* shall have one Moiety of the Profits, and *B.* the other, during the Life of *A.* *R. Ca. Parl.* 87.

[If one devises a Rent-charge to be sold to pay Legacies amounting to 800 *l.* and if it sells for 1000 *l.* then to pay a further legacy of 200 *l.*; if it sells for more than 800 *l.* and less than 1000 *l.* the Surplus shall belong to the Heir as a resulting Trust. *Stonehouse v. Evelyn, P.* 1734. 3 *P. W.* 252.]

[If there is an executory Devise of Lands with a Proviso in the Will, that the Profits (beyond an Allowance) shall be laid up for the first Person that shall be intitled to the Lands when he attains Twenty-one, and the Testator dies, leaving no Person *in esse* to take under the Limitations; until such Person be born, the Profits are to be looked upon as a Residue undisposed of, and descend to the Heir at Law. *Hopkins v. Hopkins, M.* 8 G. 2. *C. T. T.* 44. To this Determination Mr. Pope alludes in his Account of *Vulture Hopkins.*]

[And if such Person comes *in esse*, and dies, the Heir at Law is still intitled to the Profits above the Maintenance during this Infant's Life, and to all Profits afterwards, till a Person comes *in esse*, intitled to an Estate for Life in Possession. *Hopkins v. Hopkins, T.* 1749. 1 *Vezey* 266.]

[If *A.* settles Lands in *H.* to himself for Life, to Trustees to preserve, &c. to his first and other Sons in Tail, to *B.* for Life, to Trustees to preserve, &c. and to his first and other Sons in Tail, to the right Heirs of *A.* with Power of Revocation

cation on settling other Lands in G. of equal Value, and free from Incumbrances to the same Uses; and afterwards by Will devises these Lands to C. for Life, and all his other Lands to Trustees, for the Use of his only Daughter and Child, with Remainders over, and directs all his personal Estate to be laid out in Lands to be settled to the same Uses; and afterwards by Lease and Release intended as an Execution of the Revocation in the first Settlement, conveys Lands in Y. to the same Uses as those in H. but these Lands are not of equal Value, and are subject with others to a Term to raise 10,000*l.* this is not a good Execution of the Power of Revocation; the second Deed is a Revocation of the Will as to the Lands in Y. thereby settled, and if B. chuses to adhere to the Lands in H. he is a Trustee for the Lands in Y. for Testator's Heir at Law, and C. is not intitled to any Equity against him. *Burgoigne v. Fox, P. 1738. 1 Atkyns 575.*

[If a Man devises all his Freehold Lands in the Occupation of L. and all the Rest of his Estate, consisting of ready Money, Jewels, Leases, Judgments, Mortgages, &c. or in any other Thing whatsoever, or wheresoever, to his Wife, yet the Rest of Real Estate does not pass. *Timewell v. Perkins, M. 1740. 2 Atkyns 102.*]

[If a Man devises to his Son H. all his Freehold and Copyhold in C. (which Copyhold I have surrendered to the Use of my Will) and dies, having surrendered Part of a House, and not the other Part which he had purchased after the Surrender, only what was surrendered shall pass, and the Customary Heir shall not be disinherited of the Rest. *Gascoigne v. Barker, M. 1743. 3 Atkyns 8.*]

[If a Man by Articles before Marriage covenants to settle Lands, or a Rent-Charge thereout, of 40*l.* per Annum on Trustees, to the Use of him for Life, Wife for Life, in Bar of Dower, Remainder to the Heirs of their Bodies, and he has then no Real Estate, but purchases afterwards one of 9*l.* in A. and then another of 40*l.* in B. subject to an Estate for Life to another in an undivided Moiety, the Lands in A. and the Moiety in Possession of those in B. shall be considered as purchased in Performance of the Covenant, and go towards the Widow's Jointure, the Moiety not in Possession shall go to the Heir at Law. *Deacon v. Smith, P. 1746. 3 Atkyns 323.*]

[If A. by Articles previous to his Marriage with B. covenants to lay out 2000*l.* in Land, and to settle on A. for Life, B. for Life, then to Trustees to sell and divide the Money among the Children of the Marriage, to Sons at 21, Daughters 21, or Marriage, provided no Sale be made till one of the Shares become payable; and Lands are purchased, Part before, Part after A.'s Death. C. the only Child attains 21 in B.'s Life, but never applies for a Sale, nor are the Lands conveyed to her, but she lets Leases of them, reserving Rent to her and her Heirs; B. dies, C. dies intestate, the Lands shall go to the Heir at Law, and not be considered as personal Estate. *Crabtree v. Bramble, H. 1747. 3 Atk. 680.*]

[If a Woman under Age gives a personal Legacy to her Daughter, and devises her real Estate to a Stranger, the Daughter is not obliged to make an Election, but shall take the Legacy under the Will, and the real Estate as Heir at Law, the Will as to that being void. *Herle v. Greenbank, P. 1749. 3 Atkyns 695. 1 Vezey 298.*]

[If a Man gives Legacies to his Executors, and a Copyhold to A. he paying his Executors 1000*l.* and gives the Residue of his Estate to a Charity, this 1000*l.* is a Charge on real Estate, therefore void by Statute of Mortmain, and the Devisee cannot take without performing the Condition, therefore the 1000*l.* shall go to the Heir. *Arnold v. Chapman, T. 1748. 1 Vezey 108.*]

If a Man settles an Estate in Trust for such Uses as he shall appoint, and appoints that the Trustees convey to his Daughters, generally; the Daughters have only an Estate for Life, and the Heir shall have the Reversion. *R. 2 Ca. Ch. 125.*

Tho' the Trust was, for want of an Appointment, to his Son and Daughters and their Heirs; for he has made an Appointment. *R. 2 Ca. Ch. 125.*

So, if a Lease for three Lives is in Trust for B. who dies; the Trust shall be decreed to his Heir. *R. Ca. Ch. 311.*

If a Devise is of Land for fifteen Years, in Trust for Payment of Debts; after the Debts are paid, the Residue of the Profits during the Years, shall be decreed to the Heir. *R. Cont. but a Qu. is there made. Ca. Ch. 98. 1 Ch. R. 263.*

[Money agreed to be laid out in Land shall be taken as Land, and go to Heir, whether the Money was in the Hands of Trustees, or remained in the Hands of the Covenantor. *Lechmere v. E. Carlisle, M. 1733. 3 P. W. 211. C. T. T. 80.*]

[But if the Covenantor after the Covenant purchases Lands in Fee-simple, (tho' without the Consent of Trustees as the Agreement required) they shall go as a Satisfaction *pro tanto. Ibid.*]

[If Money is settled to be laid out in Land, and afterwards all the Parties interested agree, that if *A.* dies before it is so invested, then it shall go to them, and their Executors and Administrators, according to their respective Interests, and one of the Parties dies before *A.* it shall go to the Heir, and not the Executor. *Oldham v. Hughes, M. 1742. 2 Atkyns 452.*]

[But where there is a Trust of Money, clearly intended to be considered as Money, tho' afterwards there is a Power given to the Trustees to lay it out in Land, yet, if it is not done, it shall not be considered as Land, nor go to the Heir. *Stamper v. Millar, H. 1744. 3 Atkyns 212.*]

[So if a Man by Will directs his real Estate to be sold, and the Produce together with his personal to pay Debts and Legacies, and one of the Legacies is void by Law, or lapses, it goes to the residuary Legatee, not to the Heir at Law. *Durour v. Motteux, M. 1749. 1 Vezey 320.*]

[If a Man by Will gives all his worldly Estate, all his real and personal Estate to Trustees, to pay several Annuities and other Sums out of personal, and, if that deficient, out of Rents and Profits of real; and as to the Residue of real and personal, to such Children as his Daughter should have, equally; if she dies without Issue, to others, and directs, that, on the Death of Annuitants, their Annuities shall go back to the Residue, and go to those in Remainder over, but this provided his Daughter dies without Issue, otherwise to be divided among them equally; the surplus Rents and Profits of the real Estate accumulate, and do not go to the Heir at Law; but whether to the Daughter's Children, or to those in Remainder over? *Gibson v. Ld. Montford, T. 1750. 1 Vezey 485.*]

If by Articles the Portion of the Wife, and so much Money of the Husband, are to be vested in a Purchase, for the Use of the Husband and Wife and the Heirs of their Bodies, without saying how the Use shall be afterwards, and both die without Issue before a Purchase; all the Money shall go to the Heir of the Husband, and not to the Executor of the Wife, tho' she survived. *R. 2 Ver. 20.*

If an Heir purchases a prior Mortgage or Incumbrance to defend him from mesne Incumbrances; on a Bill by the mesne Mortgagees, this prior Mortgage does not aid the Heir; for he shall not be allowed more than the Money *bonâ fide* paid for the Purchase of it. *R. 2 Vent. 353. 1 Ver. 335, 6. 464.*

If a Man creates a Term in Trustees for Portions for his Daughters to be paid at Marriage or Age of twenty-one Years, and afterwards in Trust for his Heir, and by his Will devises the like Portions for his Daughters, but says, that his Daughters shall not have double Portions, and one Daughter dies under Age and unmarried; her Portion sinks for the Benefit of the Heir. *R. 1 Ver. 205, 324. R. 2 Ver. 93. Vide Post, (3 Y. 8.)*

So, if the Term is for raising 6000 *l.* for the Issue with which his Wife is *privement enseint*, if it be a Daughter; a Daughter is born, but dies; the Portion does not go to her Administrator, but sinks for the Benefit of the Heir. *R. 2 Ver. 208.*

If *A.* covenants to pay 1000 *l.* to *B.* for building a new House upon his Estate, and dies before the House is built; the Heir, if there are Personal Assets, shall compel the Executor, or Administrator, to build the House. *R. 2 Ver. 322.*

[If a Person incapable to manage his Affairs, and who is afterwards found Lunatic, at that Time lays out Part of his Personal in the Purchase of Real Estate with the Approbation of his only Son, the Purchase shall stand. *Sergeon, v. Sealey, M. 1742. 2 Atkyns 412.*]

But

But if a Portion is limited to be raised out of Land for a Daughter, without limiting any Time of Payment; if the Daughter, at her Age of Seventeen, disposes of the Sum to be raised by her Will, the Portion shall be paid to the Executor of the Daughter. *R. 2 Ver. 74, 352.*

So, if the Portion is appointed to be paid at the Age of eighteen, or Marriage; the Daughter, after eighteen, may dispose of it by her Will, tho' she dies before Marriage. *R. and Affirmed in Parliament. 2 Ver. 352, 354.*

If a Man devises Lands to *A.* to pay 600 *l.* to *B.* within six Months after his Death, and in Default thereof to *B.* and his Heirs: *B.* dies within three Months; the Lands shall go by the Limitation to the Heir, and not as a Mortgage to the Executor. *R. 1 Ver. 402. Eq. Abr. 105.*

[If *A.* incumbent and patron of *B.* as to his worldly Goods, after Debts paid, disposes thus; he devises the Advowson, Glebe, Profits and Appurtenances, to *C.* his Mother-in-Law, willing her to sell it as soon as she conveniently and lawfully may to *Eaton College*, or if they don't agree, to *Trinity*, or if they don't agree, to any College, the best Purchaser; and gives *C.* her Heirs, &c. his Freehold Lands in *O.* and after some small Legacies, gives her the Residue, and makes her Executrix; there is no resulting Trust to the Heirs at Law of *A.* but a Devise of the beneficial Interest to *C.* with Injunction to sell to particular Societies. *Hill v. Bishop London, H. 1738. and T. 1739. 1 Atkyns 618.*

[If *A.* Patron and Incumbent of *S.* by Will devises the Advowson to *B.* on Trust, to present *W.* his Son, and then to sell it, and after Payment of Debts, to distribute the Residue in Thirds to his Daughters, and if either die before twenty-one, or Marriage, her Third to the Son if he confirms the Will by Deed, if not, to the surviving Daughters; *W.* is presented and dies before the Sale, leaving an Infant Daughter; there is no resulting Trust for the Heir at Law, and the Ownership in Equity is vested in the *Cestuique Trust* of the Surplus, who shall present. *Hawkins v. Chappel, M. 1739. 1 Atkyns 621.*

[If a Man seised in Fee of *A.* directs that it shall be exchanged for *B.* and for that Purpose devises it to Trustees to make the Exchange, and to permit his Wife to enjoy *A.* till the Exchange, and then to settle *B.* on his Wife for Life, with Remainders to the same Persons to whom he had limited other Manors by his Will, whereby he has devised all his Real Estates to Trustees, and the Exchange cannot be made; the Heir at Law of the Testator, and of the surviving Trustee for *A.* shall not have *A.* but the Person intitled under the Will to the other Manors shall have it. *E. Coventry v. Coventry, T. 1742. 2 Atkyns 366.*

[The Court will not declare a Will well proved, where the Heir at Law is not before the Court, tho' he cannot be found; but it will decree a Sale. *French v. Baron, H. 1740. 2 Atkyns 120.*

[If an Heir at Law Defendant admits the Will that disinherits him, he is not intitled to inspect the Deeds of the Estate. *Potter v. Potter, T. 1749. 3 Atkyns 719.*

[If a Man by Will devises his Land to his younger Son, and gives a Contingent Legacy to *A.* who becomes his Heir at Law, with express Condition not to dispute the Will, which is not duly executed to convey Lands, *A.* when of Age shall make Election of the Legacy or the Lands. *Boughton v. Boughton, T. 1750. 2 Vezey 12.*

[If a Man devises that till *A.* attains twenty-one, or marries, her Mother *B.* shall receive the Rents, and pay *A.* 300 *l.* a Year, and retain 900 *l.* per Annum to herself, and to account with *A.* if she attains twenty-one, or marries; if *A.* dies before either, then to *C.* his Niece and Heir at Law; the Court will not appoint a Receiver on the Prayer of *C.* but (*Semb.*) will grant Injunction to stay Waste. *Knight v. Duplessis, T. 1751. 2 Vezey 360.*

(3 Q.) Idrot.

Vide Idrot,
(C).

[T]HE Power of Justices of Peace does not extend to Lunaticks, whose Relations are in a Condition to apply to Chancery. *Anon. T. 1740. 2 Atkyns 52.*

If

If a Commission is granted to *A. Chancery* at Discretion may afterwards commit the Custody to another. *Semb. 1 Ver. 262.*

But will not change it, upon a Petition by the next of Kin, because that the Inheritance may descend to the Committee, or that the Maintenance is too large. *2 P. W. 263.*

[Notice of passing Accounts of Lunatick's Estate should always be given to such Relations as would be intitled to a Share if he died intestate; but they are not allowed Costs of Attendance unless for Special Cause. *Ex parte Wright, T. 1750. 2 Vezey 25.*]

[If a Lunatick has Estates, both in *England* and *Scotland*, a Proportion from each should be allowed for his Maintenance. *M. Annandale v. Marchioness of Annandale, T. 1751. 2 Vezey 181.*]

[The Court will (on Circumstances) order the Bond given by Committee to be delivered up, and less Security taken. *Ex parte Northleigh, T. 1755. 2 Vezey 673.*]

[So, will order it to be delivered up, on a greater Security being given; but such Applications are not encouraged, as the Lunatick might be without Remedy for the Time past. *Ex parte Pereira, T. 1755. 2 Vezey 674.*]

A Committee cannot make an Incumbrance upon the Estate of an Ideot, without an Order of Court, by Mortgage or otherwise; for he has but an Estate at Will. *1 Ver. 262.*

[Committee of a Lunatick's Real Estate may cut down Timber on it for Repairs; and if they have bought Timber, they shall make good the Money to the Personal Estate. *Ex parte Ludlow, T. 1742. 2 Atkyns 407.*]

So, if *A.* before his Lunacy makes a Mortgage, the Committee cannot join in an Assignment for a greater Sum. *R. 1 Ver. 262.*

So he cannot make Leases. *1 Ver. 262.*

Nor demand an Allowance for Improvement of the Estate by building upon it. *1 Ver. 263.*

If *A.* is found a Lunatick from such a Day, without Intervals, all Alienations by him, after that Day shall be avoided. *2 Ver. 678. Vide 2 Ver. 414.*

So, a Purchase from him at an Under-value, tho' confirmed by Fine and Recovery, upon Repayment of so much as was duly advanced with Interest. *2 Ver. 678.*

[To keep a Commission of Lunacy unexecuted for any long Time is a Contempt. *Anon. T. 1740. 2 Atkyns 52.*]

[If there is a Misbehaviour in executing an Inquisition of Lunacy, the Court may quash it, and direct a new Commission; but a *melius inquirendum* is only grantable on the Part of the Crown, who cannot traverse as a Subject can. *Ex parte Roberts, M. 1743. 3 Atkyns 5.*]

[If the Lunatick appears better on an Inspection after the Inquisition taken, the Court will grant a Traverse, and suspend the Grant of the Custody till further Order. *Ibid.*]

[Whether the Party can have a Traverse without applying to this Court? *Q. Vide Cutt's Case, Ley 86.* but without Leave of this Court the Custody cannot be suspended. *Ibid.*]

[If the Inquisition be to inquire whether *A.* is a Lunatick, or enjoys lucid intervals, so that he is not sufficient for the Government of himself and his Affairs, and the Return is, that *A.* is, from the weakness of his Mind, incapable of governing himself, and his Lands and Tenement, it is an illegal and void Return, and the Inquisition shall be quashed. *Ex parte Barnsley, T. 1744. 3 Atkyns 168.*]

[The above Return is good in Substance, tho' informal; and if a second Inquisition is returned that he is of *unsound Mind*, so that he is not sufficient to the Government, &c. it is good, and after those two the Court will not grant a Traverse. *Ex parte Barnesley, T. 1744. 3 Atkyns 184.*]

[Not only the Lunatick, but the Heir of the Lunatick is bound upon the Traverse of the Inquisition. *Ex parte Roberts, H. 1745. 3 Atkyns 308.*]

[The Chancellor will on Application make a provisional Order, as to the Effects of a supposed Lunatick, till the Lunacy is fully determined. *Ex parte Heli, P. 1748. 3 Atkyns 635.*]

[The Court will direct one found *non compds* before a foreign Jurisdiction (as the Senate of *Hamburgh*) Heir to a Mortgagee, to convey, under 4 G. 2. c. 10. *Ex parte Otto Lewis*, T. 1749. 1 *Vezey* 292.]

[If the supposed Lunatick is Abroad, the Commission may be directed to the County in *England* where his Mansion-House and Estate lies. *Ex parte Southcot*, T. 1751. 2 *Vezey* 401.]

[The common Form is not of Necessity to be observed. *Ibid.*]

[The Commissioners and Jury have a Right to inspect the Person, but they are not obliged so to do. *Ibid.*]

[Not being able to answer the most common Question touching Figures, is not Ground for a Commission, if the Party gives rational Answers to other Questions. *Ld. Donegal's Case*, P. 1752. 2 *Vezey* 407.]

[A Man's appearing not Lunatick at one Time does not prevent Application afterwards; but if there has been a Personal Examination on the first, the Chancellor will not proceed without new Inspection. *Ibid.*]

[If a Man is found an Idiot for so many Years past, it is good; for finding him an Idiot implies from his Birth, the Rest is Surplusage. *Ibid.*]

[Tho' a Man is very weak, and a Petition for Commission is presented in the Name of Infants, whose Remainder may be thereby defeated, the Court will not grant Commission, and the Court will grant Relief against Deeds or Will obtained from a Man against whom it will grant a Commission. *Ibid.*]

[A Petition to supersede a Commission, must be in the Name of the Person who had recovered sound Mind. *Ex parte Stanley*, T. 1750. 2 *Vezey* 25.]

(3 R) Infant.

(3 R. 1.) How he shall sue.

Vide Pleader,
(2 C. 1.)

AN Infant shall have the same Relief in Chancery as another Person.

And may sue by *prochien Amy*, or Guardian. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 194.

Or in Person. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 194.

So a Bill may be exhibited by any one, as *prochien Amy* to an Infant *en ventre sa mere*, and he shall thereupon have an Injunction to stay Waste. *Eq. Abr.* 71. 2 *Ver.* 711.

So a Bill for an Infant by a *prochien Amy*, without the Consent of the Infant, shall be allowed; for it is at his Peril. *Mich.* 1713. *Eq. Abr.* 72.

[*Prochien Amy* need not be a Relation, but then he must be a Person of Substance, because liable to Costs. *Anon.* H. 1737. 1 *Atkyns* 570.]

So a Stranger may demand an Account for an Infant, against his Guardian, during his Minority, tho' the Infant himself cannot have an Account against him, till his full Age. 2 *P. W.* 119.

[If a Man leave a Personal Estate between his Wife, whom he makes Executrix, and two Infant Children, and a Relation, as *prochien Amy*, files a Bill against the Wife for an Account; on Affidavit of other Relations, that the Suit is not for Infants Benefit, the Court will refer it to a Master, and on his Report to that Effect, stay Proceedings. *Da Costa v. Da Costa*, P. 1732. 3 *P. W.* 140.]

If there be a Mistake by the Offer of an Infant in his Bill; the Court will take Care of him, and direct an Amendment of the Bill. 2 *P. W.* 386, 7.

[On extraordinary Circumstances, the Court will give an Infant Plaintiff a Day to shew Cause. *Bennet v. Lee*, H. 1742. 2 *Atkyns* 529.]

But when an Infant sues, he shall have no other Privilege, than a Man of full Age; for he shall pay Costs; and if he claims by a Will, there is no need of Proof as to him himself. 2 *P. W.* 519.

[On a Bill filed by *prochien Amy*, an Infant pays no Costs. *Turner v. Turner*, T. 12 G. *Str.* 708.]

N. B. The contrary was ordered at first, whereupon Plaintiff obtained a Re-hearing as to the Point of Costs, when it was ordered as here reported. This is probably the Reason why this Case is wrong reported in 2 P. W. Select Cases in C. &c.]

(3 R. 2.) How he shall be sued.

If an Infant is sued, the Court will appoint a Guardian to defend him. *Vide. Vide Pleader, Practical Register in Chancery 194, 5. (2 C. 2.)*

Or he may answer in Person. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery 194.*

[An Infant when he comes of Age is intitled to put in a new Answer, and make a better Defence if he can. *Bennet v. Lee, H. 1742. 2 Atkyns 529.*]

[An Infant may also apply to put in a better Answer during his Infancy, where he might not be able to come at the same Evidence when he shall be of Age; as if the necessary Witnesses are old. *Ibid.*]

And may be compelled to the Performance of a Decree. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery 195.*

And shall be committed, if he disobey it. *Ibid.*

If he sues by *prochein Amy*, and after his full Age he does not proceed, whereby his Bill is dismissed; he shall pay Costs, and take his Remedy against his *prochein Amy*. 2 P. W. 297.

(3 R. 3.) What Things he shall be decreed to do, during his Infancy.

If Land is conveyed by Trustees to an Infant, he shall be compelled to perform the Trust, during his Minority. *Semb. 1 Ver. 343.* (3 R. 3.) To perform a Trust,

So, if Land is given to him for Payment of an Annuity to another, he shall be compelled to pay it, and the Arrearages. *Tot. 171.*

So, if there be a Bond for the Money of A. in the Name of an Infant; upon Payment to A. the Infant shall be stayed from suing.

So, by the St. 7 Ann. 19. An Infant Trustee may, on Petition and Reference to a Master, be ordered by the Court to assign his Trust.

[By stat. 4 G. 3. c. 16. the Powers of 7 Ann. c. 19. are granted to the Courts in the Counties Palatine and Wales, with respect to Lands in them severally.]

[The stat. 7 Ann. c. 19. extends only to plain and express Trusts, not to such as are implied or constructive only. *Goodwyn v. Lister, M. 1735. 3 P. W. 387.*]

[Therefore if A. covenants to convey, dies, and the Premises descend to B. C. and D. an Infant; B. and C. shall convey immediately, and a Day be given to D. to shew Cause within six Months after he is of Age. *Ibid.*]

[Or if Lands in Fee are devised to Infant, charged with Debts and Legacies, the Infant shall not be decreed to join in Sale of so much and such Part as shall be sufficient and fit to be sold to pay, but the Master shall report, and the Infant convey when of Age, unless he shew Cause in six Months. *Anon. T. 1730. 3 P. W. 389.*]

[An Infant Trustee shall not be decreed to convey, if there is a Doubt whether he has an Interest of his own in the Estate, unless on proper Suit. *Hawkins v. Obeen. T. 1754. 2 Vezey 559.*]

And to levy a Fine, if it be necessary for an effectual Assignment; as, if she be a Feme Covert. (*Vide Comyns's Reports 615.*)

[The Court will order an Infant who is a Feme-covert, and Heir of a Mortgagee in Fee, to convey by Fine, the Husband consenting by Council, for Affidavit of Service on him is not sufficient. *Ex parte Mair, P. 1747. 3 Atk. 479.*]

[The Court will order an Infant Trustee to convey by common Recovery; for the Act is general, that he shall convey as the Court direct. *Ex parte Johnston, T. 1747. 3 Atkins 559.*]

[On Application for an Infant Trustee to join in suffering a common Recovery, the Court will order all Parties to concur in all necessary Acts for the Infant's suffering it, as it is doubtful whether he can do it without a privy Seal. *Ex parte Bowes, T. 1744. 3 Atkyns 164.*]

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But this ought to be done, where the Trust is manifest; for if the Trust is not in Writing, there shall be a Decree upon a Bill. 2. P. W. 549.

So a Decree for the Sale of an Estate for Payment of Debts, binds Infants. 1 Ver. 295.

So an Infant shall be foreclosed, if he does not redeem a Mortgage during his Infancy. 2 Vent. 351.

But if the Title is dubious, he shall not be foreclosed, till his full Age; for no Money can be expected on the Assignment. Ibid.

And if he be foreclosed, he shall have a Day allowed him, after his full Age. 1 Ver. 295.

So, if he be decreed to join in a Sale, he shall have a Day to shew Cause to the contrary, after his full Age. 2 Ver. 429.

So, if it be decreed that any one shall hold and enjoy Land against him. 2 Ver. 479.

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A Decree for the confirming or avoiding of a Will, where an Infant is Heir or Devisee, shall be final and binds the Infant. R. Eq. Ca. 128.*

[The Inheritance of an Infant is never bound by any discretionary Act of the Court, tho' as to Personal Things it has been done. Taylor v. Philips, T. 1750. 2 Vezey 23.]

(3 R. 4.)
To do his
Duty.

So an Infant shall be compelled to give a Discharge for Money paid to him.

So an Infant Executor shall be compelled to the Payment of Debts.

If A. gives a Lottery Ticket upon Condition, that the Donee shall divide all above 20 s. with B. the Donee shall be decreed to divide, tho' he is an Infant. R. 2 Ver. 560.

(3 R. 5.)
Or a Thing
for his Ad-
vantage.

So an Infant shall be compelled to the Performance of his Agreement, if he had an Advantage by the Means of such Agreement; as, if the Eldest Son promise to his Father to give 100 l. to the Younger Son, if the Father will desist from making a Settlement, which he intended on the Younger Son, by which Means, the Father does desist from the Settlement; tho' the Eldest Son was an Infant, he shall be compelled to pay the 100 l.

So Equity usually regards that Interest, which is most beneficial for the Infant. 1 Ver. 252.

[If an Estate is conveyed in Trust, to be sold to pay Incumbrances then affecting it, &c. the Residue in Trust for Grantor and his Heir, and Bill be brought by a subsequent Bond-Creditor to have the Estate sold, prior Incumbrances paid, and then his Debt; and the Heir by Answer insists, that being an Infant the Parol ought to demur, tho' it is to the Infant's Prejudice, and his Counsel would waive it, yet as it has been mentioned the Court cannot avoid ordering it. Scarth v. Cotton, T. 9 G. 2. C. T. T. 198.]

[But if A. before Marriage covenants with Trustees to pay them a Sum to be laid out in Lands for B. his Wife's Jointure, and he afterwards settles certain Lands for her Jointure, and by Will confirms it, and directs them after her Death to be sold, and the Money divided between C. an Infant his Heir at Law and five others, and B. brings Bill refusing the Lands so settled, and insisting on the Performance of the Covenant before Marriage, and that these Lands shall be sold for that Purpose, and it is for the Infant's Benefit that the Lands should be now sold; the Court will decree it, as there is a Trust to be performed, but does not mean to break in on the Rule of the Parol's demurring. Uvedale v. Uvedale, T. 1744. 3 Atkyns 117.]

If an Infant by his Answer offers other Lands for Security of Portions to his Younger Brothers, to prevent a Sale of the Lands charged, and does not immediately upon his coming of Age retract his Offer, he shall be bound thereby. 2 Ver. 224, 5.

So Building-Leases, for the Advantage of an Infant, are decreed. 2 Ver. 225.

So an Exchange made during the Minority of an Infant, if he continues in Possession after his full Age. Ibid.

But, generally, an Infant shall not be compelled to make good his Agreement. [If one on coming of Age gives a Note for Liquors, &c. which he had before of Age, and whilst at School, no Account being produced; the Court will order the

the Note to be delivered up, but will not injoin the Donee from suing at Law as for Necessaries. *Brooke v. Gally*, P. 1746. 2 *Atkyns* 34.]

So he shall not be compelled to pay a Debt out of Real Affets, during his Minority. *Dub.* 1 *Ver.* 428.

But a Decree against him during his Infancy, shall not be avoided, if it was not obtained by Collusion, tho' not equal. *P.W.* 734.

(3 R 6.) Maintenance of Infants.

If an Estate is devised, or settled, for the Benefit of Children, who are Infants' the Court may allow how much shall be applied for their Maintenance. *Vide* 2 *Ver.* 236.

[The Court may appoint a Guardian, and Maintenance, on Petition, tho' no Cause is depending. *Ex parte Odel*, T. 1731. *Ex parte Peploe*, T. 1734. *Tenham v. Barret*, M. 1723. and P. 1724. *Ex parte Whitfield*, T. 1742. 2 *Atkyns* 315.]

[The Court will not confirm a testamentary Guardian, nor refer an Infant's Maintenance to a Master on Petition; there must be a Bill. 2, *Ex parte Riccards*, T. 1747. 3 *Atkyns* 518.]

[A Receiver of an Infant's Estate is never appointed when no Bill is depending; but if it is only filed, there may be an Application for one, on Infant's Behalf, *Anon.* P. 1738. 1 *Atkyns* 489, 578. *Ex parte Whitfield*, T. 1742. 2 *Atkyns* 315.]

[Allowance of Maintenance to a Guardian demanded afterwards, must be in regard to what the Infant had, at the respective Times for which such Maintenance is to be. *Chaplin v. Chaplin*, T. 1735. 3 *P.W.* 365.]

And Maintenance shall be allowed, by Consent of the Relations, tho' there is no Provision for it; for the Court by natural Equity has Power to make an Allowance. *R.* 2 *Ver.* 236.

So, if there is an Elder Son an Infant, and other Younger Children, who have no Provision; the Court will allow a more ample Maintenance to the Guardian, by which the Younger Children may be maintained. 2 *P.W.* 22.

[Where there is a numerous Family of Children, the Court will order a liberal Allowance for an Eldest Son, to enable him as Head of the Family to maintain his Brothers and Sisters; but if he is conveyed clandestinely to a Seminary Abroad, they will allow nothing, but direct the Rents and Profits to be laid out for his Benefit. *Petre v. Petre*, P. 1747. 3 *Atkyns* 511.]

So, if a Sum of Money is bequeathed to an Infant at such an Age, or to be paid at his full Age; the Interest shall be applied for his Maintenance in the *Interim*. *R.* 1 *Ch.* R. 265. 2 *P.W.* 22. *Vide Post, Legacy*, (3 Y. 9.)

And if no Interest is payable, the Court will direct Part of the Principal to be paid, for which Interest shall be deducted by him, who pays it, out of the Residue on Payment thereof. 2 *P.W.* 23.

But if the Estate be small, the lower Interest shall be paid. 2 *P.W.* 22.

So, if a Term is created to raise Maintenance, and the Estate is incumbered with a Mortgage, which the Rents cannot pay; a Mortgage of the Term shall be decreed. 1 *P.W.* 490.

But this shall not be done without Necessity, or if the Parent is able to maintain the Infant. 1 *P.W.* 493. [*Jackson v. Jackson*, P. 1737. 1 *Atkyns* 513.]

But if a Legacy is given to an Infant, his Guardian cannot disburse out of the principal Sum for his Maintenance. *Vide Ante*, (3 O. 1, 2.)

So, if 500 *l.* is devised to be paid out of Land vested in Trustees by Deed, for the Portion of a Daughter at her full Age, and if she dies before, to another Person; tho' nothing is devised besides that, and she cannot have the Interest, yet nothing shall be deducted out of the Principal for her Maintenance, in respect of the Devise over. *R. Ca. Ch.* 249.

[If a Freeman of London devises a sixth Part of his customary Estate to his Daughter, and directs it to remain in the Mother's Hands till twenty-one, or Marriage, and devises the Residue of his Estate to his Wife, desiring her to take

the Trouble and Expence of maintaining her till twenty-one, or Marriage, her Maintenance shall be paid out of the Produce of the Capital of her Orphanage Part, then out of the Residue of the Legatory Part. *Coomes v. Elling, H. 1747. 3 Atkyns 676.*

(3 S) Interest for Money.

(3. S. 1.) At what Time it commences.

IF Money is borrowed upon Mortgage, Bond, Note, &c. the Interest thereof commences upon the Execution of the Security, and Loan of the Money. *Vide Eq. Abr. 286.*

If Portions are provided for Children, and no Maintenance given till the Time of Payment, the Interest of the Portions shall be allowed for Maintenance.

Or, if a Woman has Land for her Jointure, out of which they are payable; she shall maintain her Children in the *Interim*. *Eq. R. 93.*

So, if Money is detained by Wrong, Interest shall be paid. *Per Cowper, 1 P. W. 396.*

If a Legacy is given, with a certain Day limited for the Payment, Interest shall be paid from the Day limited, if the Legacy is not then paid. *Tr. Eq. 119. Vide Sal. 415, 16. Eq. Abr. 286. Vide Post, (3 Y. 9.)*

[If *A.* by Will creates a Term for Payment of Debts and Legacies, and orders them to be paid in five Years; and by Codicil gives the same Estates to Trustees to pay 300 *l.* *per Annum* to his Wife, and with the Surplus to pay Debts and Legacies with all Speed; a Legacy shall bear Interest from the End of the five Years, a Debt from the Time it is liquidated. *Lloyd v. Williams, M. 1740. 2 Atkyns 108.*]

[If a Trust is created for Payment of Debts, if the Land does not yeild annual Profits, *all* Debts do not carry Interest, but *some* shall. *Ibid.*

If no Time is limited, Interest shall commence from the exhibiting of a Bill for it; or, if the Devisee is an Infant, from a Year after the Death of the Testator. *Tr. Eq. 119. Vide Post, (3 Y. 9.)*

[If a Trust is created to raise 20,000 *l.* to be applied to certain Purposes, and the Residue to *A.*; he dies, and afterwards Act of Parliament declares said 20,000 *l.* to be Personal Estate of *A.* liable to his Debts, the Residue to be distributed; and afterwards there is a Decree for Payment of Debts, and one-third of Residue to be paid to *A.*'s Widow, and two-thirds to be placed out for his Daughter an Infant, and this is neglected by the Widow's second Husband (who is in Possession) for many Years, Interest shall be paid from the Decree. *E. Pomfret v. Ld. Windsor, T. 1752. 2 Vezey 472.*]

If a Legacy is payable out of the Reversion of an Estate for the Life of another, tho' it cannot be raised immediately, whenever it can be raised, the Interest shall be paid from the Time, when the Legacy was directed by the Will to be paid. *R. Eq. R. 89.*

[If the Trust of a Reversionary Term after a Grandfather's Death in Marriage-Settlement is to raise Portions for Daughters, payable at twenty-one, or Marriage; and in the Settlement there is Provision for Maintenance for Daughters, which is not to be raised till after the Grandfather's Death, but no such Exception as to the Portions, the Portion vests from the Marriage, and bears Interest from that Time, in the Life of the Grandfather. *Lyon v. D. Chandos, H. 1746. 3 Atkyns 416.*]

If a Legacy is given by a Father, to be paid at a future Day, Interest shall be paid in the *Interim*; for by the Law of Nature he ought to maintain his Son, &c. in the mean Time. *Tr. Eq. 119.*

Otherwise, if given by a Stranger. *Ibid.*

[If a Man having an Estate in the Funds, and Shares of Ships, devises 4000 *l.* to Trustees, to be applied as he shall appoint, and by Codicil appoints it to the Use of *A.* aged five, his Maintenance and Education to be paid out of the Interest,

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terest, Interest shall commence from Testator's Death. *Beckford v. Tobin, M. 1749. 1 Vezey 308.*

[If such Legacy is not separated from the Bulk of the Estate, and it appears that if it had, and had been laid out, it would not have produced more than 4 *l. per Cent.* the Court will give only 4 *l. per Cent.* tho' charged on Personal. *Ibid.*]

[If a Portion is to be paid at Twenty-one, with Interest, at 5 *l. per Cent. per Annum*, from the Death of the Father to the Payment thereof, the Interest shall be paid annually, and not accumulate till the Portion is payable. *Boycot v. Cotton, M. 1738. 1 Atkyns 552.*]

If an Annuity is devised or agreed to be paid at *Mich. and Lady-Day*; if there is an Arrear, Interest shall be decreed from the Day of Payment. *R. 1 P. W. 543.*

If an Account is stated by a Master, Interest shall be paid for the Balance. *1 P. W. 480, 653.*

But if the Debt is not ascertained till the Master's Report, Interest shall be allowed only from the Report confirmed. *1 P. W. 377.*

If a Loan is made beyond Sea, the same Interest shall be paid as there, deducting the Charge of the Return. *1 P. W. 396.*

[If a Bond is given in *Ireland*, tho' for a Debt contracted in *England*, it shall carry *Irish* Interest. *Connor v. E. Bellamont, T. 1742. 2 Atkyns 382.*]

Yet where a Portion was charged upon an Estate in *Ireland* by a Settlement and Will made in *England* between Parties here; it was decreed to be paid with *English* Interest, without Deduction for the Charge of the Return. *1 P. W. 696. Vide 2 Ver. 395.*

[If a Contract is made in *England* for a Mortgage of a Plantation in the *West Indies*, only legal Interest shall be paid, and if there is a Covenant for more, tho' only the Interest where the Land lies, it is Usury; therefore the Place where the Contract is made, not where the Security lies, or where the Debt was contracted, determines the Rate of Interest. *Stapleton v. Conway, P. 1750. 3 Atkyns 727. 1 Vezey 427.*]

[If Money is due on Covenant at 6 *l. per Cent.* and decreed, and a Report ascertains the whole Sum and Interest thereof at the then legal Interest of 6 *l. per Cent.* and afterwards Bill is brought for Payment of this accumulated Sum and Interest, the Interest on the Principal shall be at 6 *l. per Cent.* to the Time it is paid, on the Interest at 6 *l. per Cent.* till the Reduction of Interest, and then at 5 *l. per Cent.* *Astley v. Powis, T. 1750. 1 Vezey 483, 495.*]

[If a Father on his Son's Marriage covenants to give or leave him 4000 *l.* and Interest is not mentioned, he shall have Interest at 5 *l. per Cent.* from the Father's Death. *Swynfen v. Scawen, T. 1748. 1 Vezey 99.*]

[A Legacy for Mourning out of Personal Estate carries Interest at 5 *l. per Cent.* *Ibid.*]

[If a Mortgage carries Interest at Four and a Half, with Proviso, that if Half Year's Interest is paid before the Third Quarter becomes due, the Mortgagee will accept of 4 *l.* if the Mortgagor fails Payment, the Court cannot relieve him against the Half *per Cent.*; otherwise, if it was made at 4 *l. per Cent.*; with Proviso, that if not paid at the Time it should be more, for that is but a *Nomine Pæna*. *Nicholls v. Maynard, T. 1747. 3 Atkyns 519.*]

[If a stated Sum is reported due for Principal and Interest on a Mortgage on an Estate to be sold, and there are other Mortgagees and Creditors, it shall carry Interest at 4 *l. per Cent.* only, from confirming the Report, tho' the Mortgage was at 5 *l. per Cent.* *Harris v. Harris, H. 1750. 3 Atkyns 722.*]

[If Portions are by Will charged, first on Personal, and then on Real Estate, with Interest for their Maintenance; so far as the Personal is deficient, the Interest shall be at 4 *l. per Cent.* *Ld. Trimlestown v. Colt, T. 1749. 1 Vezey 277.*]

[If an Account is directed of Money which by Marriage Articles is to be laid out in Land, Part for a Jointure, and Decree directs it should answer Interest, without saying at what Rate, it shall be only 4 *l. per Cent.* *Denton v. Skellard, H. 1750. 2 Vezey 239.*]

(3 S. 2.) No Interest beyond the Penalty.

But, generally, Interest shall not be allowed in Equity, beyond the Penalty of the Security; and the Party makes the Penalty the Measure of his Damage for Nonpayment. *Tr. Eq.* 118. *Eq. Abr.* 288.

Yet Interest has been carried beyond the Penalty, where the Bond is only a collateral Security for the Money. *Tr. Eq.* 118.

Or the Party hath made great Advantage by the Detainer. *Ibid.*

[Interest beyond the Penalty was decreed to be paid. *Elliot v. Davis. in Sc. T.* 1718. *Bunb.* 23.]

[A Creditor on a Judgment is not confined to the Penalty, but may carry the Computation of Interest beyond it. *Godfrey v. Watson, P.* 1747. 3 *Atkyns* 517.]

(3 S. 3.) Nor Interest upon Interest.

So, generally, Interest upon Interest shall not be allowed. *Tr. Eq.* 119. *Vide Post*, (3 S. 4.)

And if Interest is computed for Interest, tho' the Debtor agreed to pay more, if not paid within three Months, he shall be aided, where there is only a small Arrear. 1 *P. W.* 653.

[If a Mortgagee, where the Interest is Four and a Half *per Cent.* at every six Months turns the Interest into Principal, and Charges 5 *l. per Cent.* on the Interest so turned into Principal, and when the Mortgage is paid off with six Months Notice, charges double Interest for the last six Months, on pretence it was so agreed for Services done as a Counsel, the Mortgagor shall be relieved. *Thornbil v. Evans, T.* 1742. 2 *Atkyns* 330.]

[If Arrears of Interest are due when a Mortgage is paid, the Mortgagee shall never be allowed Interest for this Interest. *Ibid.*]

[If Interest is not regularly paid, it may upon Agreement be turned into Principal; but then it must be done fairly, and is generally on the Advance of fresh Money, and even then it is reckoned a Hardship on the Mortgagor, and an Act of Oppression. *Ibid.*]

So no Interest shall be allowed for a Sum due, tho' the Party by Letter prayed Forbearance. *R. 1 P. W.* 653.

But if a Mortgagee assigns with the Assent of the Mortgagor; the Assignee shall have Interest for the Sum by him paid for Principal and Interest. *Tr. Eq.* 120.

So, tho' the Assignment is made, without the joining of the Mortgagor. *Dub. Tr. Eq.* 120.

[If a Mortgage is assigned for as much as the Principal and Interest come to, but without Privity of Mortgagor, Interest shall be carried on only on the Principal; but if the Mortgagee had applied for Payment, and the Mortgagor refused it, Interest shall be carried on, on both Principal and Interest, whether the Mortgagor join or not. *Anon. In Sc. P.* 1719. *Bunb.* 41.]

So Interest shall be allowed for the Balance of a stated Account, tho' Interest is computed in the Account. *Tr. Eq.* 120.

So, for the gross Sum payable on a Mortgage, tho' it includes the Interest. *Semb. Tr. Eq.* 120.

[Subsequent Interest shall be allowed for the whole Sum reported due for Principal, Interest, and Costs, on a Mortgage, and *Semb.* on any other Debt. *Bickham v. Cross, T.* 1752. 2 *Vezey* 471.]

(3 S. 4.) When Interest shall not be allowed.

Chancery has Power, upon Circumstances, to abate or discharge Interest due. *Ca. Ch.* 106.

As, after Tender and Refusal of the Mortgage Money, the Mortgagor shall be discharged of the Interest, upon an *Affidavit* that he made no Advantage afterwards of the Money. *Vide Post*, (4 A. 6.)

So,

So, if Money due upon Mortgage, &c. is paid to the Scrivener, who put out the Money, but had not the Security, (which is not a good Payment;) the Mortgagee shall have the Principal, without Interest. *Ca. Cb. 94, 111.*

[Purchase-Money does not bear Interest from the Time of executing the Articles, but the Conveyance, and then not if Vendor has not let Vendee into Possession; and after Possession the Court will give such Interest as is agreeable to the Nature of the Land. *Blount v. Blount, P. 1748, 3 Atkyns 636.*]

[The Advantage a Purchaser receives from the wearing out of Lives is not taken into Consideration as a Reason for him to pay Interest. *Ibid.*]

So, where a Debt is not well founded, the Principal may be decreed, without Interest. *Ca. Cb. 106.*

As, where a Bond was given to an Officer in the Army, for his Surrender. *1 Ver. 99.*

Where a Note is given for Goods sold, &c.

If a Bond, &c. is given in *Turkey*, &c. Interest shall be computed as payable there. *Tr. Eq. 121.*

So, if a Bond is given in *England*, for Money due in *Ireland*, the Interest shall be as payable in *England*. *2 Ver. 395. Vide 1 P.W. 696.*

So, if a Legacy is demanded by an Infant, and the Defendant, by his Answer, says, that he was always ready to pay, but that he could not be indemnified, by reason of the Infancy of the Plaintiff, and offers to pay; it shall be paid without Interest. *R. Cb. R. 264.*

[Interest shall not be allowed on the Arrears of an Annuity, where the Annuitant has not entered for Default of Payment. *Robinson v. Comming, T. 1742. 2 Atkyns 409.*]

[If a Man, by Deed or Will, creates a Trust Term for Payment of Debts and Legacies after his Death out of Real Estate, so far as his Personal Estate is not sufficient, simple Contract Debts do not carry Interest. *Barwell v. Parker, T. 1751. 2 Vezey 363.*]

So upon a Mortgage, if it is agreed that Interest shall incur for the Interest, if it is not paid at the Time; Interest shall not be allowed. *R. Sal. 449. Semb. 1 Cb. R. 28.*

So, if a Man accounts for Rents and Profits, he shall not pay Interest for the Money received. *1 Cb. R. 184.*

[For the Sum is uncertain. *Countess. Ferrers v. E. Ferrers, M. 7 G. 2. C. T. T. 2.*]

If there is an Estate to *A.* for Life, afterwards to *B.* in Tail, and if *B.* dies without Issue, that it shall be charged with 400*l.* to *C.* with Interest, and, so charged, to *D.* in Tail; *B.* dies without Issue before *A.* there shall be no Interest for the 400*l.* till the Death of *A.* *R. 1 Cb. R. 212.*

[If a Widow possesses herself as Administratrix of all her Husband's Effects, and carries on the Business, but has not sold all the Goods, her only Fund for raising Money, and has been guilty of no Delay in the Suit, she shall not pay Interest for the Money reported due. *Ryves v. Coleman, M. 1742. 2 Atkyns 439.*]

[Interest is never charged on an Executor who makes use of Assets come to his Hands in the Way of his Trade. *Child v. Gibson, T. 1743. 2 Atkyns 603.*]

[If a Debtor makes a Creditor by Note his Executor, he shall not have Interest; for he may fairly make a Profit by Testator's Assets coming in. *Adams v. Gale, M. 1740. 2 Atkyns 106.*]

[Interest is not allowed on Arrears of Jointure in general, tho' on a Special Case (as if Jointress is obliged to borrow Money at Interest) it may. *Anon. T. 1755. 2 Vezey 661.*]

(3 S. 5.) When it shall be allowed.

But where a Debt is demanded in Equity, the Court usually gives Interest.

If by Devise 20000*l.* is given to *A.* to be paid 1000*l.* annually; if it is not paid at the Day limited, Interest shall be allowed; for the Sum and Day of Payment were certain. *1 Sal. 156. 1 P.W. 542.*

[When the Arrears of an Annuity or Rent-charge are a Sum certain, or where there is a Clause of Entry, or *Nomine Pæne*, or some Penalty on the Grantor, which is relievable only in Equity, there Interest is decreed on Arrears, but not otherwise. *Countess Ferrers, v. E. Ferrers, M. 7 G. 2. C. T. T. 2.*]

[If an Annuitant with Power of Entry in Case of Arrears, and to hold till paid all Arrears, Costs, and Damages, enters, he shall hold till paid Interest on the Arrears down to the Day. *Robinson v. Cumming, T. 1742. 2 Atkyns 409.*]

[If an Annuity is given for Maintenance, and secured by Bond with Penalty, the Court will decree Interest on the Arrears, to be computed at the End of each Half Year. *Newman v. Auling, M. 1747. 3 Atkyns 579.*]

[Interest may be given for Arrears of an Annuity often demanded; if the Demands do not appear at Hearing, the Court will reserve it till after Account taken. *Stapleton v. Conway, P. 1750. 1 Vezey 427.*]

And it shall be paid without Allowance for Taxes; for it is a Sum in Gross, and not issuing out of Land. *1 Sal. 156.*

So Interest, paid after the Rate of 8 *l. per Cent.* since the *St. 12 Car. 2.* shall not be discounted towards Satisfaction of the Principal. *R. 2 Ver. 42, 78. R. Cont. 2 Ver. 145.*

[Tho' 5 *l. per Cent.* is directed by Deed to be allowed till a Purchase, yet if the Money has been laid out in Government Securities which produced but 4 *l. per Cent.* the Court will reduce the Interest to 4 *l. per Cent.* *Letchmere v. E. Carlisle, M. 1733. 3 P. W. 211. C. T. T. 80.*]

[Where a Portion is charged on Land, and the Will does not mention Interest, the Court will give only 4 *l.* tho' the legal Interest is 5 *l. per Cent.*; so if charged on Personal Estates. *Guillam v. Holland, T. 1741. 2 Atkyns 343.*]

[The Court has never directed more than 4 *l. per Cent.* Interest, in Cases of Money due generally, since *Ld. King* had the Seals in 1725. *Wood v. Briant, H. 1742. 2 Atkyns 521.*]

[If a Legacy is charged on Personal Estate, and Interest directed, the Court will order it at legal Interest, if charged on Real at 1 *l. per Cent.* less. *Moore v. Moore, M. 1746. 3 Atkyns 402. Bryant v. Speke, M. 1748. 1 Vezey 171.*]

If a Legacy is demanded and there are Assets, Interest shall be allowed from the Time of the Bill. *Eq. Abr. 286.*

[If an Annuity is given to the Heir at Law of the Devisor till twenty-four, and he dies before, there being Arrears due, Interest shall be allowed on them to his Representative from the Time they are liquidated by the Master's Report. *Draper's Company v. Davis, T. 1741. 2 Atkyns 211.*]

So, sometimes, from the Death of the Testator: As, where a Legacy was given to an Infant, tho' said, that it shall be paid when the Executor pleases. *1 Ver. 251. Eq. Abr. 286.*

[Interest shall be allowed for Portions given by a Father immediately, and if they are scanty, and usual Interest is risen, the Court will give Four and one Half *per Cent.* tho' charged upon Land. *Inclendon v. Northcote, H. 1746. 3 Atkyns 430.*]

Where it is charged upon Land in Possession. *2 P. W. 26.*

[If an Appointment is made of Money charged upon the Real Estate of an Infant who dies, and the Estate descends to his Cousin, Heir at Law to the Infant's Father, and to the Infant, Interest shall be paid by such Heir at Law from one Year after the Appointment, and not out of the Infant's Personal Estate. *Serge-son v. Sealey, M. 1742. 2 Atkyns 412.*]

Or upon Personal Estate, which consists in Mortgages. *2 P. W. 27.*

[A Legacy out of a Rent-charge shall carry Interest, but not more than the Rent will produce. *Stonehouse v. Evelyn, P. 1734. 3 P. W. 252.*]

So, if a Legatee exhibits his Bill, and no Assets are discovered, and afterwards Assets come to the Hands of the Executor, and a new Bill is exhibited; the Legatee shall have Interest from the filing of the first Bill; for that was a good Demand. *2 Ca. Ch. 2.*

[A Portion charged on a Real Estate carries Interest in its Nature, tho' not mentioned. *E. Pomfret v. Ld. Windsor, T. 1752. 2 Vezey 472.*]

So, if 1200 *l.* is devised for the Portion of an Infant, at his full Age; Interest shall be paid in the *Interim*. 1 *Cb. R.* 265. *Vide Ante*, (3 *R.* 6.)—*Post*, (3 *Y.* 8.)

If Land is devised for Payment of Debts, Interest shall be allowed for Debts upon simple Contract. 1 *P. W.* 229. 2 *P. W.* 27.

[If a Man in his Lifetime creates a Trust Term for Payment of Debts contained in a Schedule, simple Contract Debts therein carry Interest; for it is in the Nature of a Specialty. *Barwell v. Parker*, *T.* 1751. 2 *Vezey* 363.]

If a Legacy is payable out of a Reversion, &c. or at no fixt Time; Interest is usually allowed from the End of one Year after the Death of the Testator. 2 *P. W.* 27.

But if the Money for a Legacy is brought into Court, the Interest ceases, till it is placed in a Fund. 2 *P. W.* 27.

[Interest on a Mortgage shall not be stopt but upon proper Tender and Notice; not on Offer to pay the Balance of what is due on the Mortgage on one Hand, and an open Account on the other. *Garforth v. Bradley*, *T.* 1755. 2 *Vezey* 675.]

So, if an Executor does not pay the Money of an Orphan in *London*, to the Chamberlain, within a convenient Time, he shall pay such Interest as the Chamberlain should pay. 1 *Cb. R.* 108.

And he was decreed to pay 6 *l.* *per Cent.* tho' the Chamberlain pays but 5 *l.* *per Cent.* 2 *Ca. Ch.* 170.

So, if the Executor receives Interest, or uses the Money in Trade, he shall pay Interest, *R.* 1 *Ver.* 197.

[If an Executor places out Affets specifically devised, the Court will oblige him to account for the Interest he has made of these Affets. *Child v. Gibson*, *T.* 1743. 2 *Atkyns* 603.]

[If a Receiver of the Estate of an Infant, who has no Testamentary or other Guardian, is directed to lay out the surplus Rents with the Approbation of the Master, and does not do it, he shall pay Interest at 4 *l.* *per Cent.* till the Infant comes of Age; and this tho' the Infant after coming of Age has settled the Accounts and admitted and received the Balance. *Hicks v. Hicks*, *M.* 1744. 3 *Atkyns* 274.]

[If a Grandmother by Deed Poll deposits 400 *l.* in the Hands of *A.* for the Use of *B.* if not otherwise provided for during his Minority, with a Clause that *A.* should not be charged with Interest, and 200 *l.* thereof was *B.*'s own Money, recovered in a Suit in which *A.* was Solicitor, *A.* shall be charged with Interest for that 200 *l.* and not for the other. *Brown v. Pring*, *H.* 1749. 1 *Vezey* 407.]

So, if a Sum certain is covenanted to be paid, Interest shall be allowed for it, tho' it sounds in Damages. *Tr. Eq.* 118.

So, if due upon a Security with a Penalty. *Ibid.*

Or, upon a Note for Value received, usually. *Vide Tr. Eq.* 118.

[Tho' there is no Evidence of Agreement for Interest on a Banker's Note, yet it may be allowed on Circumstances, as if a Customer orders a Sum to be wrote off from his Cash Account, and a Note or Security given for it; and Interest is afterwards paid on this Sum for several Years. *Jacomb v. Harwood*, *P.* 1751. 2 *Vezey* 265.]

[If a Scrivener or Attorney takes Money, and gives a Note to put it out to Interest, he is chargeable with Interest after a reasonable Time, (as three Months) unless the Client accepts the Security and Interest thereon. *Barwell v. Parker*, *T.* 1751. 2 *Vezey* 363.]

[A stated Account carries Interest, and there shall be no Allowance for Trouble (even in Case of an Administrator) unless it is demanded in a reasonable Time. *Ibid.*]

[If a Man makes Lease with Covenant for quiet Enjoyment. and the Tenant is evicted, and brings Action against the Executor, and recovers, and assigns the Judgment; the Assignee is intitled to Interest, whether against Heir at Law, Devisee, or Trustee for Payment of Debts. *E. Bath v. E. Bradford*, *T.* 1754. 2 *Vezey* 587.]

[Tho'

[Tho' formerly *B. R.* computed Interest only to the Commencement of the Action, yet now they allow it to the Time of giving Judgment. *Robinson v. Bland*, *M. 1 G. 3.* 2 *B. M.* 1077.]

(3 S. 6.) When a Payment shall be intended for Interest.

If a Debtor pays a Sum upon a Mortgage or Bond, less than the Interest due, it shall be intended for Interest, and not for the Principal. *Ca. Ch.* 24, 106. 1 *Ver.* 24. *Vide Post*, (4 D. 1.—4 F.)

So, if Land is devised to a Daughter or to Trustees till 3000 *l.* paid for a Portion by him in the Remainder; the Profits do not sink the Principal Sum till one Third, above the Interest, is raised. *Tr. Eq.* 121.

If Interest is reserved at 6 *l. per Cent.* with an Agreement, that if it is paid by such a Day, it shall be taken at 5 *l. per Cent.* If not paid, Interest at 6 *l. per Cent.* shall be decreed. 2 *Ver.* 290.

But if Interest is reserved at 5 *l. per Cent.* with a Covenant to pay 6 *l. per Cent.* if the 5 *l. per Cent.* is not paid at such a Day; only 5 *l. per Cent.* shall be decreed; for the other is in the Nature of a *Nomine Pænæ*. *R. 2 Ver.* 289. *R. 2 Ver.* 316, *But a Qy. made.* *R. Cont.* 2 *Ver.* 134.

[If a Man gives a Woman who cohabits with him a Bond for 2000 *l.* and Interest during her Life, and then to her Children, but maintains her till his Death, such Maintenance shall be deemed in Lieu of Interest. *Lloyd v. Carter*, *M.* 1740. 2 *Atkyns* 84.]

(3 T) Interpleader; (Bill of.)

IF an Action is against a Tenant by two Persons, who claim his Rent; he may exhibit his Bill of Interpleader, and bring his Rent into Court, and, after the Contest determined, between the Defendants, have his Costs, if he is in no Default. *Vide Practical Register in Chancery* 38, 9.

So, if *A.* receives Money for *B.* if upon an Account between him and *C.* so much appears to be due to him, and if it is not due, to return it to *C.* and both sue *A.* he by Bill of Interpleader may bring the Money into Court, and thereupon he shall have an Injunction; and after an Account between *B.* and *C.* he shall have Costs from him, who had no Cause of Suit. *R. Ch. R.* 257, 8.

[An Executor cannot bring a Bill of Interpleader till he has proved the Testator's Will. *Mitchell v. Smart*, *H.* 1747. 3 *Atkyns* 606.]

[To a Bill of Interpleader against Attorney-general and others, there must be an Affidavit annexed. *Errington v. Attorney-general et al.* *P.* 1731. *Bunb.* 303.]

[The Affidavit to Bill of Interpleader need not swear it is at Plaintiff's own Expence, only that there is no Collusion with any of the Defendants. *Metcalf v. Hervey*, *T.* 1749. 1 *Vezey* 248.]

[Interpleader must shew that there is such Person in *Rerum Natura* as can interplead. *Ibid.*]

[But if a Guardian sets up a Title to himself, and conceals an Infant who is suggested to have Right to contravert that Title, Bill may be brought to compel the Guardian to produce him. *Ibid.*]

(3 V) Joint-tenants.

(3 V. 1.) Who shall join in a Suit.

IN a Suit in Equity, all who have a joint Interest in the Thing demanded ought to join.

But two Persons cannot join in the same Bill, to have Relief in several Respects.

So the King and the Queen Dowager cannot join to have a Recompence for a Covenant broken by Waste, &c. where the King has the Inheritance, and the Defendant claims under the Lessee of the Queen, who had a Grant for her Life. *R. Hard. 219.*

(3 V. 2.) Who shall be joined.

All concerned in the Thing demanded ought to be made Parties in Equity.

As, if a Bill is against the Executor of an Obligor for the Discovery of Assets; all the Obligors shall be Parties, for the Charge ought to be equal. *2 Vent. 348.*

So, if one Obligor is sued, all ought to be joined, tho' the others are only Sureties. *Dub. 2 Vent. 348.*

But if there is Judgment against one Obligor, his Executor may be sued for a Discovery of Assets without the other Obligors; for the Bond is extinguished by the Judgment. *2 Vent. 348.*

If B. has a joint Demand against three joint Factors and two of them are beyond Sea, he shall sue the other alone for the Whole. *1 Ver. 140.*

(3 V. 3.) Who shall take jointly.

If an Estate is limited in Trust for others, they shall be Joint-tenants of the Trust, where they would take the Estate jointly, if it was limited to them in the same Manner. *Semb. 1 Ver. 361, 2.* *Vide Devise, (N. 8. Estates (K. 1.))*

If Articles are between many for their Farming the Excise: their Interest survives, in respect of the joint Charge, without an express Agreement to the contrary. *R. 1 Ver. 33.*

And if there is an Agreement, that it shall survive, the Benefit survives tho' one assigns to his Son. *1 Ver. 33, 4.*

So, if there be a Settlement upon Trust, that his Sisters divide the Rents equally, and the Whole shall be to the Survivor; it will be a joint Interest. *R. 2 Ver. 323.*

So, if a Farm is demised to two. *1 Ver. 217. Vide Post, (3 V. 4.)*

Or many by Gift, Devise, &c. take any Estate or Interest jointly. *1 Ver. 217.*

So, if there is a Devise of the Residue of the Personal Estate to A. and B. it will be a joint Devise, and the Survivor shall have the Whole. *R. 1 Ver. 482, 3. Acc. 1 Ca. Ch. 238.*

So, if the Testator makes A. and B. his Executors, their Interest survives. *1 Ver. 483. 2 Ca. Ch. 65.*

If 200 l. is devised for the Purchase of Land for A. and B. and the Purchase is made for the Use of A. and B. jointly; the Survivor shall have it. *R. Carth. 15. R. cont. 2 Ver. 47.*

But if a Mortgage is made to two, there shall be no Survivorship; but each shall have the Money by him advanced with Interest, and if he dies, his Executor shall have it. *R. 1 Ch. R. 58.*

So, if 200 l. a-piece is devised to A. and B. who take a Mortgage for the Whole to them jointly; the Survivor shall not have it; for each is a Trustee for the other for his Share. *Carth. 16.*

(3 V. 4.) Who, as Tenants in Common.

A Gift to two, *equally divided*, makes them Tenants in Common. *2 Vent. 366. Vide Estates, (N. 8.) (K. 8)*

[If A. devises the Residue of her Estate to B. and C. Daughters of D. and E. whom she desires to be Trustees for their Children, and says, "And my Will is, that my Estate be equally divided between B. and C. whom I appoint Executors;" and leaves all the next of Kin, except one, Legacies; B. dies in Testatrix's Life; the Devise is not a Jointenancy, but in common; for the Words to be *equally divided*, make a Tenancy in common in a Will, tho' not in a Settlement. *Owen v. Owen, H. 1738. 1 Atkyns 494.*]

So, *Equally to be divided*, 2 Vent. 366. P. W. 15.
 [If a Man either by Deed or Will grants to his two Daughters the Rents of his Lands, equally to be divided betwixt them, paying 5 l. to his Wife for Life, and then to his Daughters and their Heirs, equally to be divided betwixt them; it is a Tenancy in Common. *Rigden v. Vallier*, H. 1741. 3 Atkyns 731.]

So a Devise to two *equally* makes them Tenants in Common. 2 Vent. 366. 1 Ver. 32.

So a Covenant to stand seized to the Use of two *equally to be divided*, and to their Heirs and Assigns, makes them Tenants in Common of the Inheritance. R. 2 Vent. 365.

[If a Father by Deed, in Consideration of natural Love, grants after his Death to two Children the Rents of Lands, equally to be divided between them, they paying their Mother 5 l. *per Annum* during Life, and after her Death they to have the Lands, to them and their Heirs for ever, equally to be divided between them; it is a Tenancy in Common, and the Deed a Covenant to stand seized. *Rigden v. Vallier*, H. 1750. 2 Vezey 252.]

So a Trust to pay the Profits to A. and B. in a ratable and equal Manner, and afterwards to convey to them in like Sort, shall be executed to them, as Tenants in Common. R. 1 Lev. 232.

[If A. devises two Houses to B. and C. generally, and then says, my Meaning is, that the Rents shall be equally shared between B. and C. they shall take as Tenants in Common. *Prince v. Hylin*, H. 1737. 1 Atkyns 493.]

A Devise to A. and B. paying 24 l. *per Ann.* to D. for Life, *viz.* each of them 12 l. *per Ann.* the Payment by equal Moieties, makes them Tenants in Common. R. 1 Ver. 353.

If two pay *equally* for a Purchase, they shall be Tenants in Common in Equity. 1 Ver. 361. *Contra infra.*

[If five Persons purchase overflowed Lands as Joint-tenants in Fee, and they contribute jointly to the Draining, and one deserts the Undertaking, and the others buy several Estates for carrying on their Design, and several die; they shall be deemed Tenants in Common, and the Heir of him who deserted shall be let in, on paying his Proportion and Interest. *Lake v. Craddock*, M. 1732. 3 P. W. 158.]

[If two Persons advance Money on a Mortgage, tho' it is made to them jointly, yet it shall be a Tenancy in Common. *Rigden v. Vallier*, H. 1741. 3 Atkyns 731.]

[So in a Purchase, if there is a Disproportion in the Sums advanced, *otherwise if the Sums are equal.* *Ibid.*]

So, if it is said at the End of a Will, that the Executors shall take, *Share and Share alike.* 2 Ca. Ch. 65.

[A Devise to Children *Share and Share alike*, makes them Tenants in Common; so does the Word *respectively.* *Heathe v. Heathe*, H. 1740. 2 Atkyns 121.]

[Therefore, if one of them dies Intestate, after Testator's Death his Share goes to the Father. *Ibid.*]

So, if a Sum of Money is devised to be laid out in a Purchase for the Benefit of A. and B. before a Purchase made, the Share of B. if he dies, does not survive. *Cartb.* 16.

So, where there are Partners in Trade or Traffick, they shall take as Tenants in Common, and there shall be no Survivorship; for the Custom of Merchants extends to all Trades. 1 Ver. 217.

Tho' there is no Clause that there shall be no Survivorship. *Ibid.*

So, if two Persons join in the Stock of a Farm. R. 1 Ver. 217. *Vide Ante*, (3 V. 3.)

Tho' one of them said, that he was content that the Stock should survive. 1 Ver. 217.

So, in all Cases, where several join, or are interested jointly in the way of Trade. *Ibid.*

So, if there is a Devise to A. and B. in Trust, that the Profits shall be equally divided between the Devisor's Wife and Daughter during the Life of his Wife; Remainder over; the Wife and the Daughter are Tenants in Common; and if the

the Daughter dies before the Wife, her Moiety in the Nature of a Tenancy *per auter vie* shall go to her Executor or Administrator. *R. 2 Ver. 430. P. W. 34.*

If the Surrender of a Copyhold is, after the Death of the Surrenderor's Wife, to the Use of all his Sons and Daughters equally to be divided, and to their respective Heirs; it is a Tenancy in Common. *Per 2 J. Holt contr. P. W. 14. Sal. 391.*

(3 V. 5.) What will make a Severance of the Jointure.

An Act, which makes a Severance of the Jointure at Law, will make a Severance in Equity. *Vide Estates, (K. 5.)*

If three have the Trust of a Term; and one of them mortgages all his Part, it will be a Severance of all his Interest in the Term, and not only for the Value of the Mortgage; for Jointenancy is not favoured in Equity. *R. 1 Sal. 158.*

If A. and B. take jointly; a Lease by one, to commence after his Death, makes a Severance, and will be good against the Survivor. *R. 2 Ver. 323.*

[Equity will establish a Parol Agreement for *owelty* of Partition of long standing, acknowledged by all to have been the actual Agreement, and put in Execution accordingly. *Ireland v. Rittle, M. 1739. 1 Atkyns 541.*]

[There must be either an Agreement, or an actual Alienation, to make a Severance; the Declaration of one Party is not sufficient: thus, if A. Joint-tenant, on Marriage settles her Real Estate, but as to the Personal, there is only a Recital that she shall enjoy it to her separate Use, and a Covenant from the Husband for that Purpose; and then those Words, *for Want of Issue of her Body*, to the next of Kin of her Family, and the other Joint-tenant is not Party hereto, it is no Severance. *Partridge v. Powlet, T. 1740. 2 Atkyns 54.*]

(3 V. 6.) What Remedy one Joint-tenant, &c. shall have against his Companion.

[On a Bill brought for a Partition, Plaintiff must shew a Title in himself to a Moiety, and not alledge generally, that he is in Possession of a Moiety; but he need not in his Bill set forth a particular Title, but a general Seisin in Fee. *Carrwright v. Pultney, T. 1742. 2 Atkyns 380.*]

A Joint-tenant, or Tenant in Common, &c. shall have an Account, in Equity, against his Companion, for his Share of the Profits of an Estate. *Vide Ante, (2 A. 1.)*

So, one Partner in Trade against another. *Vide Eq. Abr. 370, 1.*

So, an Executor or Administrator of one Partner. *1 Ver. 118.*

So, if the other Partner combines with the Creditors, the Court will appoint an Attorney to recover the Debts, if the Defendant will not give Security to answer the Share of the Plaintiff in them. *Ibid.*

So, if there are Joint-tenants of the Trust of a Term, and one of them dies, and his Executor obtains an Assignment of the Term from the Trustees; the other shall have a Decree for an Assignment to him; for Equity will direct the Trust to the Survivor, as the Term will survive, when there are Joint-tenants of a Term. *R. 2 Ver. 556.*

If A. and B. join in a Purchase of Lands, subject to Debts agreed to be discharged by the Purchase Money; and for a Favour to A. the Creditors abate their Interest, or compound for his sole Benefit; B. shall have equal Advantage of the Abatement; for it was a mutual Trust. *Eq. Abr. 7.*

So by *St. 3 & 4 Ann. 16.* One Joint-tenant or Tenant in Common, his Executors or Administrators shall have Account against the other, his Executors or Administrators, as Bailiff, if he receive more than his Share of the Profits.

And tho' now by this Statute an Account lies at Law, yet it seems more proper for Equity, especially, if there are mutual or various Demands. *Eq. Abr. 5.*

So one Joint-tenant shall have Contribution against his Companion.

[Therefore, if Money to fit out Privateers is raised by Shares, and some Shares remain undisposed of, and a Prize is taken, the undisposed Shares belong to the Managers,

Managers, (whether they purchase them in after the Capture or not) and shall not be divided among the other Owners; for in Case of Loss they would not have been liable for them. *Blunt v. Cumyns*, T. 1751. 2 *Vezey* 331.]

So, if a Man makes a Mortgage, and afterwards devises to *A.* for Life, and afterwards to *B.* in Fee; *B.* shall have Contribution against *A.* for a Proportion of the Mortgage Money. *Ca. Ch.* 223, 4. 1 *Ver.* 70. *Vide Post*, (4 A. 6.)

So, if a Testator charges Lands with Portions to his Daughters, to be paid at such an Age, and then devises *ut supra*; *B.* by Bill shall compel *A.* to contribute his Proportion, tho' the Daughters are not arrived at the Age when their Portions are payable. *R. Ca. Ch.* 223.

(3 V. 7.) When the Act of one binds his Companion.

If there are Partners in Trade, and one of them gives a Note, and subscribes it, for himself and Company; both are bound, tho' it does not appear that the other knew of it, or that the Money was applied to the Trade. 2 *Ver.* 278, 292.

(3 V. 8.) What not.

But if one Joint-tenant devises his Moiety to *A.* it shall not be decreed against the Survivor. 2 *Ver.* 385.

Or, makes a Grant of his Moiety to his Wife, but such Grant is defective, it shall not be aided. *Ibid.*

If *A.* and *B.* take a College Lease, and agree that there shall be no Benefit of Survivorship, but afterwards renew without such an Agreement made, and one of them assigns his Moiety to his Wife, by a defective Deed; she shall not be aided under Pretence of the antecedent Agreement. *R.* 2 *Ver.* 385.

(3 V. 9.) When an Act by one of them binds him after he survives.

If a Jointenant devises all his Land in *A.* and survives his Companion, all passes, which he took by Survivorship; tho' his Devise would have been void against his Companion, if he had survived. *Eg. Abr.* 172.

(3 W) Judgment.

CHANCERY cannot proceed by Suit in Equity to annul a Judgment at Common Law. *Arg.* 1 *Ch. R.* 47.

Nor, to stay Judgment and Execution being awarded by the Court. 2 *Bul.* 194.

Nor, to examine the Justice of a Judgment given. *Semb.* 1 *Ch. R. E. of Oxford* 7.

Nor, to imprison any Person for not releasing his Judgment. *Per Co.* 1 *Rol.* 111.

Nor does it usually relieve after Verdict, Judgment, and a Writ of Error. *R. upon Demurrer*, 1 *Ch. R.* 248.

But after a Judgment at Law, a Man may pray in Equity to be relieved upon a collateral Matter. *R. cont. upon Demurrer*, 4 *Inst.* 86. 2 *Cro.* 344. *Acc.* 1 *Ch. R. E. of Oxford* 10. *Dub. Hard.* 121.

[The Decrees of Chancery are of equal Force with Judgments at Law; therefore if an Executor is sued for just Debts, and confesses the Bill, and is decreed to pay them, and other Creditors obtain Judgments at Law afterwards in real Point of Time, tho' the first Day of Term was prior to the Decree, the Executor shall, on Bill exhibited for that Purpose, be protected in Obedience to the Decree; the Judgment Creditors to be enjoined and come in after the Decree Creditors in due Course of Administration. *P. Jekyll M. R.* affirmed by *Talbot C.* and affirmed by the House of Lords. *Morrice v. Bank of England*, M. 10 G. 2. *C. T. T.* 217.]

After

After Judgment and Execution. *Arg. 1 Ch. R. 21.*

In Real, as well as Personal Actions. *Ibid.*

After Judgment in B. R. as well as in C. B. Justices in *Eyre, &c. Ibid.*

After Judgment upon a Verdict; as well as upon a Demurrer. *Ibid.*

[If Plaintiff at Law knows the Fact to be otherwise than the Jury find it, and Defendant was ignorant of it at the Trial, this Court will relieve, unless Defendant submits to try it at Law first, when he might have had Discovery here by Bill. *Williams v. Lee, T. 1745. 3 Atkyns 223.*]

[This Court will not relieve against excessive Damages; for the Remedy is, by moving the Court where the Action was tried for a new Trial. *Ibid.*]

Tho' the Equity alledged was a Matter arising before the Judgment given. *Arg. 1 Ch. R. 22.*

As, if the Plaintiff obtains Judgment upon a Bond, where the Money is paid, but no Acquittance given; or the Acquittance is without a Seal, or lost. *1 Ch. R. Earl of Oxford 8. Cont. Hard. 23.*

So, if a Man obtains a Judgment at Law for a Thing discharged by the Act of Oblivion, *12 Car. 2. Chancery* will relieve; for a Court of Equity may interpret a Statute, as well as the Judges of the Law. *R. Ca. Ch. 56. Dub. Hard. 121.*

[On the other Hand, if Judgment is taken against the Lands, &c. of Defendant, discharged by an Insolvent Act, who afterwards has a Legacy left him, and Plaintiff sues a *Fieri Facias* on his Judgment, (the Legacy being due but unpaid, and in the Executor's Hands, and lodges it with the Sheriff, and takes a Warrant to levy Debt and Damages out of the Legacy in Executor's Hands, and he refuses to pay, and Plaintiff brings Bill against the Legacy in Executor's Hands, and he refuses to pay, and Plaintiff brings Bill against the Legatee and the Executor, the Court will order Debt, Damages, and Costs, to be paid out of the Legacy. *Edgell v. Haywood, T. 1746. 3 Atkyns 352.*]

So, *Chancery* may make a Decree, that the Party release or discharge the Judgment. *Arg. 1 Ch. R. 22. Vide 1 Roll. 111.*

[If a Judgment is given for 6000 *l.* to secure a Purchase of the Reversion of 300 *l. per Annum* for 300 *l.* only, the Court will order it to stand as a Security only for Principal, Interest and Costs. *Barnardiston v. Lingwood, H. 1740. 2 Atkyns 133.*]

[If a Solicitor takes a Judgment from his Client for the Costs, pending a Cause, and there appear improper Charges in his Bill, the Court will order the Judgment to be delivered up, tho' the Bill has been adjusted many Years ago. *Dra-per's Company, v. Davis, P. 1742. 2 Atkyns 295.*]

[If a Decree has been obtained in the Exchequer, by Consent that a Will is well proved, which Will is afterwards found by Verdict to be forged, *Chancery* will restrain the Party claiming under it from setting up that Decree. *Barnsley v. Powell, T. 1749. 1 Vezey 284.*]

That he restore Possession obtained upon the Judgment. *Arg. 1 Ch. R. 22.*

That he release Costs, account for mesne Profits, &c. *Ibid.*

So, if *Chancery* by Decree vacates a Judgment at Common Law, yet it shall not be an Offence within the *St. 27 Ed. 3. of Premunire*; for the *Chancery* is not another Court within the Intent of that Stat. nor shall the Cause be construed to be drawn *ad aliud Examen.* *Cont. 3 Inst. 123. R. Acc. 1 Lev. 242. Certified to the King by his Council, Arg. 1 Ch. R. 25, 27.*

[Before a final Decree an Executor may confess a Judgment, which is not at all affected by a prior Decree to account. *Smith v. Haskins Styles, T. 1742. 2 Atkyns 385.*]

(3 X) Jurisdiction.

When *Chancery* shall have it in Cases out of the Kingdom, &c.

SO *Chancery* will give Relief, tho' the Land lies out of the Jurisdiction, if the Person is within the Jurisdiction of the Court: as, it will make Joint-tenants account for Profits of Land in *Ireland.*

Or a Trustee, who lives in *England* to perform his Trust in *Ireland*, a County Palatine, &c. *Vide Post*, (4 W. 27.)

So it will decree the *Earl of Derby* to perform an Agreement concerning the *Isle of Man*. *Ca. Ch.* 221.

[If a Matter arises in the Jurisdiction of the Courts of *Wales*, of Value or Difficulty, Parties may sue here; yet if it is of small Consequence, the Court will dismiss the Bill with Costs. *Brace v. Taylor*, H. 1741. 2 *Atkyns* 253.]

So, if Land within the Dutchy is granted by the King, and upon a Bill for a Discovery and an Account in *Chancery*, an Injunction is granted by the Dutchy Court; such Injunction shall be over-ruled in *Chancery*, and the Priority of Suit being here, an Injunction of the Suit there shall be granted here. 1 *Ch. R.* 53.

So a Plea shall not be allowed to a Bill in *Chancery*, that the Defendant has Privilege to be sued in the *Exchequer*. 1 *Ch. R.* 69. For no Privilege shall be allowed against a *Subpœna* in *Chancery*, where the Interest of the King is not concerned. 1 *Ch. R. E. of Oxford* 14.

Nor a Plea of Privilege of the University to a Bill, concerning Lands in *Cornwall*. 1 *Ver.* 212. But if it be allowed, it ought to come in by Plea. *Ca. Ch.* 237. *R. 2 Kent.* 362.

So, *Chancery* shall have Jurisdiction of a Mortgage in a County Palatine.

So, if the Bill suggests that there are prior Mortgages to Persons out of the County Palatine, tho' it be not proved. *Semb.* 1 *Ver.* 298.

So a Plea of the *Cinque Ports* was over-ruled. 1 *Ch. R.* 140.

So, the Court of Stannaries does not oust *Chancery* of its Jurisdiction; for the former is a Court of Law, and not a Court of Equity. 2 *Ver.* 484.

So, if *A.* mortgages the *Isle of Sarke*, Part of the Dutchy of *Normandy*, a Bill lies in *Chancery* for the Redemption. *R. 2 Ver.* 495.

So *Chancery* will relieve against a Decree in *Chester*, where the Chancellor was a Party. *R. 1 Rol.* 331.

So, if an Act of Parliament gives an exclusive Jurisdiction for such and such Mines to a particular Court; *Chancery* shall not be excluded, if the Act does not erect a Court of Equity there. 4 *Ver.* 58, 9.

So, *Chancery* has an Admiral Jurisdiction in many Cases. 1 *Ver.* 54.

A Matter, which ousts the Court of Jurisdiction, ought regularly to be alledged by Plea, and shall not be objected at the Hearing of the Cause. 2 *Ver.* 484.

But *Chancery* will not make Partition of Land in *Ireland*. 1 *Ver.* 421. *Vide Post*, (4 E.).

Nor will it examine the *Quantum* of a Debt to the King, or the Extents for it; for that belongs to the *Exchequer*; And a Bill for it in *Chancery* shall be dismissed. 2 *Ver.* 426.

Except where the Extent is a fraudulent Contrivance, or the Defendant admits that the Debt to the King may be well satisfied without the Extent. 2 *Ver.* 426.

Nor will it grant a Sequestration of Lands in *Ireland*. *Eq. Ca.* 124.*

So, if there is a Decree for an Account in the *Exchequer* of *Chester*, *Marches of Wales*, &c. *Chancery* will not relieve upon a Bill here, because the Witnesses live out of the Jurisdiction. 2 *Ca. Ch.* 17. *R. Ch. R.* 452.

Nor will it relieve against a Decree of Commissioners of Sewers. 1 *Ver.* 59.

Nor on a Bill, for an Account of Money collected by Authority of Commissioners of Sewers; for the Commissioners are a Court, and have Authority to determine. *R. Ca. Ch.* 232.

Nor, for Discovery of the Money collected. *R. upon Demurrer*, *Ca. Ch.* 232.

So an Appeal, or Bill of Review does not lie in *Chancery*, on a Decree in Equity in a County Palatine; but it ought to be to the King himself. *R. upon Demurrer*, 1 *Ver.* 177, 184.

So, a Bill shall not be allowed in *Chancery* for Discovery of the Title to Lands in the County Palatine of *Chester*, or *Lancaster*. *R. 1 Ch. R.* 183, 278. *Vide Post*, (4 E.).

Nor, to obtain Possession of Lands there. 1 *Ch. R.* 278.

Or an Account of the Profits. 1 *Ch. R.* 278.

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Where the Court has Jurisdiction, it shall have Regard to the Laws of a foreign Country, in its Determination here; as, if a Woman has a separate Property in her Money in France, it shall not be decreed to vest in her Husband. *Semb. Eq. Ca. 100.*

If a Debt is assigned in Holland by the Husband to the Wife, it shall be allowed here. *Ca. Ch. 232.* * 2d Part of 2 Mod. Ca.

[If a Foreigner contrives a Match with a Ward of this Court abroad, yet if he is afterwards found here, the Court will punish him. *Roach v. Garvan, M. 1748.*

1 Vezey 157. [This Court can decree specific Performance of Articles executed in England, for settling the Boundaries of two Provinces in America. *Pennw. Ld. Baltimore, P. 1750. 1 Vezey 444.*]

[Tho' the Jurisdiction of the Court is submitted to by answering, yet if a Want of it appears at the Hearing, a Court of Equity will make no Decree. *Ibid.*]

Jury.

Vide Trial, Ante, (X)—Post, (4 V).

(3 Y) Legacy.

(3 Y. 1.) When Words in a Will are expounded otherwise than they are in a Deed.

WORDS in a Will may have a different Construction from that, which they have in a Deed. *P. W. 20. Vide Post, (3 Y. 7, &c.)*

(3 Y. 2.) A Devisee shall have the same Advantage as an Heir.

If a Legacy out of Land, for the Portion of a Son or Daughter, lapses for the Benefit of an Heir, it shall also for the Benefit of a Devisee. *2 P. W. 276. Vide Ante, (3 P. 3.) Post, (3 Y. 7, &c.)*

So, if it is devised for a Portion, tho' not expressed for a Portion. *2 P. W. 276.*

So, if charged upon Real and Personal Estate, as to the Part which affects the Real Estate. *2 P. W. 278.*

So, where the Heir shall have the Personal Estate applied for the Discharge of Debts, a Devisee shall also have it. *2 P. W. 277. Pr. Ch. 140. Vide Ante, (3 A. 4, &c.—3 P. 1, 2.)*

(3 Y. 3.) How a Legacy shall be recovered in Equity.

Chancery will enforce the Payment of a Legacy. *Vide Ante, (3 A. 1.—3 G. 1.)*

And if it is a Legacy in Equity only, and not at Law, it ought to be demanded only in a Court of Equity, and not in the Spiritual Court; as, a Sum to be paid upon a Sale of Lands. *R. Hob. 265.*

If an Infant sues for a Legacy in the Spiritual Court, and afterwards in Chancery, A Suit depending in the Spiritual Court, is no Plea for the Defendant to the Bill in Equity; for the Plaintiff there has not an equal Advantage, to get Security or Interest. *R. Ca. Ch. 85. 1 Ver. 26.*

If a Legacy in a Will is erased, but upon the Probate, the Executrix admits the Will to be proved, as if there was no Rasure; Equity will compel the Payment. *1 Ver. 256. P. W. 388.*

If the Grandfather gives Legacies to the Grandson, which are received by the Father; his Executrix shall answer for all, not actually paid by the Father, with Interest, tho' the Father had given a Bond to pay 6000*l.* to the Grandson; for it shall not be intended to include the Legacies, if they are not mentioned. *1 Ver. 481, 2.*

[A Legatee, whether expressly such or as *Cestuique Trust*, has a Right to Satisfaction on an Administration Bond against Real Assets, in the Hands of Devisee of

of Administrator *de bonis non* of the original Testator; and this tho' the nominal Legatee and Executor declared the Trust; and covenanted to pay the Legacy. *Ashley v. Baile, T. 1751. 2 Vezey 368.*

So Chancery will oblige an Executor to give Security for the Payment of a Legacy, payable at a future Day, on a Suggestion, that he wastes the Goods of the Testator. *R. Ca. Ch. 121.*

And if the Will is contested in the Spiritual Court, will stop him from receiving the Debts, &c. till the Contest is determined. *R. Ca. Ch. 75.*

If an Executor pays a Legacy pursuant to a Will, without Notice of a Revocation of it, it shall be allowed him, tho' afterwards it appears that the Will was revoked. *Ca. Ch. 126.*

(3 Y. 4.) What shall be a Legacy.

A Legacy imports a Bequest made by a Testator of his Goods and Chattels.

But it may be secured by a Devise of Lands, &c. *Vide Ante, (3 A. 3, &c.)*

Any Words which shew the Intent of the Testator, are sufficient for a Legacy. *Godol. p. 3. c. 22. sect. 21, &c. Vide Devise, (N. 1.)*

As, if the Testator desires his Executor to give 200 *l.* to B. without limiting a Time for Payment; it will be a good Legacy. *1 Ch. R. 246.*

If a Legacy is given by a Will, and an Annuity or a Legacy of greater Value to the same Person by a Codicil, it shall not be intended in Satisfaction of the Legacy by the Will, but the Legatee shall have both. *P. W. 424.*

[A *Donatio Causa Mortis* is in the Nature of a Legacy, but need not be proved in the Spiritual Court as Part of the Will, for it operates as a Declaration of Trust upon the Executor. *Miller v. Miller, T. 1735. 3 P. W. 356.*]

[It is not good unless made by the Party in his last Sickness. *Ibid.*]

[Nor unless it is delivered in his Lifetime. *Ibid.*]

[Nor of a *Chose in Action*, the Property whereof does not pass by Delivery. *Ibid.*]

[The Delivery of Receipts for the Consideration of *South-Sea* Annuities is not sufficient Delivery to support a *Donatio Causa Mortis* of the Annuities. *Ward v. Turner, T. 1752. 2 Vezey 431.*]

[There cannot be a *Donatio Causa Mortis* of Stock or Annuities without a Transfer, or something tantamount. *Ibid.*]

(3 Y. 5.) Of what Thing void.

But a void Legacy shall not be decreed; as, if the Husband of an Orphan in London, devises the Money which belongs to his Wife in the Hands of the Chamberlain of London; for this is a *Chose in Action* not devisable. *R. 2 Vent. 341.*

So, if a Man devises a Thing, which by Custom belongs to the Heir at Law, as an *Heirloom*; it will be void.

So, if he devises Goods, which he has only as Executor, or Administrator, before a full Administration made.

(3 Y. 6.) How a Legacy shall be paid.

A Legacy shall be paid, after all Debts are discharged, out of the Personal Estate.

So, if Land descends to the Heir, and the Personal Estate is exhausted by the Payment of Debts upon Bond, &c. to which the Land was liable, the Legatee shall have Aid in Equity against the Real Estate. *Semb. Sal. 416.*

So, if the Personal Estate is exhausted by the Payment of a Mortgage. *Sal. 450. Vide Ante, (3 P. 3.)*

[If a Man devises his Lands, (then in Mortgage) subject to his Debts, to B. his Wife for Life, then to C. the Interest of his personal Estate to B. for Life, then to C. and gives B. 1500 *l.* if she accepts his Will in Lieu of Dower, and there is not Personal Estate to pay Debts and Legacies; if the Mortgagee takes Part

Part of the Personal Estate, the Legatees shall stand in his Place for so much out of the Real. *Lutkins v. Leigh*, M. 8 G. 2. C. T. T. 53.]

[If *A.* on Marriage conveys a Freehold, and also a Term for Years, to Trustees, to raise a Sum for his Wife, and by his Will gives a Portion to his Daughter; his Son and Heir, Executor, shall not sell the Term to pay his Wife, but it shall go to pay Debts and Legacies, and the Wife's be chargeable on the Freehold. *Lucy v. Gardiner*, M. 1723. Bunb. 137.]

So, if the Personal Estate is devised to *A.* and a Term vested in Trustees for Payment of Debts and Legacies; the Term shall be applied before the Personal Estate. R. 1 Cb. R. 47, 8.

[If Lands are devised to pay Debts, and simple Contract Creditors exhaust Personal Estate, a specific or a pecuniary Legatee shall be paid out of the Land devised to pay Debts. *Maslewood v. Pope*, T. 1734. 3 P. W. 322.]

[But if Lands are devised to *A.* in Fee, and specific Legacy to *B.* and Bond-creditors come on specific Legacy for Payment, *B.* shall not stand in Bond-creditor's Place, to charge the Land devised to *A.* for he is a *specific* Devisee as *B.* *specific* Legatee. *Ibid.*]

[If *A.* purchases a Term for 1000 Years in Lands, and agrees to give a consideration for the Inheritance, and Vendor covenants to procure Conveyance to Vendee and Heirs; *A.* dies before Conveyance made, leaving *B.* his Daughter 3000 *l.* and *C.* his Son Executor and Heir, who assigns the Term in Trust to attend the Inheritance, and then takes Conveyance of the Inheritance to himself, then he confesses Judgment to one, mortgages the Inheritance to another, without taking Notice or assigning the Term, and dies Insolvent; the Judgment shall first be paid, then the Mortgage, and then the 3000 *l.* to *B.* the Legatee, as *Administratrix* to *C.* her Brother, before the simple Contract Creditors. *Charlton v. Low*, M. 1734. 3 P. W. 328.]

[If a Man gives his *South-Sea* Bonds in Trust, that his Executrix pay several Legacies, and gives all the Residue of his Estate to his Wife his Executrix, and the *South-Sea* Bonds are not sufficient, they shall be paid out of the other Part of the Personal Estate. *Cooke v. Martyn*, P. 1737. 1 *Atkyns* 2.]

If there are not Assets for Debts and Legacies; the Debts shall be paid before Legacies to a Charity. P. W. 264.

But if Land is devised to the Heir in Tail, a Legatee shall not have Relief against the Heir, tho' the Personal Estate is exhausted, by Payment of Debts upon Bond, &c. R. Sal. 416.

[If a Man by Will says, "As to my worldly Estate, I dispose, &c." and gives 100 *l.* to his Daughter, to be paid by his Son, his Executor, a Month after his Widow's Death, to whom he devises his Real Estate, with Household Goods, and Stock in Trade, for Life, and then to his Son; and the Personal Estate is insufficient, the Daughter's Legacy shall be paid out of the Real. *Lypet v. Carter*, T. 1750. 1 *Vezey* 499.]

[If *A.* leaves *B.* Money, she leaving *C.* 500 *l.* at her Death, and *A.* dies, *C.* dies, *B.* dies, her Representative cannot *set off* a Demand of *B.* on *C.* for the Demand is in *autre droit*. *Medlicot v. Bowis*, H. 1748. 1 *Vezey* 207.]

[Where the Use of Goods is given to one for Life, he must sign an Inventory expressing them to be in his Custody for Life only, and then to be delivered and remain to him in Remainder. *Slaning v. Style*, M. 1734. 3 P. W. 334.]

[The Inventory is to be deposited with the Master; formerly Security was required. *Bill v. Kinaston*, 1740. 2 *Atkyns* 82.]

How a Legacy shall be paid upon a Devise to pay Debts and Legacies. *Vide Ante*, (3 A. 3, &c.)

When a Legatee shall refund, or abate in Proportion, *Vide Ante*, 3 G. 3.) *Post*, (3 Y. 18, 19.)

(3 Y. 7.) How a Devise shall be construed.

[If *A.* devises Money to the Relations of *B.* to be equally divided between them, it shall be confined to such as would take by the Statute of Distributions, but they shall take *per capita*. *Thomas v. Hole*, P. 1 G. 2. C. T. T. 251.]

[If *A.* devises to his *near Relations*, it means such as are within the Statute of Distributions. *Whithorn v. Harris*, T. 1754. 2 *Vezey* 527.]

[If a Man devise a Legacy to his *nearest* poor Relations, it shall not extend to all his poor Relations, even that he knew. *Goodinge v. Goodinge*, P. 1749. 1 *Vezey* 231.]

[If *A.* by Will declares he intends to dispose of his Household Goods by Codicil, and devises the Residue of his Personal Estate not disposed of, or reserved to be disposed of, to his Wife, and makes a Codicil without disposing of his household Goods, they shall not go to the residuary Legatee, but according to the Statute of Distributions. *Davers v. Dewes*, T. 1730. 3 P. W. 40.]

[If *A.* bequeaths to his Grand-Children *B. C.* and *D.* 1000 *l.* each, and the Interest to their Use, and if any dies, to the Survivors or Survivor, *Share and Share alike*, the Interest to be paid to their Father, to be improved to their Use. *B.* dies an Infant, then *C.* dies; the Share which *C.* took by the Death of *B.* shall not survive to *D.* but go to the Father, *C.*'s Administrator, both Principal and Interest; for *Share and Share alike* are tantamount to equally to be divided. *Rudge v. Barker*, T. 9 G. 2. C. T. T. 124.]

[If a Man gives all his Estate, Leases and Interest in his House in *H.* and all the Goods therein, and all Plate, &c. to his Wife, but desires her at her Death to give such Leases, House, Goods, &c. amongst such of his Relations as she shall think most deserving; and she by Will gives her Interest in the House to *A.* and after Legacies, the Residue of her Personal Estate to two whom she makes Executors, and dies without giving the Goods, &c. to her Husband's Relations, the Wife took only beneficially during her Life, and the Goods, &c. or the Value of them, shall be divided among the next of Kin of the Husband. *Harding v. Glyn*, T. 1739. 1 *Atkyns* 469.]

[A Devise of Money to be divided among all the Children of *A.* does not extend to a Child born some Years after the Testator's Death. *Heathe v. Heathe*, H. 1740. 2 *Atkyns* 121.]

[If *A.* gives 3000 *l.* to Trustees to place at Interest, or on a Purchase, and to permit his Wife to take the Profits during Life, and then to divide the whole Principal and Interest among his four Children, *Share and Share alike*, and the Survivors, but not before Twenty-one, or Marriage; if any die before, his Share to be divided among the Survivors, and one of them *B.* attains Twenty-one, but dies in the Mother's Life, her Representative shall have her Share of what remains in Money, but not of what is vested in Real Estates, which goes to the Heir at Law, *H.* 1740. 2 *Atkyns* 123.]

[If a Will directs that the Interest with the Principal of a Testator's Estate shall be settled on the Daughter, or, the Heirs of her Body, as the Executors think fit; they cannot give it from her to them, but the Word *or* must be construed *and*. *Read v. Snell*, T. 1743. 2 *Atkyns* 642.]

[If the Residue of Real and Personal Estate is devised to Trustees, to be settled on Testator's Daughter, and the Heirs of her Body, but in case she die leaving no Heirs of her Body, then as to one Moiety to *A.* and his Wife, and their Heirs for ever, and as to the other, to *B.* and *C.*; this is a Gift to the Daughter for Life, with a contingent Remainder to such Heir of her Body as shall be living at the Time of her Death, and the Devise over to *A. B.* and *C.* is good. *Ibid.*]

[If a Man by Will appoints the Interest to be made of his Personal Estate shall be paid to his Father for Life, then to his Mother for Life, and after their Decease gives the Residue of his personal Estate to his Brother and Sisters, and the Sisters of his Wife, *Share and Share alike*, and if either dies before him, or the Survivor of Father and Mother, their Share to be divided among the Survivors of them; the Brother dies in Testator's Life, the Sisters in the Mother's Life, the Wife's Sisters are intitled to the whole Residue, to the accumulated Shares of the Persons dead, as well as to their own original Shares. *Pain v. Benson*, P. 1744. 3 *Atkyns* 78.]

[If a Man by Will bequeaths his Lands to his Wife *A.* for Life, then to *B.* Niece to my said Wife; *Item*, I give the Use of 500 *l.* Stock for her natural Life, but after her Death I give the 500 *l.* among the Brothers and Sisters of my said Wife; the

the Wife and not the Niece shall have the 500 *l.* for her Life. *Castledon v Turner*, T. 1745. 3 *Atkyns* 257.]

[If a Man by Will gives Money to Trustees, to pay the Interest to his Children, with other Directions, but makes no Provision for the Contingency of any of his Children dying without any Issue, but only that if the Issue of any of the Children should die without Issue before Twenty-one, then their Share to be divided among his Children equally, and gives the Residue of his Estate to his Sons; and one of his Sons dies without Issue, his Share having never vested in him, shall not go to his Representative; and being a Share of a Sum divided from what Testator intended to be the Residue, it shall not go to the residuary Legatees, but shall go among the surviving Children. *Fonereau v. Fonereau*, P. 1745. 3 *Atkyns* 315.]

[If *A.* by her Will gives to her Nieces *B.* and *C.* each one Half of the Produce of Bank-stock, and to their Issue, and if either of them die before the Legacy becomes due, and leave no Issue, her Share shall go to the Survivor; and *B.* has a Son at the Time of the Devise, and dies before *A.* leaving a Son, this Son is intitled to a Moiety of the Produce of the Stock; for the Words relate to any Issue she might leave at her Death. *Lampley v. Blower*, M. 1746. 3 *Atkyns* 396.]

[If a Man devises 5000 *l.* out of his Estate to be equally divided between his Children, with Remainder in the same Estate to his first and other Sons, and then to his Daughters; the eldest Son shall have a Share. *Incedon v. Northcote*, H. 1746. 3 *Atkyns* 430.]

[If a Man devises Lands to his Wife for Life, then to *A.* and the Heirs of his Body, and for Want of such Issue to be sold and divided among his Relations, according to the Statute of Distributions; and *A.* dies without Issue in the Lifetime of the Wife, she is not intitled to any Share of the Distribution. *Worsely v. Johnson*, M. 1753. 3 *Atkyns* 758. *Davis v. Baily*, H. 1747. 1 *Vezey* 84.]

[If a Man by Will gives 300 *l.* to the Children of his Sister *S.* to be paid by his Executor, and equally divided at Twenty-one or Marriage, with Interest, and failing any, their Share to the Survivors, and failing all to *G.*; *S.* has but one Child at making the Will, it shall be construed for the Benefit of all she shall have. *Maddison v. Andrew*, M. 1747. 1 *Vezey* 57.]

[If a Man devises his Residue to be divided into Fifths, two Parts to *A.* and *B.* or their Issue, in Default to the Survivor, or their Issue, one Part to *C.* or his Issue, one Part to another Brother whose Name he has forgot, or his Issue, another Fifth to *D.* and her Children; it shall be construed to such Legatees, or their Issue, whom he knew not whether they had Children living or not; and to such Legatees and their Children jointly whom he knew to have Children. *Le Farrant v. Spencer*, T. 1748. 1 *Vezey* 97.]

[If *A.* devises 10 *l.* a-piece to the Son and two Daughters by Name of *F. E.* then 300 *l.* to *B.* to be paid at Twenty-one, or Marriage, and Interest in the mean Time for her Maintenance; but if she dies before, then to the younger Children of *F. E.* equally to be divided, the eldest Son to be excluded, and says nothing of Interest; this shall go to such as are younger Children at the Death of *B.* *Ellijon v. Airey*, T. 1748. 1 *Vezey* 111.]

[If a Woman having a Power to appoint 4000 *l.* to her Kin, and for Default to go according to Statute, and by Will appoints to *A.* her Nephew, he paying Annuity to his Mother, and gives the Residue of her Estate to her Niece *B.* and *A.* dies in Testatrix's Life, the 4000 *l.* goes to *B.* *Oke v. Heath*, M. 1748. 1 *Vezey* 135.]

[If a Man by Will gives his Daughter *A.* Wife of *B.* 3000 *l.* for the Use of her younger Children, in such Manner, Share and Proportion, as she pleases, and if no Appointment, equally, and to survive if any die under Age unmarried, it extends only to those born at making the Will, or at most at Testator's Death. *Coleman v. Seymour*, H. 1748. 1 *Vezey* 209.]

[If a Legacy is given to younger Children, and after Testator's Death a Younger becomes the Elder, he shall nevertheless have his Share. *Ibid.*]

[If a Man devises Leasehold to his Wife, for so many Years as she shall live, then if Son *R.* is living, to him for so many Years as he shall live; but if then living, and shall then or afterwards have Issue-male, then to him absolutely; but if

if *R.* die in Wife's Life, without leaving Issue-male, then over; and *R.* dies in Wife's Life, it goes to his Representative. *Jackson v. Jackson*, H. 1748. 1 *Vezey* 217.]

[If a Man devises all his Lands, &c. to his Wife for Life, then to his Daughter for Life, then to her Children, equally to be divided, and for Want of Children to his right Heirs on the Side of the *F.*'s; the Children take as Tenants in common for their Lives only, and each is intitled to a Share of the Profits from the Death of the Mother, tho' not born when the Will made. *Goodwyn v. Goodwyn*, H. 1748. 1 *Vezey* 226.]

[If a Man by Will gives a Daughter 4000 *l.* provided she releases when at Age to her Brother *A.* her Share of an Estate under her Grandfather's Will, and she receives Part of it, *A.* is intitled to her Share. *Ibid.*]

[If a Man devise in Trust for his Son *A.* for Life, Remainder to support, &c. Remainder to his first Son, and the Heirs of the Body of such first Son, and for Default, to *second, third, and fourth* successively, in Remainder one after another; and *A.* has no Son at making the Will, has one who dies in Testator's Lifetime and then another, this last shall take as first Son, and he might also take by the Remainder to the second Son. *Lomax v. Holmdon*, T. 1749. 1 *Vezey* 290.]

[If a Man gives 30,000 *l.* to his Wife, and after other pecuniary Legacies, the Residue of his Personal to his eldest Son *R.* except such Legacies as he shall indorse as a Codicil; and by such Indorsement he directs that the 30,000 *l.* should be to his Wife for Life only, and then to be divided among his Children as she should by Deed, Will, or Instrument in Nature of a Will, direct; and she marries again, and in her second Husband's Life (having Power to dispose) by Will appoints the Distribution of the Money, and two of the Children die in her Lifetime, their Shares go to the Representative of *R.* the residuary Legatee, and shall not be divided among the Rest of the Children. *D. of Marlborough v. E. Godolphin*, M. 1750. 2 *Vezey* 61.]

[If a Man gives a Sum to his Son *W.*'s younger Children to be paid at Twenty-one, and if any dies, to survive to the others, it vests in those who are born at Testator's Death, and does not include those born afterwards. *Horsley v. Chaloner*, M. 1750. 2 *Vezey* 83.]

If a Man devises *the Moiety of his Personal Estate*; the Moiety of Money, Bonds, and Leases passes. *R. Ca. Ch.* 16.

[Devise of Arrears of Interest passes Arrears of an Annuity. *Hele v. Gilbert*, T. 1752. 2 *Vezey* 430.]

If he devises his *Worldly Estate*, viz. *That Debts be paid, and my Wife have a Moiety of what is left; and the remaining Part of my Estate Real and Personal, I give to my Brother*; *R.* that the Wife shall have a Moiety of the Real and Personal Estate, after Debts paid. 2 *Ver.* 690.

[If a Man by Will devise all his Lands in *W.* to his Sister *A.* for Life, with Remainders over, then to her Husband *B.* for Life, then to *C.* for Life, with Remainders over, and makes *A.* and *B.* and another Executors, and directs the Surplus of his Personal to be laid out in Lands to be settled to the same Uses; and by his Codicil gives *C.* an Annuity out of the Freehold Lands, limited to him till they come to be possessed by him, and reciting his Will, directs that his Dwelling-House after the Death of *A.* should come to *B.* but the Rest of the Lands thereby given to *B.* he directs the Profits of them to be divided between *B.* and *C.* and *C.*'s Annuity to be taken as Part of his Dividend; *C.* is not intitled to the Moiety of the Interest of the Surplus of the Personal Estate during the Life of *B.* after the Death of *A.* *Beauclerk v. Mead*, P. 1741. 2 *Atkyns* 167.]

If a Man devises *all his Household Goods*, his Plate passes. 2 *Ver.* 638.

Or, *all his Furniture and Pictures.* *R.* 2 *Ver.* 512.

If a Man devises *all his Personal Estate in W.* to *A.* it will be a Specific Legacy, and will give all his Goods, Coaches, Horses, and all that he had at that Place. *R.* 2 *Ver.* 688. *Eq. R.* 87.

[If *A.* devises to his Nephew and others Trustees 6000 *l.* *South-Sea* Annuities, to be laid out on Lands to be settled on *B.* &c. and by Codicil taking Notice of this gives 1200 *l.* to the same Uses, and makes his Nephew Executor, and dies possessed

possessed of large Personal Estate, but only 5360 *l.* *South-Sea* Annuities when he made the Will; this is a Specific Legacy, and the 5360 *l.* shall not be made up 6000 *l.* out of the Personal Estate. *Ashton v. Ashton*, M. 9 G. 2. C. T. T. 152. 3 P. W. 384.]

[But if *A.* devises 1000 *l.* *South-Sea* Stock to his Wife, he having then 1800 *l.* afterwards reduces it to 200 *l.* then makes it up 1600 *l.* then the Act takes place, changing Three-fourths of the *South-Sea* Stock into Annuities, and Testator dies, having 400 *l.* Stock, and 1200 *l.* Annuities, the Wife shall have the whole Legacy of 1000 *l.* *Partridge v. Partridge*, M. 10 G. 2. C. T. T. 226.]

[If a Man devises to *A.* 400 *l.* (without the Word *my*) *East-India* Bonds, to pay the Interest to *B.* till Twenty-one or Marriage, then to pay the said 400 *l.* *East-India* Bonds to her; and recites this Bequest in Codicil, and another of three Exchequer Orders, which he has since disposed of, and substitutes a pecuniary Legacy for these Orders, and only one *East-India* Bond is found at his Death, it is not Specific, but a Bequest of Quantity, and shall be made good from the Residue. *Sleech v. Thorington*, T. 1754. 2 Vezey 360.]

[If a Sum of *South-Sea* Annuity-stock, or *South-Sea* Annuities is given to several Persons in several Proportions, and 13.13 the Remainder thereof to *A.* and there is a Deficiency, it is Specific, and shall not be made good from the Residue, but all the Parties must abate in proportion. *Ibid.*]

If he devises 15 *l.* a-piece to each of his Relations on the Part of his Father and Mother: Payment of 15 *l.* to *A.* and 15 *l.* a-piece to each Child of *A.* will be good; tho' it is not conformable to the Distribution upon the Statute for the Distribution of Intestates Estates. 2 Ver. 381.

So, a Devise of his Personal Estate in *W.* to *A.* gives him the Rents, due at his Death, of the Lands in *W.* Eq. R. 87.

Tho' it be all his Personal Estate, except his Bedding; for that does not restrain the Words to Furniture. Eq. R. 88.

[A Devise of the Rents and Profits of an Estate to a Husband for Life, without Impeachment of Waste, enables him to cut Timber. *Partridge v. Pawlet*, H. 1737. 1 Atkyns 467.]

If a Man devises his Bond, Debt, &c. the Money due passes.

And the Interest, as well as the Principal, due upon the Bond.

If a Man devises all his Household Goods, Money, and Plate; this gives all Money due upon Mortgage or Security, but not his *South-Sea* or Annuity Stock (being as a Chattel Real). Per Gilbert Ch. B. Eq. Ca. 203. Dub. per me, being coupled with the Household Goods, whether it extended beyond Money in the House.

[A Devise of 200 *l.* secured on Mortgage on the Estate of *A.* and all Messuages, Lands, and Tenements, for securing the same, passes the Principal only. *Roberts v. Kuffin*, M. 1740. 2 Atkyns 112.]

[If a Father leave his Daughter a Money Legacy, and then devises to her all Goods and Things, of every Kind and Sort whatever, found in her Closet at his Death, this does not pass Money found there. *Ibid.*]

[Goldsmiths Notes, and Bank Bills do not pass by a Devise of Mortgages, Ground-Rents, Judgments, &c. whatever I have or shall have at my Death, as Plate, Jewels, Linen, Household Goods, Coach and Horses. *Timewell v. Pirkins*, M. 1740. 2 Atkyns 102.]

[Bank Notes will not pass by the Word *Securities*, but must be considered as Cash; Dividends paid into the Bank where Testator kept his Cash are not Dividends due and received by him. *Southcot v. Watson*, T. 1745. 3 Atkyns 226.]

[If one seized of Lands in *A.* and possessed of a Term for Years in *B.* devises all his Lands and Real Estate in *A.* and *B.* to *S.* and his Heirs, and then disposes of his Personal Estate, this will not pass the Term to *S.* *Davis v. Gibbs*, H. 1729. 3 P. W. 26.]

If he devises to his Wife 1200 *l.* and all the Goods, Chattels, Plate, Jewels, Household Stuff, and Stock in and belonging to his House; 400 *l.* in his House does not pass. Pr. Ch. 8.

[Current Coin, if curious Pieces, and kept with Medals, will pass as such. *Bridgeman v. Dove*, M. 1744. 3 Atkyns 201.]

[A Library of Books, whether small or great, will not pass as Furniture. *Bridge-man v. Dove*, M. 1744. 3 *Atkyns* 201.]

[If one devises to his Wife all his Household Goods, and other Goods, Plate and Stock; within Doors and without, and bequeaths the Residue of his Personal Estate to B. the Testator's ready Money and Bonds do not go to the Wife; for then the residuary Bequest would be void. *Woolcomb v. Woolcomb*, P. 1731. 3 *P. W.* 112.]

If A settles a House upon his Daughter for Life, and afterwards to others, and by his Will devises *all the Goods, Furniture, and Ornaments in the House, to such Persons as the House was to go to after his Death*; the Daughter shall not have the Property and Disposal of the Goods, but the Use only for her Life. R. *Pr. Ch.* 26.

If he devises to his Wife *his Rings, and Household Goods*; Plate used in the House doth not pass. *Pr. Ch.* 207.

[If a Woman says, I give to B. all my Goods, wearing Apparel of what Nature and Kind soever, except my Gold Watch; Household Goods, wearing Apparel and Ornaments of the Person, only pass, but not the Residue. *Crichton v. Symes*, T. 1743. 3 *Atkyns* 61.]

If he says, *the Furniture and Pictures in my Houses in A. and B. shall go with my Houses, and my Chapel Plate, to my Chapel*; tho' Furniture generally includes Plate, yet Plate carried for his Use from one House to another, does not go with his Houses; for here it is distinguished from his Furniture. R. *Pr. Ch.* 251. *Eq. Abr.* 200.

[China passes under the Word Furniture, unless the Devise is by a Shop-keeper. *Hele v. Gilbert*, T. 1752. 2 *Vezey* 430.]

If he devises to A. *his Silver Tea-kettle and Lamp with the Appurtenances*; the Silver Tea-pot, Milk-pot, Tongs and Canisters do not pass. R. 1728. *Eq. Abr.* 201.

So, if he devises *all his Goods, Chattels, Furniture, Household Stuff, and other Things which then were or should be in his House at his Death*; 265 *l.* ready Money, in the House at his Death does not pass; for other Things import others of like Nature. R. 1724. *Eq. Abr.* 201.

[If a Man devises all his Estate, Real and Personal, to Trustees on Trust, as to so much of his Personal as shall be on his Seat at P. to suffer his Wife to enjoy during Life; a Sum of Money in the House does not pass, but all Stock, live and dead, and all Stores on the Lands in Hand, do pass. *Incedon v. Northcote*, H. 1746. 3 *Atkyns* 430.]

If he devises so much Money *to all the Hospitals*; it extends only to all the Hospitals in the Town, &c. where he lives, if there are any there. *P. W.* 425.

[If A. gives 100 *l.* to each of the public Charities mentioned in the Will of B. this includes Charities not confirmed by Charter, as to the Poor of a Parish, or poor Housekeepers, at the Discretion of an Executor; the Extensiveness makes it public. *Attorney-general v. Pearce*, M. 1740. 2 *Atkyns* 87.]

But, if a Man devises *all his moveable Goods and Chattels*, his Debts do not pass. R. *Jon.* 225.

If he devises *all his Furniture at his House at B.* Goods pack'd up, to be sent and used for Furniture there, do not pass. R. 2 *Ver.* 739.

Nor Goods removed from the House by Accident, by reason that the Lease of the House was surrendered or expired, if done without Fraud in the Party. R. 2 *Ver.* 747.

[If Captain of a Man of War devises all his Goods on board the Ship A. and they are removed to Ship B. before his Death, yet they pass; tho' in Case of a Devise of Goods in a House it is otherwise, unless they were removed on account of Fire, and Testator dies soon after. *Chapman v. Hart*, T. 1749. 1 *Vezey* 271.]

So, if a Man agrees that his Wife shall not have any of his Personal Estate, *except the Household Goods and Furniture at his Death*; and he has two Houses, one in which he lives, and the other for the Use of Seamen; the Wife shall have the former only. 2 *P. W.* 302, 304.

If an Upholsterer devises *his Household Goods*, those in his Shop do not pass. 2 *P. W.* 303.

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[A Devise by an *India* Captain of all Household Furniture, Linen, Plate, and Apparel whatsoever, includes only what is for Domestick Use, not what is for Trade or Merchandise. *Le Farrant v. Spencer*, T. 1748. 1 *Vezey* 97.]

So, if a Man devises *his Utensils*; Plate and Jewels do not pass. R. Dy. 59. b.

[A Devise of Household Goods and Implements of Household does not pass Malt, Hops, Beer, or Victuals in the House, nor Guns and Pistols used in riding or shooting Game; but a Clock in the House not fixed to it passes. *Slanning v. Style*, M. 1734. 3 P. W. 334.]

[If a Man possessed of a Lease of a Farm, *Malthouse*, &c. at 40*l.* per Annum, gives to his Wife all his Household Goods, Cattle, Corn, Hay, and Implements of Husbandry and Stock belonging to his House, Messuage, Farm, and Premises in said Lease, and she to pay the 40*l.* Rent; the Stock in the Malt Trade passes. *Brooksbank v. Wentworth*, T. 1743. 3 *Atkyns* 64.]

If by Will he acquits his Servant of *all Debts, Accounts, and Demands*; a Trunk, in which there are Jewels, &c. in the Custody of the same Servant, is not thereby devised to him. *Semb.* 2 *Ver.* 114.

If he devises to his Wife *all his Jewels*; his Collar of SS, and Garter, or Diamonds fastned to the Bonnet or Robes do not pass. R. Owen 124.

If he devises *all his Household Goods*; Plate commonly used in the Family passes. P. W. 425.

[If a Man by Will devises all his *Plate* to his Wife, and by his Codicil gives her the Use of his *Household Goods* for Life only; if it appears the Plate was used in his House, the Words Household Goods include the Plate, and she shall have it for Life only. *Snelson v. Corbet*, T. 1746. 3 *Atkyns* 369.]

So, if A. devises 200*l.* to each of his three Daughters, and if any die without Issue, her Part to go to the Survivors; if any marries and dies without Issue, her Part does not survive; for Money cannot be intailed. R. 2 *Vent.* 349.

[If A. gives Three-fourths of his Personal Estate to his three Sons, equally to be divided, and devises the other Fourth to his Sons in Trust for his two Daughters, the Interest to be paid to them respectively during their Lives, and afterwards to their or either of their Child or Children, and for Default to his three Sons, equally to be divided; and one of the Daughters dies, leaving a Son, the other without Issue, her Moiety shall go to the Son of the other. *Stephens v. Hide*, P. 7 G. 2. C. T. T. 27.]

If a Man devises 10*l.* to each Servant living with him at his Death; it does not extend to the Steward of a Court, or such a one, who serves many others besides the Testator. R. 2 *Ver.* 546.

[If a Man gives 100*l.* to the two Servants living with him at the Time of his Death, and has only two at making the Will, but takes a third, and all three live with him at his Death, the 100*l.* shall be divided among them all. *Sleech v. Thorington*, T. 1754. 2 *Vezey* 560.]

If he devises so much Sugar to be paid at such a Time; if it is not paid at the Time, the Executor shall be decreed to pay the Value with Interest. R. 2 *Ver.* 553.

If he devises *Land and Money* to his Wife; provided, if she dies without Issue, 80*l.* shall go to his Brother, after the Death of his Wife: If she has no Issue at her Death, the 80*l.* shall go to his Brother, for it shall be intended to be immediately upon her Death. R. 2 *Ver.* 758, 766.

[If A. by Codicil gives to B. during her natural Life his House, with all the Goods therein, the Devisee has no larger Interest in the Goods than in the House. *Leeke v. Bennet*, H. 1737. 1 *Atkyns* 470.]

[If a Man covenants to lay out a Sum in Lands, and devises his Real Estate before such Purchase made, the Money agreed to be laid out will pass to the Devisee. *Green v. Smith*, M. 1738. 1 *Atkyns* 572.]

[If a Man, having made his Will, enters into a Contract for Purchase of Land, the Lands contracted for will not pass by the Will, but descend. *Ibid.*

[If an Ancestor after making his Will agrees for the Purchase of particular Lands, the Heir at Law shall have them if good Title can be made, otherwise not, nor shall he in that Case have the Money. *Ibid.*]

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[The Word *Estate*, passes not only Land, but all the Interest the Testator has in it, tho' there is a Locality. *Tuffnal v. Page*, P. 1740. 2 *Atkyns* 37.]

[If *A.* devises Lands to Trustees to receive the Rents, and pay them to his Wife for Life, and to permit her to charge them with 200*l.* then to *B.* for Life, then to *C.* for Life, charged and chargeable as aforesaid, and after Determination of these Estates, to *D.* his Heirs, &c. charged and chargeable with 1000*l.* a-piece to his six Nieces, to be paid to them respectively in twelve Months after his Death, and to be raised by the Trustees in like Manner; the Words *charged* and *chargeable* run over the particular Estates as well as the Fee, and the Legacies shall be paid twelve Months after the Death of *A.* *Carter v. Carter*, M. 1748. 1 *Vezey* 168.]

If he devises his *Personal Estate* and the Produce of it to his Son, and if he dies before Twenty-one or Marriage, to his Brother: If the Son dies before Twenty-one, the Brother shall have only the Capital, not the Produce in the Life-time of the Son. R. 1 P. W. 503.

[If Personal Estate is devised to *A.* the Produce of it (after Maintenance) to be laid up till he is Twenty-one, and if he dies before Twenty-one, and his Mother has no Children, then all the Legacies and Bequests to *A.* to go to *B.*; *A.* dies before Twenty-one; the Produce from the Death of *A.* shall accumulate and be added to the Capital, and if the Mother dies without Children goes to *B.* *Studholme v. Hodgson*, T. 1734. 3 P. W. 305. *Green v. Ekins*, M. 1742. 2 *Atkyns* 473.]

[If a Mother gives all her Real and Personal Estate to her Daughter and her Heirs; but if she die before she is of Age to dispose thereof then gives the same to Trustees to raise 6000*l.* for a Charity, the Residue thereof, if her Daughter dies unmarried, to her (Testatrix's) Sisters; and the Daughter marries, has a Daughter, and dies aged Twenty, her Husband shall have the Personal Estate, as she was of Age to dispose of that at Fourteen; the Real Estate shall satisfy the 6000*l.* and subject thereto go to the Husband for Life as Tenant by Curtesy, and then to his Daughter in Fee. *Bellasis v. Utb watt*, H. 1737. 1 *Atkyns* 426.]

[If one devises Lands to Trustees to be sold, and the Money to be laid out in Lands or Stock, in Trust to permit *A.* to receive the Profits during Life, then in Trust for the Use of the Issue of the Body of *B.* with Remainders over, the Money must be laid out in Land, *B.* has only an Estate for Life, Issue takes in Male and Female, and there must be cross Remainders to the Females. *Meure v. Meure*, P. 1737. 2 *Atkyns* 265.]

[If a Man by Will creates a Term in Trust by the Rents and Profits, or by Mortgage, to raise Portions for the Daughters of his Son *A.* payable at Eighteen or Marriage, with a Maintenance in the mean Time, with a Power to *A.* to make a Jointure of all the Premises, the Portions cannot be raised so as to affect the Jointress, but shall be raised by Mortgage of the Reversion, with Interest from the Time they were payable. *Hall v. Carter*, T. 1742. 2 *Atkyns* 354.]

[If a Man gives all his Real and Personal Estate to *A.* and *B.* equally between them for Life, and on the Death of *A.* the whole Estate to *B.* in Tail-general, and for want of such Issue to *C.* in Fee, and gives pecuniary Legacies chargeable on the Real, if the Personal not sufficient; and then gives all the Residue of his Personal Estate to *D.*; *D.* shall have it and not *B.* *Ulrich v. Litchfield*, T. 1742. 2 *Atkyns* 372.]

[If Money is devised to Trustees, to be laid out in the Purchase of an Annuity clear for *A.* it means an Annuity free from Taxes, *Hodgeworth v. Crawley*, T. 1742. 2 *Atkyns* 376.]

[If a Man makes his Will in *Jamaica*, and gives several Legacies to be paid in *Sterling* Money, then two Legacies generally without mentioning *Sterling*, then devises Real Estate and Specific Legacies, then other Legacies in *Sterling*, and dies, leaving Effects in *England*, and in *Jamaica*, the two Legacies must be paid in *Jamaica* Currency only, tho' one of the Legatees lives in *England*. *Saunders v. Drake*, M. 1742. 2 *Atkyns* 465.]

[As long as the Fund exists upon which a Legacy is charged, tho' it devolves to the Heir or Executor, yet they shall take it subject to the Charge; therefore if *A.* says that what his Personal falls short of paying Legacies, he charges on his Lands,

Lands, and then gives to *B.* the Household Goods in the Schedule annexed, he paying certain Annuities, and annexes no Schedule, the Household Goods in the Executor's Hands shall be first applied, then the Personal, and then the Lands. *Hills v. Wirley, T. 1743. 2 Atkyns 605.*

[Legacies of the same Specific Thing, in different Codicils are only Repetitions; so of the same Sum of Money, or Quantity of Things; Legacies in the last Codicil greater than in the first are not additional several Legacies, but Augmentations of the first, and if smaller, Diminutions of the first. *D. of St. Albans v. Beauclerk, P. and T. 1743. 2 Atkyns 636.*]

[If a Mother by Will gives her Daughter 30*l.* per Annum whilst unmarried, by 15*l.* at *May-Day*, and 15*l.* at *All-saints*, and she marries before the Half-Year's Payment becomes due, she shall be paid *pro Rata* till the Time of the Marriage. *Reynish v. Martin, P. 1746. 3 Atkyns 330.*]

[If a Man devises all his Plate, Books, Pictures, and Household Goods to such Male (when Twenty-one) as shall then be intitled to the Trust in Possession of his Real Estate, and till then the said Plate, &c. should be kept at *D.* and used by such Male residing there, declaring, his Will to be, that said Plate, &c. may go as Heir-looms with his Estate as long as the Law will permit; they shall go as Heir-looms, for the Devise is only a Disposition of the Use till the Person intitled to the Inheritance attains Twenty-one. *Trafford v. Trafford, T. 1746. 3 Atk. 347.*]

[If a Man by Will, reciting that he has settled his Estate on *A.* for Life, to his first and other Sons in Tail Male, and then to be sold, and the Money divided between four Persons, then directs that his Household-stuff at *H.* should remain and continue there for the Use of such Person or Persons as shall enjoy the Estate by the Settlement, to be delivered to him or them by his Executor, when the Person is capable of giving a Discharge, and in the mean Time his Executor to take Care of them; they shall not be sold as Heir-looms with the House, but go to the Representative of *A.* the first Taker. *Wyth v. Blackmen, H. 1748. 1 Vezey 196.*]

[If Books are devised to Tenant in Tail, they are not Heir-looms, but his Property as first Taker. *D. Bridgewater v. Egerton, H. 1750. 2 Vezey 121.*]

[If a Man devises a House and Appurtenances to his Wife during Widowhood, but that his Son when Twenty-one, or married, might have it, paying, &c. and she marries, and he is not Twenty-one, when Twenty-one he may have it; the intervening Interest is undisposed of, and goes to the respective Residues Real and Personal. *Ibid.*]

[If a Husband who is bound to leave his Wife 500*l.* by Will, and having no *India* Stock; but his Wife being intitled to 700*l.* Bank-Stock in *Autre Droit*, which she afterwards transfers to him, and it stands in his own Name, if he leaves his Wife 700*l.* *India* Stock, the 700*l.* Bank shall pass by it. *Door v. Geary, T. 1749. 1 Vezey 255. 1 Wils. 247.*]

[If a Man by Will gives an Annuity in Fee, a Jointure and other Legacies, and subject thereto 200*l.* per Annum to his Daughter till of Age, or Married, and then directs his Executors to intail on his Daughter all his Estate and Effects; it is subject to the Annuities; but the Profits accumulated shall not be settled, but belong to the Daughter. *E. Stafford v. Bulkeley, H. 1750. 2 Vezey 170.*]

[If the Residue of Personal Estate is given to *A.* if he attains Twenty-one, the Profits shall accumulate till then. *Trevanion v. Vivian, T. 1752. 2 Vezey 430.*]

[If a Man devises the Residue of his Personal Estate to his Executors, who receive some Part, and divide it among themselves, and then one dies, the Survivors shall have all the Surplus not already divided. *Willing v. Baine, T. 1731. 3 P. W. 113.*]

[A Devise to a Wife of Household Goods, Plate, Jewels, Linen, &c. for Life, intitles her to use them any where, or to let them out to hire. *Marshall v. Blew, M. 1741. 2 Atkyns 217.*]

[If a Man by Will gives and bequeaths to his Wife all his Household Goods, &c. in or belonging to his House, and also the said House, Gardens, and Land thereto belonging, so long as she continues his Widow, and no longer, and also gives her his Jewels, Coach, &c. the Household Goods, &c. are under the same Restrictions as the House, but the Jewels, Coach, &c. are her absolute Property. *Richards v. Baker, T. 1742. 2 Atkyns 321.*]

(3 Y. 8.) When a Devise gives a present Interest.

Vide Devise,
(N. 18.).

If a Man devises 100 l. to another, to be paid at his Marriage, or the Age of Twenty-one Years; this is an immediate Legacy; and if he dies before Marriage or full Age, it shall be paid to his Executor. *R. Ch. R. 112. R. 2 Vent. 342, 366. R. Dy. 59. b. in Marg. Vide 2 Ver. 395.*

So, if he devises 100 l. to another at his Age of twenty-one Years to be paid with Interest. *R. 2 Vent. 342. Skin. 147. 2 Ver. 137. R. 2 Ver. 508, 673.*

So, if he devises to his Daughter for her Marriage. *R. Dy. 59. b. 1 Ver. 205, 324.*

If he devises to his Daughter to be paid at the Age of Twenty-one; if she marries at Eighteen, the Portion shall be paid. *2 Ver. 424.*—Otherwise, if he devises Land to his Son, with a Charge to pay to his Daughter, at her Age of twenty-one Years. *R. 2 Ver. 617.*

So, if he devises Portions to A. B. and C. his Daughters, to be paid at their respective Marriages, and if any of them die, her Part to go to the Survivors; A. dies; her Part does not go to her Sisters till their Marriage, though the Words are not repeated. *R. 2 Ver. 620.*

But if a Man devises to another at his Age of twenty-one Years, without more; if he dies before that Age it shall not be paid. *R. 2 Vent. 342. Acc. Dy. 59. b.*

And a Devise, at the Age of Twenty-one, or, to be paid at Twenty-one, is tantamount. *2 Ver. 417. R. Eq. R. 12.*

So, if he devises Money to another to be paid at the Age of Twenty-one, but if he dies before that Age it shall go to A. if both of them die before the first attains his full Age, the Money shall not be paid to the Executor of the first, but to the Executor, or Administrator of A. *R. 2 Vent. 347.*

If he devises, at the End of ten Years, tho' the Event is certain, and not contingent, as Marriage, or the Age of Twenty-one, it is a lapsed Legacy. *Per Cowper, Sal. 415.*

So, if he devises, at the Age of Twenty-four, and the Executor pays Part, at Twenty-one, and gives a Bond for the Residue; it shall be repaid. *Dub. 2 Ver. 31.*

If a Man devises, that all his Personal Estate after his Debts and Legacies paid, shall be laid out in the Purchase of Land; all, but so much as is sufficient for the Payment of the Debts and Legacies, shall be immediately laid out for the Purchase. *2 Vent. 346.*

If he devises Land to A. upon Condition that he pays 400 l. of which Sum his Wife shall dispose of 200 l. by her Will; if the Wife makes no Will, the 200 l. goes to her Administrator. *R. 2 Ver. 181.*

If he devises all his Personal Estate to his Wife, and 1000 l. to his Grandson at the Age of Twenty-one or Marriage; the Grandson shall have the 1000 l. immediately upon the Contingency, and not wait for the Death of the Wife. *R. Eq. Ca. 93.**

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But if a Devise be, that the Personal Estate should be applied for a Purchase within one Year, or otherwise should be paid to some Infants equally to be divided; the Interest in the Personal Estate does not vest in the Infants till the Year is passed, and if one of the Infants dies in the mean Time, shall not go to his Executor. *R. 2 Vent. 356.*

[If A. devises to his Daughter B. 200 l. to be paid at her Marriage, or three Months after, provided she marry with his Son's Approbation, and gives her 12 l. per Annum till she marry, and she dies of Age, but not married, the Legacy is not vested, and the Administrator of B. can make no Title to it. *Atkins v. Hiccocks, T. 1737. 1 Atkins 500.*]

[If A. intitled to the Reversion of an Estate after the Death of his Wife devises it to B. and his Heirs so as he should pay to C. 100 l. within six Months after the Reversion comes into Possession, and gives the Residue of Personal to B. and another whom he makes Executors; and C. dies in the Wife's Lifetime, the Legacy is not vested, nor the Representative of C. intitled to it. *Hall v. Terry, M. 1738. 1 Atkins 502,*

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[If *A.* gives Part of his Stock and Trade to *B.* provided he attains Twenty-one, and *B.* dies before it, his Administrator is not intitled to the intermediate Profits between the Deaths of *A.* and of *B.* *Atkinson v. Turner, T. 1740. 2 Atkyns 41.*]

[If a Man gives to his Brother *B.* the Interest of 1500 *l.* during his Life, and from his Death the said 1500 *l.* among all the younger Sons and all the Daughters of *B.* but if only Daughters, then among the younger Daughters, to be paid at Twenty-one, but that no elder Son, if more than one, nor elder Daughter, if only Daughters living at *B.*'s Death, shall have any Share; and *C.* one of *B.*'s Daughters, marries, attains Twenty-one, and dies before *B.* and then he dies; her Representative is not intitled to a Share, for the Legacy does not vest till *B.*'s Death. *Billingsley v. Wells, T. 1745. 3 Atkyns 219.*]

[If a Man by Will gives his Grand-Daughter 1500 *l.* to be at her own Disposal if she marries with Consent, and not otherwise, and she dies at Fourteen unmarried, the Legacy does not vest; for in all Cases where the Condition of marrying is annexed, there must be a Marriage to vest the Legacy. *Elton v. Elton, P. 1747. 3 Atkyns 501. 1 Vezey 4. 1 Wilson 159.*]

[If a Grandfather devises his Estate to his Son for Life, with Power to raise a Sum not exceeding 3000 *l.* for younger Children, and to fix Time of Payment and Interest, and if no Appointment, the Estate to be charged with 3000 *l.* payable to Sons at Twenty-one, to Daughters at Twenty-one or Marriage, nothing vests in the Father's Life; therefore the Representative of one who attains Twenty-one, and becomes eldest Son, and dies in his Father's Life, is not intitled to a Share. *Loder v. Loder, T. 1754. 2 Vezey 526.*]

If there be a Devise of 400 *l.* to the Children of *A.* who has three Daughters, and two of them die under Age; their Shares go to their Administrators. *Eq. Ca. 106.**

So, if a Man devises Portions to younger Children to be paid at their full Age, and the Infant dies before; the Money goes to the Executor or Administrator of the Infant. *R. 2 Vent. 342. R. ibid. 366. 1 Ver. 205, 324, 462.*

So, if he devises Portions to them to be paid out of his Land. *R. 2 Vent. 367.* Where the Portion is vested, *2 Ver. 508.*

But if a Man settles Land for the Payment of Portions to younger Children to be paid at full Age; and one dies before; his Portion shall go to the Heir of the Land, and not to the Administrator of the Infant: For the Land is only trusted with the Payment. *2 Vent. 367. 2 P. W. 276. Vide Ante, (3 P. 3.)*

So, if by the Settlement he refers to his Will, and by his Will devises the same Portions to be paid according to the Settlement. *R. 2 Vent. 367. 2 Ver. 439.*

So, if a Legacy is to be paid at the full Age of an Infant, if it does not carry Interest, tho' it be vested, the Executor shall not have it till the Infant would have been Twenty-one. *2 Ver. 199. 2 P. W. 277.*

[If a Legacy is to be paid to an Infant at his Age of Twenty-four, and a certain Maintenance in the mean Time, his Executor shall not have it till the Infant would have been Twenty-four; but if it had carried Interest, he would have had it immediately. *Harrison v. Buckle, M. 6 G. Str. 238.*]

[If Lands are devised to Trustees to raise and pay 1500 *l.* to a Daughter within six Years after Testator's Death, with Interest till paid, for her Maintenance, and she marries and dies within the six Years, the Money goes to her Administrator, and the Interest ceases at her Death. *Cowper v. Scot, H. 1731. 3 P. W. 119.*]

[If Land is charged with Portions, and no Time appointed for Payment, it is payable presently, becomes an Interest vested, and goes to the Executor. *Ibid.*]

[If one direct his Debts and Legacies to be paid out of his Personal Estate, and if that is not sufficient, his Executor within twelve Months to sell or mortgage his Real Estate for that Purpose, and gives 1000 *l.* to *A.* who dies within a Year, and Personal Estate is not sufficient, the Legacy is vested, and shall go to *A.*'s Executor. *Wilson v. Spencer, H. 1732. 3 P. W. 172.*]

[If a Man devises 1000 *l.* to each of his Daughters to be raised and paid at the Death of his Wife out of his Real Estate, with Interest from her Death till paid to his Daughters, or their respective Executors, and if either of them die in his

Lifetime, then the whole Sum to go to the Survivor, and not to sink in the Estate for the Benefit of the Heir, and one Daughter dies before the Mother, her 1000*l.* shall be raised and paid to her Representative. *Lowther v. Condon, H. 1740, and T. 1741. 2 Atkyns 127.*

[If *A.* by his Will gives his Estate to Trustees, and their Heirs to pay Debts and Legacies, and then to stand seized for the Use of *B.* and the Heirs of his Body, and for Default to such Person, and for such Estate as *A.* shall appoint, and for want of Appointment to his own right Heirs; and the Trustees to pay such Maintenance to *B.* during his Minority as *A.* shall appoint; and by Codicil directs that the Trustees shall pay the Rents and Profits during *B.*'s Minority to *C.* who is to allow such Maintenance to *B.* during his Minority as she thinks fit, the Residue to her own Use, and by another Codicil directs the Trustees not to convey to *B.* till Twenty-six, and till then he is to have such Maintenance as *C.* and the Trustees think fit; the Rents and Profits vest in *B.* at Twenty-one, tho' the Time of receiving is prolonged to Twenty-six. *Smith v. Newport, T. 1742. 2 Atkyns 344.*

[If a Sum is given to be divided between several Brothers and Sisters at Twenty-one, or Day of Marriage with Consent, and if any die before Twenty-one, or marry without Consent, their Shares to go to the others at Twenty-one, or Marriage with Consent; and one dies after Twenty-one, and then two marry without Consent, the Representative of the Deceased is intitled to his Share of the two Forfeitures. *Chauncy v. Graydon, T. 1743. 2 Atkyns 616.*

[If a Man gives Two-thirds of his Real Estate to his Son and his Heirs for ever, but in case he dies before Twenty-one or without Issue, then to his Wife, her Heirs and Assigns; it is a vested Estate in the Son at Twenty-one, and shall go to his Heir at Law, tho' he die without Issue. *Walsh v. Peterson, M. 1744. 3 Atkyns 193.*

[If a Woman gives to her Daughter all her Personal Estate to be sold, &c. as she thinks fit, to pay Debts, and the Residue to be paid and divided between *A.* and *B.* her Grandchildren, at Twenty-one, or sooner if the Daughter thinks fit, and makes her Executrix; as she is only Trustee for her Children, the Legacy vests at Testatrix's Death, and if *B.* dies it is transmissible to *A.* *Steadman v. Palling, H. 1746. 3 Atkyns 423.*

[If *A.* devises 1500*l.* to *B.* when he attains Twenty-five, and empowers his Executors to lay it out, and apply the Interest for *B.*'s Education, and Part of the Principal to put him Prentice, and the Remainder to be paid him at Twenty-five; this shall be construed a vested Legacy, and only Payment postponed. *Fonereau v. Fonereau, T. 1748. 3 Atkyns 645. 1 Vezey 118.*

[If a Man devises 400*l.* to be put out on Security for *A.* that he may have the Interest for Life, and for the Heirs of his Body, and if he dies without Heirs, then over; the Whole vests in *A.* and the Devise over is void, as too remote. *Butterfield v. Butterfield, M. 1748. 1 Vezey 133, 154.*

[If a Man gives his Son 400*l.* to be paid in a Year after his Death, and 100*l.* at the Death of his Mother, the 100*l.* is a vested Legacy; for the Words *to be paid* must be applied to this also. *Jackson v. Jackson, H. 1748. 1 Vezey 217.*

[If a Man after his Daughter's Marriage, when she has only one Daughter *A.* devises his Personal Estate to *A.* and all Children his Daughter may have, equally, to be paid as soon as they are able to receive and discharge; it vests in each Child as soon as it comes *in esse*, and is transmissible, tho' subject to be varied, and does not wait the vesting till the Death of Testator's Daughter. *Exel. v. Wallace, H. 1750. 2 Vezey 117.*

[If *A.* by Codicil desires his Sister *B.* out of the Money given her by his Will, to leave 500*l.* at her Death to *C.* and *C.* survives *A.* and dies before *B.*; *C.*'s Representative shall have it paid by *B.*'s Representative. *Medlicot v. Bowes, H. 1748. 1 Vezey 207.*

[If a Man devises the Residue of his Personal Estate to *A.* his Grandson at Twenty-one, and if he dies before to *B.* *A.* shall not have the Interest during his Minority, but it shall accumulate till he is Twenty-one. If *A.* should die before, whether his Representative or *B.* should have it, *Dub.* *Butler v. Freeman, T. 1743. 3 Atkyns 58.*

So, if a Man devises Land to his Heir *charged with 3000 l. for the Portion of a Daughter at the Age of Twenty-one or Marriage, if she marries with Consent, otherwise 1000 l.* The Daughter dies before, the Portion sinks for the Benefit of the Heir. *R. 2 Ver. 417.*

(3 Y. 9.) When a Legacy carries Interest.

If a Man devises 100 l. to an Infant to be paid at such an Age, and does not make Provision for his Maintenance in the mean Time, he shall have Interest, and it does not accrue to the Benefit of the Executor. *Per Cur. 31 Car. 2. 2 Ven. 346. Vide Ante, (3 R. 6.)*

[If a vested Legacy, payable at Twenty-one, be given by a Father to a Child who has no other Provision, it shall carry Interest, but not if given by a Grandfather. *Haughton v. Harrison, T. 1742. 2 Atkyns 329*]

So, if it is to an Infant at his full Age. *2 Vent. 346. R. upon Demurrer, Ca. Ch. 60.*

If a Man devises *that his Personal Estate shall be laid out for the Purchase of Land, but if his Wife is enseint with a Daughter, that she shall have 3000 l. at her Marriage, if she marries with the Consent of her Mother, otherwise 1000 l. only, and that the Mother shall have 80 l. Part of the Interest of the 3000 l. for the Education of the Daughter;* the Daughter shall have the whole Interest of the 3000 l. and not the 80 l. only. *R. 31 Car. 2. 2 Vent. 346.*

If a Man devises 400 l. to a Woman to be laid out in a Purchase; her Husband shall have Interest for the 400 l. from the Time of exhibiting his Bill for it. *R. 2 Vent. 356.*

If a Man devises 100 l. to one of full Age without saying, *at what Time,* he shall have Interest from the Time of the Bill filed. *Sal. 415.*

If the Day of Payment is limited, he shall have Interest from that Day. *Sal. 415. 1 Ver. 262.*

[If A. gives 500 l. to his Grand-Daughter, to be paid at Twenty-one, or Marriage, and if she dies before either, then gives it to another; she is not intitled to Interest, nor to have the Principal secured. *Palmer v. Mason, M. 1737. 1 Atkyns 505.*]

[If a Man by Will gives 1000 l. a-piece to five Brothers and Sisters, (not his Relations) to be paid at Twenty-one, if they attain that Age, *and not otherwise,* and if any die before, the respective Legacy to be void; and till they attain Twenty-one, or, if the Legacies become void, impowers his Executors to lay out the Money for the Purposes of his Will; the Legacies bear no Interest, nor shall be particularly secured. The Purposes of the Will relate to the Residuary as well as other Legatees. *Heath v. Perry, T. 1744. 3 Atkyns 101.*]

[If a Legacy is given generally at Twenty-one or Marriage, or even if given to A. payable at Twenty-one, and so vested, yet it carries no Interest, unless in the Case of a Child who has no other Provision; for there the Court always gives Interest by way of Maintenance. *Ibid.*]

[If a Woman by Will gives her Daughter 100 l. *per Ann.* till ten Years, and then 50 l. more till Twenty-one, for Maintenance and Education, and gives her 8000 l. to be paid at Twenty-one, or if she dies before Twenty-one without Issue living at her Death, then to A. this Legacy shall not carry Interest. *Hearle v. Greenbank, P. 1749. 3 Atkyns 695. 1 Vezey 298.*]

If Legacies are given in such Proportion as the Executor shall appoint, and a Year is given him to make Distribution; the Executor shall pay Interest from the End of the Year, if he does not make Distribution; for the public Funds are ready to receive. *R. 2 Ver. 745.*

But a Man of full Age shall not have Interest for a Legacy, 'till his Bill is exhibited, if the Time of Payment is not mentioned by the Will. *Sal. 415.*

Nor an Infant, till a Year is expired after the Death of the Testator. *Sal. 415. Semb. Cont. 5 Geo. 2. 13.*

[When Legacies are devised out of a Real Estate, or there is other real sufficient Fund to answer them, if no Time is appointed for Payment, they shall carry

Interest from the Time of Testator's Decease, or at least from a Year after. *Bilson v. Saunders, M. 1727. Bunb. 240.*

[If a Man gives his Niece a Legacy payable a Year after his Death, and afterwards her Husband, apprehending it was not payable till her Marriage, receives Interest on it only from her Marriage, and the Legacy itself, and gives a Receipt in full, yet Equity will decree him Interest from a Year after Testator's Death. *East v. Thornbury, H. 1731. 3 P. W. 126.*]

[If there is a Proviso in a Settlement, that if Husband and Wife die, leaving Issue unprovided for, Trustees may enter on an Estate and take the Rents till they have received 200 l. for the Benefit of such unprovided Children, and in such Manner as the Survivor of Husband and Wife shall appoint, and the Wife survives, and appoints the 200 l. to the only unprovided Child, Interest shall be allowed from the Death of the Mother, tho' the Estate is sold to a Purchaser. *Green v. Belcher, H. 1737. 1 Atkyns 505.*]

[If a Legacy is given to be divided among younger Children as the Mother pleases, it shall bear Interest from one Year after Testator's Death, and being vested shall not accumulate, but go for their Maintenance till divided. *Coleman v. Seymour, H. 1748. 1 Vezey 209.*]

(3 Y. 10.) When construed *cumulative*.

If a Man by his Will gives to his Children, which he shall have at the Time of his Death, 300 l. and afterwards having three Children, by Codicil gives 200 l. to each of them to be paid at their respective Ages; this Devise shall be construed by way of Accumulation, so that each Child shall have 500 l. *R. Ca. Ch. 301.*

If a Man has three Nieces, and is indebted to one of them in 100 l. and devises to her 300 l. and to his other Nieces 200 l. each, and afterwards borrows another 100 l. of the first: She shall have the Legacy of 300 l. over and above her Debt: And no Part of a Legacy shall be applied to a Debt, but where the Intent appears by other Circumstances that it shall. *R. 1 Sal. 155. Cont. per Trevor Master of the Rolls; but Harcourt Acc. Sal. 508. Acc. 2 Ver. 593, 4.*

So a Legacy less than a Debt shall not be intended to be in Lieu of the Debt. *Sal. 508. 2 Ver. 259, 478, 505. 2 P. W. (617.)*

[A Thing given in Satisfaction must be of the same Nature, and attended with the same Certainty, as that in Lieu of which it is given; so Land is no Satisfaction for Money, nor Money for Land, nor a Thing subject to a Contingency. *Bellasis v. Utthwait, H. 1737. 1 Atkyns 426.*]

[If A. gives B. a Bond for 300 l. and Interest, and three Years after pays 100 l. and all Interest, and five Years after by his Will devises Lands to Trustees, to pay B. 200 l. in two Years after his Death, and other Lands to the same Trustees to pay B. 200 l. in one Year after his Death; these Legacies are not a Satisfaction for the Bond, for they are payable at a future Time, the Bond immediately; and they are also Contingent. *Nicholls v. Judson, P. 1742. 2 Atkyns 300.*]

[If a Man by Will gives 1000 l. each to two Sisters, and if either die before the Legacy paid, the Whole to the Survivor, and the Legacies to remain in his Executor's Hands till their respective Ages of Twenty-one; and afterwards gives a Bond to each for 4000 l. conditioned for Payment of 2000 l. provided she marry in his Life with his Consent, or that she survive him; they are intitled to the Legacies, and to the Bonds, for they are on Contingencies. *Spinks v. Robins, H. 1742. 2 Atkyns 491.*]

Or, given upon Condition; for, if the Condition is not performed, the Legacy will be lost. *Sal. 508. Eq. R. 89.*

Or, where the Devise is of Land. *Sal. 508. R. 2 Ver. 298. Vide 5 Geo. 2. 36. 2 P. W. (616.)*

[If A. being indebted 260 l. by Bond to her Servant B. by her Will gives her 500 l. to be paid three Months after A.'s Death, and in another Part says, I give 5 l. a-piece to the Rest of my Servants, but not to B. for I have done very well for her before; and by a latter Clause gives her Lands in Trust to pay Debts and Legacies;

Legacies; the Legacy is not a Satisfaction for the Bond, but *B.* shall have both. *Richardson v. Greefe, H. 1743. 3 Atkyns 65.*

If a Man indebted to *A.* devises to him a Sum equal to, or greater than, his Debt; it shall be taken to be in Satisfaction. *Eq. R. 89.*

Or, gives it by Settlement. *Ibid.*

Otherwise, if there was an open Account, and it was uncertain whether he was indebted to him or not. *1 P. W. 299.*

Or, if the Debt was contracted after the Will. *Ibid.*

So where, before his Will, a Man declares that he will augment his Daughters Portions, and docks the Entail with such Intent; they shall have their Portions, and also the Addition by the Will. *R. 1 Ch. R. 200.*

[If Husband by Will gives Annuity to his Wife, by Codicil 600 *l.* more, and an Hour before his Death orders his Servant to deliver to his Wife there present two Bank Notes, payable to Bearer, for 300 *l.* each, and a Note, not payable to Bearer, for 100 *l.* saying he had not done enough for her; this Gift of the two 300 *l.* is a *Donatio Causa Mortis*, and is not a Payment of the Legacy. *Miller v. Miller, T. 1735. 3 P. W. 356.*]

[A Legacy of 1000 *l.* to a Wife shall not be construed as a Satisfaction for a Deficiency in her Jointure, but as a Bounty to her. *Probert v. Morgan, P. 1739. 1 Atkyns 440.*]

[So if *A.* on Marriage settles 300 *l.* long Annuities, in Trust for himself for Life, to his Wife for Life, to his Children as he shall appoint, and, if none, to his Executors, &c. and has one Child, and by his Will devises all his Real and Personal to his Wife and her Heirs, charged with 10,000 *l.* to his Daughter, payable at Eighteen; she is intitled to the long Annuities, and to the 10,000 *l.* out of the Personal and Real Estate. *Bellasis v. Uthwatt, H. 1737. 1 Atkyns 426.*]

[If a Freeman of *London* directs his Testamentary Third to pay Debts, and the Residue to be divided among his Wife and Children, and then marries one of his Daughters, and gives her 1000 *l.* which in the Marriage Articles is called her Portion or Provision, and dies, the Daughter nevertheless shall have her seventh Part of the Residue, for a subsequent Portion, tho' an Ademption of a liquidated Legacy, is not so of a Residue. *Farnham v. Philips, M. 1741. 2 Atkyns 215.*]

[If a Man by Will directs his Executors to place out 1000 *l.* at Interest, to apply what they think necessary for the Maintenance of his Grandson *A.* and that they might apply all or any of it in putting him Apprentice, or setting him up, and what is not so applied to be paid him at Twenty-one, and if he dies before, to *B. C.* and *D.* Testator's Children, and afterwards Testator puts *A.* Apprentice, and gives 120 *l.* with him, then makes a Codicil, and dies; *A.* shall have the whole 1000 *l.* *Roome v. Roome, H. 1744. 3 Atkyns 181.*]

So, where by his Will a Provision is made of 1000 *l.* a-piece for every Child after born; and a Son being born, he afterwards gives to him 4000 *l.* whereby, he says, he will have 5000 *l.* *R. Ch. R. 267.*

If a Son devises to his Sisters a greater Sum than was secured by the Settlement of his Father, and then devises the Estate to his Heir Male; it shall not be in Lieu of the Portions by the Settlement. *R. 2 Ver. 260. in Parl. tho' it was decreed Cont. in Chancery. 2 Ver. 177.*

[If *A.* gives 2000 *l.* in Trust, to pay the Interest to his Wife for Life, then the Benefit of the Principal to his Son, but if he dies before Twenty-one, then gives it over to his Daughters, the Son attains Twenty-one, the 2000 *l.* with the Rest of the Estate, continues always in the Stock in Trade; the Son makes his Will, without any Reference to the Father's, and gives the Interest of 10,000 *l.* to his Mother for Life, and then the Principal to his Sister *S.*'s Children, charges it on his Real and Personal Estate, to be paid a Month after his Death; this Interest of the 10,000 *l.* is not in Satisfaction of the Interest of the 2000 *l.* *Clark v. Sewell, T. 1744. 3 Atkyns 96.*]

[If a Father leaves a Legacy generally, and afterwards gives a Portion, whether greater or smaller than the Legacy, it is an Ademption of it; so if a collateral Relation to an Orphan under his Care; but if a Collateral gives a Legacy to one whose Father is living, and afterwards advances him, it is not an Ademption. *Shudal v. Jekyll, H. 1742. 2 Atkyns 516.*]

[Or

[Or if a Father (and *à Fortiori* a Collateral) gives a Legacy, and afterwards gives a Portion, declaring at the same Time that he intends to leave something, but will not be bound, it is not an Ademption. *Ibid.*]

If a Bond is given to settle 100*l.* *per Annum*, or to pay 2000*l.* a Devise of 80*l.* *per Ann.* shall not be a Satisfaction *pro tanto*, if there are Assets to pay all Debts. *R. 2 P. W. (617.)*

[If a Man is a general Debtor for two Annuities, one of 10*l.* and another of 6*l.* and by Will gives another of 10*l.* it shall not be a Satisfaction for either, but shall accumulate. *Graham v. Graham, T. 1749. 1 Vezey 262.*]

[But if he grants one on a Condition, and secured by Deed, out of a particular Estate, and the other by Bond only, the Annuity by Will shall be a Satisfaction for the latter. *Ibid.*]

[If a Man in his Will gives an Annuity to *A.* and also recites the Amount of a Debt due from him to *A.* and orders it to be paid, *A.* may claim the Legacy, and yet not abide by the Testator's Calculation of the Debt due to him; for his Intention was, that the full Debt should be paid. *Clarke v. Guise, T. 1755. 2 Vezey 617.*]

(3 Y. 11.) When not.

But if a Man by Marriage-Settlement, &c. has provided Portions for his Children, and afterwards by his Will gives to each of them the same Sum, which was secured by the Settlement; yet the Portions shall not be doubled, if his Intent that they should be so is not apparent. *R. 2 Vent. 348. 2 Ver. 111, 257, 439.*

So, if a Man by Settlement directs 3000*l.* to be paid to a Daughter of his second Marriage, if he has only one Daughter; and afterwards by Will devises all his Lands, for the raising 9000*l.* for his three Daughters, (having two by his former Marriage;) the Daughter of the second Marriage shall have only 3000*l.* to be paid according to the Intent of the Settlement. *R. 31 Car. 2. Per Finch, 2 Vent. 347.*

So, if a Man charges 500*l.* upon his Land for *A.* and afterwards gives 500*l.* to *A.* by his Will; *A.* shall not have a double Portion. *1 Ch. R. 77. 2 Ver. 257.*

If a Man by his Will gives 1000*l.* to each Daughter, and afterwards gives to one of them upon her Marriage in his Life-time 1000*l.* she shall not have the other 1000*l.* by his Devise. *2 Ver. 257, 115.*

[If a Father makes his Will, and gives his Daughter who is married 50*l.* to be lent out for her, and she to have the Use of it, and the Husband afterwards receives it of the Father, and gives a Receipt for it, in Lieu of her Portion, and of the Legacy; this shall be a Satisfaction of the Legacy. *Scotton v. Scotton, M. 6 G. in Canc. Str. 235.*]

[If *A.* devises 300*l.* to his Daughter, if she marries with her Mother's Consent, otherwise only 200*l.*; afterwards in his Life she marries, and the Father gives 200*l.* with her; this is a Revocation of the Devise so as to deprive her of the other 100*l.* *Anon. M. 7 G. Str. 407.*]

[If a Father having six Children, gives *A. B. C. D.* 1500*l.* each in his Life-time, and by Will reciting this as to *A. B.* and *C.* (omitting *D.*) gives 1500*l.* each to *D. E. F.* and the Residue to be divided amongst them; the Money *D.* had received shall go in Satisfaction of the Legacy. *Upton v. Prince, 8 G. 2. C. T. T. 71.*]

[If Husband before Marriage, in Consideration of considerable Fortune, settles 100*l.* *per Annum* in Trust for Pin-money, two Years whereof are in Arrear; he makes his Will leaving her 500*l.* another Year becomes in Arrear, and he dies; the Legacy shall be deemed in Satisfaction of the Arrears incurred before making the Will, but not after. *Fowler v. Fowler, P. 1735. 3 P. W. 353.*]

If he limits a Term for raising 3000*l.* Portions for each of his Daughters, after his Death without Issue Male, and afterwards in his Life-time, having Issue Male, raises 1800*l.* for the Portions of his Daughters, and then his Son dies; this

this 1800*l.* goes in Part of the 3000*l.* to be raised by the Term, tho' it was intended for Portions at the Time when he had a Son. *R. 2 Ver. 257.*

So, if by Settlement he secures 5000*l.* for Daughters Portions at Eighteen or Marriage, and afterwards by a subsequent Settlement of other Lands creates a Term for raising 5000*l.* at Sixteen or Marriage; it shall be only one 5000*l.* *R. 2 Ver. 348.*

If *A.* by a Note agrees to pay 7*l.* 10*s.* per Ann. to his Wife for Life, who had joined in the Sale of Part of her Jointure, and afterwards, on her joining in the Sale of another Part, he gives another Note for 6*l.* 10*s.* per Ann. for her Life, and afterwards devises 14*l.* per Ann. to his Wife for Life; it shall be intended in Lieu of the Notes. *R. 2 Ver. 498.*

So, if *A.* by Articles agrees, to give 800*l.* to his Wife, and that she shall not be barred thereby of any Gift by his Will; and by Will devises to his Wife 1000*l.* she shall have only so much as exceeds the 800*l.* *R. 2 Ver. 555.*

So, if he articles to give a Third of his Personal Estate, and by his Will gives to the same Person 7000*l.* he shall have only the one, or the other. *R. 2 Ver. 556.*

If he devises 50*l.* to *A.* and afterwards gives a Note to her Husband in Lieu of it. *2 Ver. 646.*

So, if *A.* agrees to give a Marriage-Portion to *B.* to be settled, &c. and before Payment gives to the Children of *B.* Legacies to the Value; it shall be taken to be in Satisfaction. *R. Eq. R. 64.*

So, if he covenants to settle 100*l.* per Ann. upon his Son, and permits 100*l.* per Ann. to descend to him. *1 P. W. 325. 2 Ver. 558.*

Or, covenants to leave 500*l.* to his Wife; and her Share of his Personal Estate amounts to so much. *1 P. W. 324.*

If *A.* has a Legacy of 500*l.* given her by her Grandfather, and afterwards, her Father upon her Marriage gives for her Portion 1500*l.* without Mention of, or Receipt for, the Legacy; Twenty-one Years afterwards, she and her second Husband demand the Legacy; it shall be intended to be satisfied by the Portion. *R. 2 Ver. 484, 5.*

Otherwise, if the Portion was also devised by the Father. *Eq. R. 72.*

[If *A.* seized of Freehold, and possessed of Leasehold and Personal, gives an Annuity of 20*l.* to his Daughter *H.* and the Heirs of her Body, and if she dies without Issue to his two Sons *B.* and *C.* whom he makes Executors; *C.* dies Intestate leaving Children, and *B.* by Will gives an Annuity of 20*l.* to his Sister *H.* and her Daughter out of his Freehold Houses, and if they die without Issue, to his Nephew; and by a Codicil wrote with a Pencil, and not executed according to the Statute of Frauds, says, it is not to be considered as another Annuity, but only to confirm the Annuity left by the Father, *H.* shall not have both Annuities. *Heather v. Rider, P. 1758. 1 Atkyns 425.*]

[If *A.* on his Daughter's Marriage gives Bond to leave 5000*l.* among her younger Children, and by Will creates a Term in a Real Estate, to apply the Rents to the Maintenance of the Children till of Age, and gives his Personal Estate in Trust to pay the Produce to his Daughter for Life, and then to pay 1500*l.* to one Child, and the 3500*l.* among the others as she should appoint, and declares the Legacies in Satisfaction of the Bond, they must make their Election under the Will or under the Bond, and if under the Bond, can have nothing under the Will, tho' the Trust of the Term is of a Real Estate, and the Bond a Personal Debt; because the Devise is declared to be in Satisfaction, otherwise not. *Graves v. Boyle, T. 1739. 1 Atkyns 509.*]

[If a Man assigns his Personal Estate to *A.* his natural Daughter, but keeps the Deed and manages his Personal Estate as before, then gives her a Bond for 10,000*l.* then makes his Will, and gives her his Real Estate if she marries *B.* if not, to *B.* and makes her Executrix and Devisee of his Personal Estate, she shall not have all, but make her Election. *Johnson v. Smith, M. 1749. 1 Vezey 314.*]

[If a Man agrees to settle 100*l.* per Annum on his intended Wife, and finding himself ill, leaves her 100*l.* per Annum by Will; recovers, marries, and the Settlement is carried into Execution, she shall have but one 100*l.*; not that one is a Satisfaction

tisfaction for the other, but it is a Completion of the Act, and the Settlement a Corroboration of the Will. *Mascal v. Mascal*, M. 1749. 1 *Vezey* 323.]

(3 Y. 12.) When a Legacy shall be controuled by a subsequent Clause, or Provision, and when not.

[A Devise in exprefs Words shall not be extended by subsequent general ones, further than the natural Meaning of the preceding ones. *Roberts v. Kuffin*, M. 1740. 2 *Atkyns* 112.]

[If A. by his Will gives to B. all his Dividends on his *South-Sea* Annuities, and then by Codicil gives to C. 20*l.* *per annum* for Life, to be paid out of his *South-Sea* Annuities, it is not a Revocation *in toto*, but both shall stand. *Stone v. Evans*, M. 1740. 2 *Atkyns* 86.]

If a Man devises a *Moiety* of his *Personal Estate* to his Wife, and then gives several Legacies and the *Residue* to another; the Wife shall have one full *Moiety*, and all the Legacies shall be paid out of the other *Moiety*, if it is sufficient. *R. Ca. Ch.* 16. *Dub. Dy.* 59. b.

[If a Man devises 100*l.* *per Annum* to his Son and his Wife for their respective Lives, 60*l.* of which should be paid to the Wife for the Support of herself and Daughter, and 40*l.* to the Son, and the Son dies in Testator's Life, the Whole 100*l.* shall be paid to the Wife. *Cowper v. Scot*, H. 1731. 3 P. W. 119.]

[If A. by Will gives 1000*l.* for the Benefit of his Daughter for Life, then to such Children as she should leave at her Death, and her Husband by Will, to make good A.'s Will, gives his Wife 1000*l.* and after her Death equally to his two Sons B. and C. his Daughter D. having released her Right; C. surviving his Mother, shall have the Whole 1000*l.* *East v. Cook*, M. 1750.] 2 *Vezey* 30.

If a Man gives 500*l.* to his Daughter to be paid in six Months after his Death, and then adds a Clause, that if his Daughter dies before Age, or Marriage, the Portion, if by Law it can, shall go to his Son: If the Portion is paid in six Months, and the Daughter afterwards dies under Age, it shall not be refunded; for both Clauses ought to be consistent, which cannot be, unless she dies under Age within the six Months. *R. Ch. R.* 27.

If a Man gives Legacies to his Children in esse, and also to the Child whereof his Wife was privement enseint, and if all his Children die, that his Estate shall go to the Children of his Brother: If all the Children in esse die, but a Daughter born after his Death survives, the Estate does not go to the Children of the Brother. 1 *Ch. R.* 77.

But if A. devises Portions to Grandchildren, to be paid at Age or Marriage, and afterwards directs, that all his Legacies shall be paid within six Months after his Death; it extends to the other Legacies only. *R. Eq. Ca.* 154*.

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(3 Y. 13.) When a Legacy shall be lapsed.

Vide Executor, Ante, (3 G. 7.) If a Man devise Money to A. who dies before the Testator; the Legacy is lapsed, and merges in the *Personal Estate*. *Vide Devise*, ante (3 A. 3, &c.)

[If a Man devises to six Executors all his Estate, to pay, &c. and the Remainder to be equally divided between them, and one of the six dies before the Testator, his Share is a lapsed Legacy, undisposed of, and goes to the next of Kin. *Page v. Page*, M. 2 G. 2. *Str.* 820.]

[If a Man makes his Wife Executrix, and devises the Use of his *Personal Estate* to her for Life, and after her Death to his four Brothers, Share and Share alike, and two of them die before him, the Shares of the two so dead belong to the Executrix, and not to the others as next of Kin. *Man v. Man*, P. 4 G. 2. *Str.* 905.]

[If a Man devises 200*l.* a-piece to his Children, payable at Twenty-one, and if any of them die before Twenty-one, then his Legacy to go to the surviving Children; and one of them dies in the Life of the Testator; the Legacy lapses as to the Person dying, but is well given over to the Survivors. *Willing v. Baine*, T. 1731. 3 P. W. 113.]

[If *A.* devises to *B.* his Heirs, Executors, &c. all her House and Furniture, and all her Real and Personal Estate, to the Intent, that out of her Real and Personal Estates her Legatees may be paid, and gives to *C.* 2000*l.* in Trust for the Use of his Daughter *D.* to be paid her at Eighteen, or Marriage, and till then to be laid out at Interest, and the Interest to be put out at Interest, and directs the 2000*l.* to be paid to *C.* eighteen Months after Testatrix's Death; *C.* dies in Testatrix's Life, and *D.* six Months after unmarried, the Legacy is lapsed, tho' there are personal Assets sufficient. *Van v. Clark*, T. 1739. 1 *Atkyns* 510.]

So, if he devise to *A.* upon Condition that *A.* shall give so much to the Children of *B.* if *A.* dies before the Testator, the Whole is lapsed and the Children of *B.* take nothing. *R. 2 Ver.* 116, 208. *Semb*, Cont. 2 *Ver.* 522.

[If *A.* devises the Residue to his Executrix, or her Heirs, &c. and she dies in his Life-time, he dies Intestate as to the Residue. *Stone v. Evans*, M. 1740. 2 *Atkyns* 86.]

[If *A.* devises the Surplus of his Personal Estate to *B.* and his Heirs, and in Default of Issue at his Death, to be equally divided between his Sisters and their Heirs; and *B.* dies in *A.*'s Lifetime, leaving a Son, as the Contingency has not happened, the Surplus does not go to the Sisters, but as an undisposed Part, according to the Statute of Distributions. *Miller v. Faure*, H. 1747. 1 *Vezey* 85.]

If Testator desires the Residue may be divided between *A.* and *B.* and *A.* dies in Testator's Lifetime, his Moiety does not survive to *B.* but is undisposed of, and shall go to the next of Kin. *Peet v. Chapman*, T. 1750. 1 *Vezey* 542.]

[If a Man by Will disposes of all his Estate, gives Legacies, and then the Remainder in Fifths, and appoints *A.* his Heir to whatever is unappropriated, and one of the five residuary Legatees is dead, at making the Will, his Share goes to *A.* *Jackson v. Kelly*, T. 1751. 2 *Vezey* 285.]

[If a Woman has a Power to appoint 4000*l.* to her Kin, and for Default to go according to the Statute, and by Will appoints to her Nephew *A.* he paying an Annuity to his Mother, and *A.* dies in Testatrix's Life, the 4000*l.* lapses, but the Annuity remains a Charge on it. *Oak v. Heath*, M. 1748. 1 *Vezey* 135.]

If he devises to *A.* a Debt owing to him by *A.* who dies before the Testator, the Debt shall not be discharged. *R. 2 Ver.* 522.

Though he afterwards requires his Executor after his Death to give a Release for the Debt; for this Clause is ancillary to the former. *R. 2 Ver.* 522.

(3 Y. 14.) When not.

But if 100*l.* is devised to *A.* at his Age of Twenty-one, and if he dies before, that it shall go to *B.* if *A.* dies in the Lifetime of the Testator, the 100*l.* shall go to *B.* 2 *Ver.* 208, 378. *Per King Ch.* 5 G. 2. 12, 13.

[If *A.* gives Four-eighths of his Personal Estate to his Niece *B.* and the Children born of her Body, and *B.* has then no Child, but afterwards has *C.* and dies before Testator, it is not a lapsed Legacy, for *B.* did not take an Estate-tail, (Children being Words of Purchase, not Limitation) but as Joint-tenant with *C.* who, on her Death, takes the Whole by Survivorship. *Buffar v. Bradford*, M. 1741. 2 *Atkyns* 220.]

[If *A.* gives 500*l.* to his Grandson *B.* if he lives to Twenty-one, if not, then to the other Child or Children of *C.* equally, arriving at such Age, and dies, and *B.* dies before Twenty-one, and *C.* had no other Children at *A.*'s Death, but has two afterwards, these two are intitled to it at Twenty-one. *Haughton v. Harrison*, T. 1742. 2 *Atkyns* 329.]

So, if a Man devises 100*l.* to *A.* at the Age of Twenty-one, 100*l.* to *B.* at the same Age, and 100*l.* to *C.* at the said Age; and if any of them die before such Age, that his Legacy shall be divided between the Survivors; and if two die before, the Whole shall go to the Survivor: If any one dies before the Testator, his Legacy shall be divided between the Survivors. *R. 2 Ver.* 207.

If

If one devises to *A.* 400*l.* which *A.* owes to him, provided that he pays out of it so much to his Wife, and so much to his Children; it will be a good Devise to the Wife and Children, tho' *A.* dies in the Lifetime of the Testator. *R. 2 Ver. 522.*

So, if a Man by his Will discharges, releases, or forgives a Debt due from *A.* it will be a Discharge, tho' *A.* dies before the Testator. *R. 2 Ver. 522.*

[If Testator says, "I forgive my Son-in-law *A.* a Debt of 500*l.* due on Bond, and desire my Executor to deliver up the Bond to be cancelled," and *A.* dies in Testator's Lifetime, yet the Bond shall be cancelled. *Sibthorpe v. Moxom, M. 1747. 3 Atkyns 580. 1 Vezey 49.*]

[If *A.* by Will forgives her Son-in-law a Debt on Bond, and orders it to be delivered up (not saying to whom) to be cancelled, and he dies in *A.*'s Life, yet the Bond shall be cancelled, for this shall be considered as a Provision for her Family. *Sibthorpe v. Moxholme, M. 21 G. 2. 1 Wils. 178.*]

[If a Man devises his Real Estate to *A.* for Life, then to *B.* he paying 100 *l.* to *C.* in twelve Months after *A.*'s Death, and *C.* survives *A.* but one Month, the Legacy does not lapse, but goes to the Representative of *C.* *Hodgson v. Rawson, M. 1747. 1 Vezey 44.*]

So in all Cases, where the Legacy is not vested by the Words of the Will, it shall not lapse: As, if *A.* gives to the four Children of *B.* 1200*l.* at the Discretion and Allotment of his Executor, and one Child dies before *A.* his Share shall not lapse; for the Executor had not made any Allotment. *R. 2 Ver. 744.*

So, if the Executor has Power by the Will within a Year to make Distribution or Allotment, and one Child dies within six Months before a Distribution; his Share does not go to his Executor or Administrator, for it was not vested. *R. 2 Ver. 745.*

So, if a Man devises 200*l.* a-piece to his two Children, and that if one dies, his Share shall go to the Survivor; if one dies, his Legacy does not lapse, but survives. *R. Eq. Ca. 137.*

[If *A.* give his Granddaughter 800*l.* to be paid at Twenty-one, or Marriage, charged on a mixed Fund of Real and Personal, and she dies unmarried before Twenty-one, it shall be paid out of the Personal. *Basset v. Basset, M. 1744. 3 Atkyns 203.*]

[If a Man by Will says, "I give the following Legacies, and if any die before they are payable, I will that they shall not be deemed lapsed Legacies," and then gives to *A.* the Wife of *B.* her Executors, &c. 50*l.* and *A.* dies in the Life of Testator, the Legacy shall go to *B.* *Sibley v. Cooke, M. 1747. 3 Atkyns 572.*]

[But the Testator must nominate another Legatee, or it would not exclude the Heir at Law, or next of Kin. *Ibid.*]

(3 Y. 15.) When it merges in the Land.

If Portions are charged upon Land by Settlement, or by Devise, to be paid to a Son or Daughter at such an Age, and the Son or Daughter dies before such Age, the Portion or Legacy merges for the Benefit of the Heir. *2 P. W. (610), 277. Vide Ante, (3 Y. 2, 8.)*

So, if a Legacy is charged upon Land, it merges for the Benefit of the Devisee; for he is *Hares factus*. *Vide 2 P. W. (610), 277. Vide Ante, (3 Y. 2.)*

[If *A.* Tenant for Life, and *B.* his eldest Son Tenant in Tail, resettle Estate to *A.* for Life, to Trustees for Years, to raise 1100*l.* to be paid to *C.* (*A.*'s second Son) six Years after *A.*'s Death, with Interest at 5*l.* per Cent. for his Maintenance from *A.*'s Death, Remainder to *B.* &c. *C.* dies in Debt, two Years after him *A.* dies, and a good Estate comes to *B.* yet the Creditors cannot have the 1100*l.* the Contingency on which it was payable never happening; but it sinks for the Benefit of the Owner of the Real Estate. *Bradley v. Powell, P. 9 G. 2. C. T. T. 193.*]

[If *A.* devises to Trustees all his Lands in Trust, to sell Lands in *M.* to pay his Debts, and as to the Rest of the Lands, to stand seized in Trust to receive the Rents

Rents and Profits, and make Leases for 99 Years, determinable on three Lives, and therewith pay all his Debts and Legacies, and then stand seized to the Use of B. for Life, Remainder to her Issue, and gives a Legacy of 500 *l.* to T. to be paid at Twenty-one, or Marriage, and T. dies unmarried before Twenty-one, and Testator's Personal Estate and Lands in M. are not sufficient to pay Debts; as the 500 *l.* is charged on Real as well as Personal Estate, it cannot be raised, Legatee having died before the Time of Payment. *Prowse v. Abington, P. 1738. 1 Atkyns 482.*

[If 8000 *l.* is given to Trustees, to lay out in Lands to be settled to the Use of A. and the Heirs of his Body, and for Default to be conveyed to B. on Trust, in three Months, by Mortgage or Sale, to raise and pay 2000 *l.* to C. which is bequeathed to him in case A. dies without Issue, and by Codicil the 6000 *l.* given to B. is reduced to 5000 *l.* and C. dies, then A. dies under Twenty-one, and without Issue; the 2000 *l.* shall sink in Favour of the Heir at Law. *Attorney-General v. Milner, T. 1744. 3 Atkyns 112.*

So, if it is charged upon Land and Personal Estate, and the Legatee dies before it is payable; his Executor or Administrator may resort to the Personal Estate, but not to the Land. *2 P. W. (611.)*

Tho' the Legatee be a Child, or a Stranger. *2 P. W. (613.)*

[If A. devises 1500 *l.* to his Son, payable at his Age of Twenty-four, and devises his Real Estate to Trustees, to raise sufficient to discharge his Debts and Legacies, if his Personal Estate should fall short, the Death of the Son before Twenty-four shall not extinguish it; for it is an absolute Legacy out of the Personal Estate, and the Real Estate is only in Aid of the Personal. *Harrison v. Buckle, M. 6 G. Str. 238.*]

[If a Man devises to M. his Daughter 2500 *l.* at Age, or Marriage, and if C. his Son die without Issue-male, then M. to have at Twenty-one, or Marriage, 3500 *l.* more, and if the Son's so dying do not happen before M.'s Age or Marriage, then she is to receive it whenever after it may happen; then devises his Real Estate to C. his Son in Tail-male, Remainder to his Brother in Fee, and declares the Land devised liable to that Payment whenever it becomes due, and directs, that on Failure of Issue of C., M. her Heirs or Assigns, shall join in a Surrender of some Copyhold to the Use of his Brother, or the 3500 *l.* Legacy to be void. M. attains Twenty-one, marries, dies in C.'s Lifetime, her Husband administers, and then C. dies without Issue; the 3500 *l.* shall not sink in the Land, but be raised for Administrator if Personal Estate deficient. *King v. Withers, T. 9 G. 2. C. T. T. 117. affirmed by the Lords, with Costs, 16th March 1735. 3 P. W. 414.*]

[If A. devise Lands to T. his second Son, on Condition that he or his Heirs pay his six Grandchildren, T.'s Children, 90 *l.* in Default of Payment a Clause of Entry and Distress, and T. dies in A.'s Life, whose Heir at Law enters on them, and sells them; yet the 90 *l.* is a continuing Charge on the Lands in the Hands of the Purchaser, and the Children shall have it with Interest. *Wigg v. Wigg, T. 1739. 1 Atkyns 382.*]

[If a Man devises Copyhold Lands (surrendered to the Use, &c.) to his Wife for Life, then to his Son till his Grandson attain Twenty-three; then to his Grandson, his Heirs and Assigns, on Condition that he or they pay his Granddaughter E. 60 *l.* in two Years after he attains Twenty-three; if he dies without Issue, then to his (Testator's) Son, on Condition of paying 100 *l.* to E. in one Year after he enjoys under this last Devise, and if Grandson or Son make Default in Payment, then a Power to E. his Executors and Administrators, to enter and receive till paid; E. marries and dies after the Grandson has attained Twenty-three, but in less than two Years after it; the 60 *l.* shall be raised, and paid to her Representative. *Emes v. Hancock, H. 1742. 2 Atkyns 507.*]

[If a Man gives to each of his Daughters A. and B. 300 *l.* to be paid by his Son and Executor C. when he attains Twenty-six; but as they are otherwise provided for, directs they shall not have Interest till then; and for the better securing the said two Sums, charges them on Land, with Power to enter and hold till Payment; the Personal Estate is insufficient, and C. dies before he attains Twenty-six; but as the Legacies are vested, and the Time of Payment is postponed, for the Convenience of the Estate, not on the Circumstances attending the Legatees, they shall not sink in the Land, but be paid. *Sberman v. Collins, H. 1745. 3 Atkyns 319.*

(3 Y. 16.) When it shall have Relation to the Time of making the Will.

In the Exposition or Collection of the Intent of a Testator, Regard shall be had to the Time of making the Will; and therefore if he devises 10l. to the Parish where he lives, and afterwards he removes his Habitation to another Parish; the Parish where he lived at the Time of the Will, shall have the Legacy.

If he devises 400l. to finish a Building, and before his Death expends more than that Sum upon it; tho' the Building be not finished, the Heir shall not have the 400l. R. 1 Ver. 96.

If he devises to all his Children and Grandchildren, without any Reference to his Death or Time future; it shall have Effect only as to those in esse at the Time of his Will. R. Eq. Ca. 136.

If he devises all Arrears now due from the Dean and Chapter of York; Rent which afterwards becomes due does not pass. R. Eq. Abr. 201.

All my Corn, Sheep, &c. now on my Ground. P. W. 598.

[If a Man makes a Devise to charitable Uses before a Statute of Mortmain, but does not die till after it, yet the Devise is good in Law. R. By all the Judges. Ashburnham v. Bradshaw, P. 1740. 2 Atkyns 36.]

(3. Y. 17.) Or, to the Death of the Testator.

Vide Devise,
(N. 21)

But where a Devise is made in Words, General or Universal, the Reference shall be to the Death of the Testator; as, if a Man devises 20l. a-piece to all the Children of B. Issue, born after the making of the Will, before the Death of the Testator, shall take. R. 2 Ver. 105.

If a Man devises all his Personal Estate to A. he shall have all that the Testator had at the Time of his Death, tho' increased since the making of the Will. 2 Ver. 137, 688.

So, if the Testator releases to A. by his Will, all Debts and Demands; this extends to Debts at the Time of his Death, tho' contracted since the making of the Will. Dub. 2 Ver. 136, 7.

So, if he gives all his Household Goods, and afterwards has more. P. W. 424, 5.

If he gives all his Books, and afterwards buys more. P. W. 597.

So, if the Devise is of such a Sum to his Children living at his Death, and of such a Sum to the Children of D. all the Children of D. shall take, tho' none born at the Time of making of the Will, or Death of the Testator. 2 Ver. 705.

So a Variation of Circumstances, after a Will made, and before the Death of the Testator, does not destroy a Legacy; as, if a Man devises a Legacy out of Money at Interest, or owing by such a one, &c. if the Money is afterwards paid to the Testator, the Legacy will be good. R. Ray. 335.

If he devises a Sum to A. and to be paid out of a Debt from the King; tho' the Debt fails, yet the Legacy shall be paid; for it was so much devised generally, and the Clause, how it shall be paid, was only a Direction for the better Payment. R. 2 Ca. Ch. 116.

If he devises 500l. to his Uncle, viz. the Bond and Judgment for 400l. due from A. and 100l. in Money; if the Testator receives from A. 300l. and takes a Note for the Residue of the Debt, the Uncle shall have 500l. 2 Ver. 681.

[Yet, if a Man having 2702l. 3s. Bank Stock, and 2000l. India, devises them to his Daughters, to be divided, and before his Death sells 702l. 3s. of the Bank, it is an Ademption pro tanto. Jeffreys v. Jeffreys, T. 16 G. 2. 3 Atkyns 120.]

[If a Debt is devised, and the Testator afterwards receives it, it is an Ademption of the Legacy; but if a Sum is devised payable out of a Debt, Testator's receiving the Debt is not an Ademption of the Legacy. Ford v. Fleming, H. 2. G. 2. Str. 823.]

So, if the Devise is positive and direct of a Sum out of such a Debt, and the Debt fails, the Legacy is lost. Semb. 2 Ca. Ch. 116.

(3 Y. 18.) When Legatees shall abate.

If there are not Assets to discharge all the Legacies, the Legatees shall abate in Proportion. 2 *Ca. Ch.* 171, 124. *Ca. Ch.* 149.

And also the specifick Legatees shall abate in Proportion. *Semb.* 2 *Ca. Ch.* 171. *Cont.* 1 *P. W.* 422. 1 *Ver.* 31. *Vide* (3 Y. 19.)

[If a Man charges all his Real and Personal with Payment of Debts, a specific Devise is subject to it, if the Residue is not sufficient. *Clark v. Sewell, T.* 1744. 3 *Atkyns* 96.]

So, if the Executor gives a Statute, Mortgage, or other Security to one Legatee, and afterwards becomes Insolvent, whereby the other Legacies are not paid; the Legatee who has the Security, shall abate in Proportion. *R. Ca. Ch.* 149.

Tho' such Security was given upon the Marriage of the Legatee. *Ca. Ch.* 149.

So, if Lands, &c. are devised to be sold for Payment of Legacies, and are not sufficient for all; the Legatees shall abate in Proportion. 2 *Ca. Ch.* 25.

So, if a Testator devises that his Executor shall assign 100*l.* *per Ann.* in Land to A. and his Heirs, 200*l.* to B. and 300*l.* to C. and after the 100*l.* *per Ann.* is assigned, the other Lands are not sufficient for the other Legacies; A. shall abate in Proportion. *R.* 2 *Ca. Ch.* 25.

So a Legatee shall abate in Proportion, tho' his Legacy is given to be paid in the first Place. 1 *Ver.* 31.

[Appointing a Legacy to be paid at a sooner Time does not give it a Priority; but in Case of Deficiency, it must abate in Proportion. *Clark v. Sewell, T.* 1744. 3 *Atkyns* 96.]

[If A. gives his Wife a general Legacy, to be paid immediately after his Death out of the first Money got in, and that she shall be intitled to said Legacy in bar of Dower and Thirds; if she is not entitled to Dower, she shall abate; but if entitled, she shall not abate. *Blower v. Morret, T.* 1752. 2 *Vezey* 420.]

Tho' he is Executor, and it was given him for his Trouble. 2 *Ver.* 434. 2 *P. W.* 25. *Heron v. Heron, P.* 1741. 2 *Atkyns* 171.

[If A. having a Mortgage for 500*l.* and no other Sum out at Interest, devises to B. 500*l.* to remain at Interest on such Securities as he should leave, or to be put out on Government Securities; this is not a specifick Legacy, and B. shall abate in Proportion. *Lawson v. Stich, P.* 1738. 1 *Atkyns* 507.]

[A Devisee of an Annuity for Life charged on Personal Estate shall abate in Proportion with other Legatees. *Halton v. Medlicot. Hume v. Edwards, P.* 1749. 3 *Atkyns* 693.]

(3 Y. 19.) When not.

But if a particular Chattel is devised in *Specie*; the Legatee shall have it intire, and not abate in Proportion to the other Legatees. 1 *Ver.* 31. 2 *Ver.* 111. *Eq. R.* 87.

[Yet, Jewels devised as a specifick Legacy shall be applied to pay simple Contract Debts, if the Rest of the Personal falls short, in case of the Real Estate. *Clarke v. Clarke, in Sc. M.* 1721. *Bunb.* 90.]

[If there are specifick Legacies, and Money Legacies, and not Assets sufficient besides to pay Debts, there shall not be a proportionable Deduction, but the Money Legacies shall be applied first. *Cotterell v. Chamberlain, in Sc. H.* 1718. *Bunb.* 32.]

[If there is a specific Devise of Land, the Devisee shall not contribute with the Heir at Law to satisfy Creditors, if the Real Assets of the Heir are sufficient. *Palmer v. Mason, M.* 1737. 1 *Atkyns* 505.]

If a Legacy is given to a Charity, and the Spiritual Court prefers it, as it ought, by the Civil Law; Equity will not grant an Injunction, nor oblige the Legatee to give Security to refund. 1 *Ver.* 230.

If

If *A.* devises that his Executor shall receive his Debt of 8000*l.* from the Chamber of London, and that then he shall pay 2000*l.* to an Hospital; tho' the Debt in the Chamber of London is reduced to 6000*l.* the Executor shall pay 2000*l.* to the Hospital. *R. 2 Ver. 547.*

[Legacies of Stock are specific or not, according as the Intent of Testator appears from the Will and Circumstances, that he intended to confine it to the Stock he then had, or not. *Avelyn v. Ward, H. 1749. 1 Vezey 420.*]

[If Testator has *South-Sea* Stock at making his Will, and at his Death sufficient to answer a Devise of it, it is a Specific Legacy, and shall not abate. *Ibid.*]

If *A.* devises his *Personal Estate in W.* to *B.* and also devises 300*l.* to another, to be paid out of his *Personal Estate*, generally; if he has sufficient *Personal Estate* elsewhere to pay the 300*l.* *B.* shall not abate. *R. Eq. R. 87.*

[If *A.* having Wife and two Children, and by Will gives his Wife (otherwise unprovided) 120*l. per Annum*, for Life, Limitation over to a Son, and directs Executors to purchase it in long Annuities, or if they cannot, to purchase Lands of 200*l. per Annum*, to pay the Wife's Annuity clear, with Remainders over; Executors to pay 30*l. per Annum* out of Profits of Residue to Wife for Maintenance of Child; gives other Legacies, and the Residue to be put out for Children's Advantages; the Wife on Deficiency of Assets shall not abate. *Lewin v. Lewin, T. 1752. 2 Vezey 415.*]

Yet a specifick Legatee shall abate in Proportion, where there is no Fund to pay the Legacy, but out of the specifick Legacies; as, if a Man devises his *Personal Estate in W.* to *A.* and his *Personal Estate in H.* to *B.* and then devises 300*l.* to *C.* but has no *Personal Estate*, except in *H.* and *W.* there shall be an Abatement by *A.* and *B.* in Proportion. *Eq. R. 87, 8.*

So, in such Case, a Legacy for a Charity shall abate in Proportion, if it is not to the Poor at the Funeral. *2 P. W. 25. 1 P. W. 422.*

What shall be an Assent to a Legacy, *Vide in Administration, (C. 6, 7.—Vide Ante, (3 G. 4.)*

When Legatees shall refund, *Vide Ante, (3 G. 3.)*

Who shall be Residuary Legatee, *Vide Ante, (3 G. 7.)*

(3 Z.) Marriage-Settlement.

(3 Z. 1.) When it shall be enforced.

IF a Man enters into Articles to make a Marriage-Settlement, and dies; his Heir shall be compelled to make it. *R. 2 Vent. 343.*

Tho' the Articles are made before Marriage, to the Woman herself, and the Marriage is a Release in Law of the Contract. *R. 2 Vent. 343.*

[So if Tenant for Life, with Power to make Jointure, covenants before Marriage to settle, and dies before Settlement executed, the Remainder-Man shall perfect it. *Lady Coventry v. Lord Coventry, T. 10 G. Str. 596.*]

So, if a Man covenants to make a Settlement upon the Marriage of his Daughter; he shall be compelled to make it, tho' his Daughter, after the Marriage, dies before the Settlement is made.

So, if a Man gives a Bond to make a Jointure, he shall be compelled to make it, and not to forfeit his Bond. *2 Ca. Ch. 88.*

So, if a Man gives a Bond to settle 300*l. per Ann.* Jointure, and dies, his Heir shall be compelled to do it. *2 Ca. Ch. 89, &c.*

So his Devisee, tho' no particular Land is charged. *Ibid.*

So, if a Man covenants by Articles to make a Settlement of 400*l. per Ann.* for a Jointure, and afterwards makes a Settlement, but the Land is only of 300*l. per Ann.* Value; he shall be decreed to settle so much in *Specie* as would have made 400*l. per Ann.* at the Time of making of the Settlement. *R. 1 Ver. 217, 8.*

If the Covenant is to settle Lands, which shall continue of 400*l. per Ann.* Value, he shall make a Settlement of so much as now are of that Value. *1 Ver. 218.*

If a Man covenants to make a Jointure out of his Estate; all his Lands are bound to it. 1 Ver. 64. 2 Ver. 482.

Otherwise, if he covenants for particular Lands, and that such Lands are of so much Value. 1 Ver. 64. Ch. R. 148.

If a Man recites a Marriage to be intended between A. and his Daughter; and if his Daughter after the Age of Sixteen refuses to marry A. A. shall have 20,000l. and if the Marriage is had after her Age of Sixteen, A. shall have all his Real and Personal Estate: The Marriage is had before she is Sixteen, and after that Age the Daughter dies without Issue; A. shall have all the Real and Personal Estate. R. 1 Ver. 339.

If a Man upon Marriage covenants to make a Settlement for a Jointure, and dies before it is made, or the Portion paid; the Wife shall compel the Settlement, tho' she is Executrix or Administratrix, whereby she has the Portion also. Semb. Cont. but 2, 1 Ver. 463.

[When a Wife sues her Husband that he may settle Lands for her Jointure, pursuant to Articles, and perform these Articles; it is no Bar that she has eloped with an Adulterer, much less if it is not put in Issue in the Cause. Sidney v. Sidney, P. 1734. 3 P. W. 269.]

If a Man upon the Marriage of his Son, agrees to make a Settlement in such a Manner; it shall be decreed, tho' by the Consent of the Son, he afterwards makes a Settlement different, and that is confirmed by a Fine. 1 Ch. R. 192. 2 Ver. 702.

[If a Father gets a Son to execute a Deed secretly, charging himself the same Morning his Marriage Agreement is executed, it shall be set aside, as being in Fraud of the Marriage Agreement. Martins v. Bennett, H. 1733. Bunb. 336.]

So, it shall be decreed against an Heir; tho' the Covenant was only for him, his Executors and Administrators. R. 2 Ver. 482.

If A. covenants to make a Settlement to the Use of himself and his Wife, and the Heirs Male of their Bodies, Remainder to the Heirs Female, &c. and dies before the Settlement made, having a Son and Daughter, and the Son covenants to levy a Fine for the Payment of Debts, and dies without Issue before the Fine levied: The Settlement shall be decreed to the Daughter, pursuant to the Intent of the Articles. R. 2 Ver. 704.

[If a Settlement is executed after Marriage to Husband for Life, Wife for Life, and the Heirs of the Body of Husband by Wife, the Court will carry it into Execution strictly, if made in pursuance of Articles previous to Marriage, otherwise not. Glanville v. Payne, P. 1740. 2 Atkyns 39.]

[If a Settlement after Marriage gives Issue an Equivalent for what they were intitled to by Settlement previous to Marriage, the Court will carry it into Execution, otherwise not. Ibid.]

A Limitation in Marriage Articles to Husband for Life, to Wife for Life, to the Issue of their two Bodies, will not intitle the Husband to dispose as he pleases, but shall be carried into strict Settlement. Villiers v. Villiers, M. 1740. 2 Atkyns 71.]

So, if a Man upon the Marriage of his Brother agrees for the Settlement of his Land upon his Brother, if he himself dies without Issue, and the Wife of the Brother has 180l. for her Portion; the Devisee of the Land (the Devisor being dead without Issue, and the Portion being 180l.) shall be compelled to perform the Agreement, tho' it was to make an Estate after an Entail. R. 2 Vent. 354.

So, if a Trustee signs a Deed, to testify his Assent, whereby it is agreed, that the Land shall be settled, to the Use of a Wife for Jointure; tho' the Land was subject to the Payment of a Debt due to the Trustee, yet the Jointure shall be settled prior to the Debt. R. 2 Ca. Ch. 211.

So, if the Settlement is for a Portion to be paid at full Age, or Marriage with the Consent of her Father, and if she dies before such Marriage or Age, that it shall be paid to another; if the Daughter has the Consent of her Father for a Treaty upon her Marriage, and he does not afterwards disagree, tho' the Marriage was clandestine, without the Privity of the Father, the Portion shall be paid. 1 Ch. R. 3.

[If on Marriage two Fathers agree to settle certain Lands; one does so, the other gives Bond to do it; he has not his Election to settle or forfeit, but must settle the Lands, which was the original Agreement. *Chilliner v. Chilliner*, T. 1754. 2 *Vezey* 528.]

So, if A. by Letter proposes a Settlement upon a Treaty of Marriage for his Nephew, if 2500*l.* Portion is given; and the Marriage proceeds and such Portion is given; the Settlement shall be decreed, tho' no Answer was sent to the Letter, nor the Marriage had with the Privity of the Uncle. *Cb. R.* 147.

Or, by Letter to a Friend of B. proposes 1500*l.* Portion with his Daughter, and the Marriage takes Effect, tho' no Agreement was made directly upon such Letter. 2 *Cb. R.* 285.

If a Settlement is made in Consideration of 500*l.* in Money and Goods; after fifteen Years, it shall be decreed, without Inquiry whether the Husband had the 500*l.* 2 *P. W.* (618.)

But if a Marriage-Settlement is made before Marriage, all precedent Agreements shall be intended to be extinct. *Semb. 1 Ver.* 369.

If a Settlement is alledged to be contrary to an Agreement, and a Trial is directed to try what was the Agreement; the Settlement ought to be admitted for Proof of the Agreement. *R. per North, and a Decree to the contrary per Lord Nottingham reversed. 1 Ver.* 246.

Yet where the Settlement varies from the Articles, without an Intent apparent, it shall be decreed to be made conformable to the Articles, tho' the Settlement was before Marriage. *R. 2 Ver.* 659.

[A Settlement after Marriage on an Infant, and no Settlement before, and no Proof of the Husband's being in Debt, is good. *Middlecome v. Marlow*, H. 1742. 2 *Atkyns* 519.]

[If a Settlement is just in general, the Court will not weigh nicely the particular Advantage on either Side. *Ibid.*]

[An Infant is bound by a Settlement made on her Marriage, where it is made with Approbation of Parents and Guardians. *Hervy v. Aspley*, P. 1748. 3 *Atkyns* 607.]

[Marriage Agreements cannot be set aside, because it would affect the Interest of third Persons, the Issue. *Ibid.*]

[Other Agreements are entire, and if either Party fails in Performance in Part, it cannot be decreed in Specie, but must be left to an Action; in Marriage Agreements it is otherwise; and if the Relations of either Party fail in Performance, the Children may compel Performance; thus, if Wife's Father agrees to give a Portion, and Husband's Father to make a Settlement, tho' the Portion is not paid the Children may compel the Settlement. *Ibid.*]

[Tho' a Father or Guardian should act fraudulently, the Marriage Agreement shall not be set aside, but the Delinquent, Father, Guardian, or Husband, decreed to make Satisfaction. *Ibid.*]

(3 Z. 2.) When not.

But by the St. 29 Car. 2. 3. No Action shall be brought to charge a Defendant on an Agreement on Consideration of Marriage, unless that, or some Note of it, be in Writing signed by the Party, or some authorized by him.

A Letter is a sufficient Note, to shew an Agreement to give a Marriage-Portion. *R. 2 Vent.* 361. *Vide Ante*, (2 C. 4.)

But if A. by Letter promises 1000*l.* to his Niece in Marriage, yet by the same Letter dissuades her from a Marriage with B. and she afterwards marries B. with the Consent of A. The Money shall not be decreed. *R. 2 Ver.* 202.

If a Marriage is agreed upon between the Fathers of a Son and a Daughter, and Minutes are taken of it by Counsel, and before the Writings are fixed, one of the Fathers dies; the Settlement shall not be decreed, not being signed by either Party, and before the Execution of the Deeds many Variations in the Minutes might have happened. *Eq. Abr.* 21.

[If a Mother at the Marriage tells the Husband, "My Estate will come between my Daughters," and afterwards gives Directions to an Attorney to prepare a Settlement.]

Settlement of Part to Husband and Wife, and the right Heirs of the Husband, but both die before it is completed, the Settlement shall not be carried into Execution in favour of Husband's Brother and Heir. *Brownsmith v. Gilborne, H. 13 G. Str. 738.*

[If a Man having an Estate in Possession, and a Leasehold, and being intitled to an Estate-tail after his Mother's Jointure determined, by Marriage Articles settles Part of his Wife's Portion on her and the Issue, and the Leasehold on her for Life in bar of Dower, and then covenants on his Mother's Death to settle 100*l.* per Annum for every 1000*l.* on her for Life, then on the Issue, and he dies without Issue in the Mother's Life-time; the Heir shall not be compelled to perform. *Whitmel v. Farrel, T. 1749. 1 Vezey 256.*]

And if Articles, with the Wife before Marriage, provide, that she shall dispose of the Profits of her Estate, during the Coverture, which is vested in a Trustee for that Intent, and after Marriage, the Trustee with the Approbation of the Wife pays the Profits to the Husband; he shall not account to the Wife for the Profits not disposed of according to the Agreement; for by Law the Articles are destroyed by the Marriage. *R. Ca. Ch. 21.*

So, if *A.* upon the Marriage of his Daughter agrees that his Manor shall be charged with 4000*l.* for her Portion, provided that if the Husband does not settle a Jointure answerable to it, within two Years, he shall have only Interest at the Rate of 3*l.* per Cent. for his Life, and the Manor shall be to the Daughter and the Heirs of her Body; the Wife dies within the two Years before any Settlement made; the Husband shall not have the Portion, or the Manor but only for his Life. *R. 1 Ver. 68.*

So, if the Portion was to be paid if the Husband settled a Jointure within three Years, and the Wife dies within the three Years, before the Jointure settled; the Husband shall not have the Portion. *1 Ver. 69.*

[If *A.* on Marriage of his eldest Son *B.* in Consideration thereof, and of Portion, settles his Estate to himself for Life, to Trustees for 200 Years, to *B.* and the Heirs Male of him and his Wife, with Remainders over, the Trust to raise 1500*l.* by Profits or Fines, and to pay 500*l.* in six Months, and 1000*l.* in twelve Months after *A.*'s Death, as he should appoint, if none, void; and *A.* has another Son *C.* to whom he afterwards gives 3000*l.* which *C.* lays out in Lands; and *A.* by Will directs 600*l.* Part of the 1500*l.* to be paid to *C.* on his settling the Lands purchased on the Heirs-male of his Body, and in Default on the right Heirs of *A.*; *A.* dies, the 600*l.* is paid *C.* who gives Receipts for it as the Legacy in his Father's Will; *C.* marries, has Issue Male and Female, the Male exists many Years, then fails, *C.* dies, *B.* dies; the Son of *B.* cannot have this Settlement carried into Execution against the Co-heirs of *C.* when it is impossible to bar the Remainder to him (the Son of *B.*) nor shall he have the 600*l.* repaid. *Parker v. Philips, T. 1750. 1 Vezey 530.*]

So, if a Father agrees to give 3000*l.* with his Daughter; but by his Will gives her only 2000*l.* and dies before the Marriage, and the Husband accepts the Legacy; he cannot afterwards demand 1000*l.* more: For his Equity is to have 3000*l.* or Nothing. *Mo. Ca. in Eq. 3.**

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2 Mod. Ca.

(3 Z. 3.) To what Charges subject.

A Marriage-Settlement shall not be incumbered by a voluntary Settlement for the raising Portions for the Children of a former Marriage. *R. 2 Vent. 363. Vide Post, (4 I. 1, &c.)*

Nor, by a voluntary Settlement made during a former Marriage. *R. Ca. Ch. 100.*

So, if *A.* covenants to settle 200*l.* per Ann. without describing any Lands in particular, upon the Children of the first Marriage, and afterwards, upon a second Marriage, settles Part of the Land, which he had at the Time of the former Articles, for the Jointure of his second Wife, who had no Notice; she shall not be bound by the former Articles. *R. 2 Ver. 482, 3.*

If *A.* exhibits a bill to redeem a Mortgage against a Woman, and suggests that her Husband was only the Assignee of a Mortgage; the Woman may give in

in Answer, a Settlement for her Jointure without Notice of the Mortgage, and that her Husband pretended a Title by Descent, without answering, whether her Husband had any other Title than as Assignee of a Mortgage; tho' it would not be a good Plea. 2 Ver. 701.

But if *A.* upon his Marriage gives a Bond to leave to his Wife 500*l.* or a third Part of his Personal Estate, and afterwards becomes a Bankrupt; the Wife shall not have the 500*l.* if she does not come in as a Creditor for it in Proportion with other Creditors; and in such Case, the Interest of her Portion shall be paid to the Creditors during the Life of her Husband. R. 2 Ver. 662.

[If *A.* dies indebted, leaving a Leasehold subject to Mortgages, with Covenant for Payment, and other Personal Estate, and devises to his Son for Life, then to the Issue of his Body with Limitations over, and makes him Executor and residuary Legatee, and he by Marriage-Settlement calling himself Heir and Executor, and reciting the Will, assigns this Leasehold to Trustees to permit him to receive the Profits for Life, then to his Wife, then to the Issue, then to those intitled under the Will; yet the Issue shall not have it disincumbered of their Father's Debts. *Clarke v. Sampson*, T. 1748. 1 Vexey 100.]

(3 Z. 4.) Provision for Portions.

IF a Man makes a voluntary Settlement for the Portion of a Daughter by his former Wife, and then takes a second Wife, and settles the same Land for her Jointure, without Notice of the Portion, and by his Will devises other Lands to his Wife, which she refuses; the Daughter shall have the other Lands till her Portion is raised. 1 Ver. 219. Eq. Abr. 221.

If by Marriage-Settlement Lands are limited to the Husband and Wife for their Lives, and afterwards to the first and other Sons in Tail; and if the Husband dies without Issue Male, to *A.* for 500 Years for Daughters Portions; tho' there be Issue Male, which survives the Father, and then dies without Issue, a Daughter shall have the Portion. R. 1 Lev. 35.

If *A.* after the Death of his Wife makes a Settlement for raising 100*l.* for each of his younger Children, and afterwards marries again; the Children by the second Wife shall have the same Portions. R. 1 Ver. 335.

[If a Widow having Children, by Articles previous to her second Marriage, gives 500*l.* to her intended Husband during his Life, and if no Children of the Marriage, then to return to her or her Heirs; and there are Children of the second Marriage, who all die under Age in her Life, and then she dies, the Husband shall have the Interest for Life, and then the Children of the first Marriage. *Steadman v. Palling*, H. 1746. 3 Atkyns 423.]

If Land is charged with Portions, the Heir cannot give Personal Security for them in Discharge of the Land. 1 Ver. 338.

Nor shall he be allowed to pay them, before the Time limited by the Settlement, viz. full Age or Marriage. 1 Ver. 338.

If a Man gives a Portion to a Daughter to be paid at the Age of Twenty-one Years, and she marries, and dies before; it shall be paid to her Husband, or her Executor. 2 Ca. Ch. 94.

If *A.* by Marriage-Settlement makes a Provision for Daughters of 1500*l.* a-piece, to be paid at Eighteen or Marriage, and if any of them die before, the Survivor to take the Whole; and afterwards settles other Lands for the Payment thereof, at the Age of Twenty-one or Marriage, and that there shall be no Survivorship; this controuls the first Deed. R. 2 Ch. R. 8.

If a Term is limited after the Death of the Father, upon Trust for raising Portions for his Daughters, at the Age of Eighteen or Marriage; the Term may be sold for that Purpose in the Life-time of the Father. Sal. 159. Semb. 2 Ver. 355. R. 2 Ver. 459, 460, 656.

So, if the Term, after the Life of the Father, be upon Trust, that if the Father die without Issue Male by his Wife, having Daughters, and (the Wife dies without a Son; the Term may be sold in the Life-time of the Father, for the

Portions

Portions of Daughters, when they attain such an Age, or marry. *R. per 3 J.*
2 Jon. 202. Per Cowper, 1 Sal. 159. 2 Ver. 657. Rep. 5 G. 2. 2, 22.

[If *A.* on Marriage settles his Estate to himself for Life, Remainder to his Sons in Tail-male, Remainder to Trustees for 1000 Years, to provide for Daughters by Profits, Mortgage, or Sale, with Remainders over, with Proviso, that if he prefers them in Marriage with Portions equivalent, or the Remainder-Man pays them, the Term should cease; and the Wife dies without Issue-male, leaving three Daughters, their Portions shall be raised in the Father's Lifetime, with Interest from the Mother's Death, at which Time they first vested. *Hebblethwaite, v. Cartwright, P. 7 G. 2. C. T. T. 31.*]

[Where a Term for Years or other Estate is limited to Trustees, for raising Portions for Daughters, payable at a certain Time, which is become a vested Interest, they shall not stay to the Death of Father and Mother, unless some Intention appears (and a very slight Circumstance is sufficient) to postpone it. *Stanley v. Stanley, M. 1737. 1 Atkyns 549.*]

If the Term is to raise Portions for Daughters, and the Inheritance descends to the Lessee; *Chancery* will prevent the Merger of the Term. *2 Ver. 91, 208. Vide Post, (4 W. 24.)*

So, if one has a Power to raise Portions for Children, and by Deed charges them upon Land, but by the Eviction of Part, the Residue is not sufficient; the Land may be decreed to be sold. *2 Ver. 311.*

Tho' he adds, *that for the raising them, the Trustees shall take all the Rents and Profits*; for that does not restrain the general Charge. *R. 2 Ver. 311.*

If there be a Term for raising Portions for Daughters, without saying, *at what Age, or Time*; they shall be raised, with reasonable Maintenance from the Death of the Father. *2 Ver. 460.*

If the Portion is to be raised *as the Father shall appoint*; it shall be raised, tho' the Father dies without Appointment. *2 Ver. 665.*

But if Portions for Daughters *at such an Age, if the Father dies without Issue Male, are to be raised for his Daughters, if not otherwise provided for, and 30l. per Ann. in the Interim*; tho' the Mother dies without a Son, the Term shall not be decreed to be sold for the Daughters Portions; for the other Contingency, *if they are not otherwise provided for*, cannot happen during the Life of the Father. *R. 1 Sal. 160. 2 Ver. 640, 657.*

So, the 30l. *per Ann.* shall not be decreed to the Daughter, or her Husband; for the Father shall not pay Maintenance out of the Profits of a Term not to commence till his Death; and therefore it must be intended of Maintenance to be paid if the Father dies without Issue Male; before the Age, or Marriage of his Daughter. *R. 1 Sal. 160.*

If *A.* gives Portions to his younger Children, secured by a Mortgage from *B.* and if the Heir of *A.* does not pay them, *that they shall be charged upon his Land*; *B.* pays the Portions, which are put out upon another Security, approved of by a Master in *Chancery*, with the Consent of the Guardian, and are afterwards lost; the Land of the Heir shall not afterwards be charged. *R. 1 Ver. 337.*

If Land is charged with 500*l.* for *A.* and the Trustee raises the Sum and gives a Judgment to *A.* for it, and then dies insolvent; the Land shall be discharged. *Dub. 2 Ver. 85.*

If a Term after the Death of Husband and Wife, is for the raising of Portions out of the Profits after the Commencement of the Term, to be paid at the Age of Twenty-one; neither the Principal or the Interest shall be raised, till the Term commences in Possession. *2 Ver. 761. 1 P. W. 449.*

[If by Marriage-Settlement Lands are limited to *A.* for Life without Waste, Remainder to Trustees to preserve, &c. to Wife for Life, Remainder to his first and other Sons of *A.* and in Default Remainder to Trustees for 500 Years, in Trust, by Rents or Sale, to raise 2000*l.* for Daughter, to be paid at Twenty-one, or Marriage; the Daughter shall not have it raised in the Father's Lifetime. *Stevens v. Detbick, H. 1743. 3 Atkyns 39.*]

If a Portion is to be paid *by the Personal Estate, and, if that is not sufficient, by the Rents and Profits of the Real*; if it is necessary, the Real Estate shall be sold to make it good. *R. 2 Ver. 424.*

So, if a Term commences after the Death of the Husband, to raise Portions, if no Son, for Daughters, provided, that the Daughters survive their Father; no Portion shall be raised if the Daughter dies in the Life-time of her Father, tho' she married before her Death. *R. 2 Ver. 655.*

So, if a Portion is payable, and before Payment one Child dies; it shall be decreed to his Executor, or Administrator. *R. 1 Ver. 276.*

[If there is Provision for Daughters Portions, by a Term after the Mother's Death, to grow due and payable at Twenty-one, or Marriage, and if any die before Portion due and payable, to the Survivors; and there are two Daughters who both attain Twenty-one, and marry with Consent, and one dies, leaving Children before the Mother, her Portion shall go to her Representatives, and not to her Sister. *Emperor v. Rolfe, H. 1748. 1 Vezey 208.*]

If a Term is upon Trust, that if the Father dies without a Son, to raise Portions for Daughters out of the Rents and Profits, as soon as conveniently may be; they may be raised by Sale. *Per Parker, P. W. 417, 420.*

Otherwise, if it was out of the annual Rents and Profits, or by Leases for Lives, or Years. *Per Macclesfield, and affirmed in Parliament, 2 P. W. 19. Vide 1 P. W. 419.*

[So, if on Marriage of A. and B. A. settles his Estate, and therein provides for raising Portions for Daughters, and the Father of B. settles his Estate, and therein is a Term (with several Remainders over) the Trust of which is to raise 10,000 *l.* for younger Children, by Rents, Issues and Profits, or Leases for three Lives, or determinable upon three Lives, reserving the old Rent, or by granting Copyholds on Fines, to be paid to Daughters at Eighteen or Marriage, and to the Sons at Twenty-one, or as soon after as it could be raised out of the Premises as aforesaid; the 10,000 *l.* cannot be raised by Sale or Mortgage. *Semb. per Macclesfield C. Mills v. Banks, T. 1724. 3 P. W. 1.*]

But if a younger Child dies in the Lifetime of the Father, before Marriage, the Portion shall not be raised. *1 Ver. 335. Vide Ante, (3 P. 3.)*

[If there is a Term of Years to raise Daughters Portions, payable at Sixteen, and a Proviso, that if there is no Daughter living at the Time of the Failure of Issue-male, the Term shall attend the Inheritance; and there is one Daughter who attains Sixteen, marries without Consent, and no Son by the Marriage, and the Daughter dies without Issue in the Lifetime of her Father and Mother, the Portion sinks. *Gordon v. Raynes, P. 1732. P. W. 134.*]

[If 9000 *l.* is settled by Marriage Articles in Trust for Husband and Wife for Life, and then to the eldest Son, subject to raise and pay 5000 *l.* to younger Children as Father should appoint, and for want of Appointment, at Twenty-one, and Trustees in the mean Time at Liberty to raise Maintenance; Mother dies, leaving two Children, youngest dies at two, Father cannot claim the 5000 *l.* as his Representative, it not vesting in the Children, and there are no Words of vesting, but raising and paying at Twenty-one. *Hubert v. Parsons, P. 1751. 2 Vezey 261.*]

[If by Articles 2000 *l.* Part of 3000 *l.* vested in Trustees, is to be paid to such Son as shall attain Twenty-one, when he shall have attained Twenty-three, and the Eldest attains Twenty-one, and dies before Twenty-three, it is a vested Interest at Twenty-one, and the Time of Payment only is postponed. *Combe v. Combe, T. 1741. 2 Atkyns 185.*]

If the Land is not sufficient to raise Portions for all, there shall be an Abatement in Proportion. *1 Ver. 335.*

[If A. by Articles before Marriage agrees to settle Land on B. for Jointure, then Part to raise Portions for younger Children, then the Whole in Tail-male, and that B.'s Portion should remain with Trustees till Settlement made, but to enable A. to settle, B.'s Portion to be applied to pay off Incumbrances, and the Rest to A. and Marriage had, no Settlement made; A. dies, no Land appears, the Right to the Portion survives to the Wife, and the Issue of the Marriage are not intitled. *Pyke v. Pyke, H. 1749. 1 Vezey 376.*]

A Portion secured by Settlement, or Articles for a Settlement, shall not be raised as a Debt out of the Personal Assets. *2 P. W. 437.*

[If a Husband promises his Wife that her Daughter shall have her Jewels, and after her Death puts them in a Chest, and delivers them with an Inventory and the Key to a Friend, for the Daughter's Use; this is a sufficient Delivery to vest the Property, and shall not be altered by his afterwards taking out some of the Jewels, and giving them to his second Wife. *Lucas v. Lucas, T. 1738. 1 Atkyns 270.*]

[If in Settlement there is a Term to raise 1000*l.* for Daughters Portions, with Proviso, that if Father by Deed or Will gives or leaves any Sum of Money to his Daughters, it should be a Satisfaction *pro tanto*, unless he declare the contrary, and he leaves them Land; this is no Satisfaction. *Per Talbot, C. Chaplin v. Chaplin, P. 1734. 3 P. W. 245.*]

[If by Marriage-Settlement a Term is created in Lands in Trust to raise Portions for Daughters, with Proviso, that if Lands of an Estate of Inheritance descend from the Husband to his said Daughters of as great Value as the Portions, then the Term to cease for the Benefit of the next in Remainder or Reversion; neither Lands of which the Husband is seized in Fee and devises to his Daughters in Tail nor Lands descending from him to them in Tail, nor Reversions in Tail expectant on the Death of others, are such Estates of Inheritance as are within the Meaning of the Proviso. Lands which ought to go in Satisfaction shall be valued at the Time of the Descent, not when the Portions become payable. *Savile v. Savile, P. 1740. 2 Atkyns 458.*]

[A Limitation to a Daughter after several other Limitations, is considered as a Provision, the Time when it is to take place makes no Difference. *Goring v. Nash, M. 1744. 3 Atkyns 186.*]

[If a Man has a Power by Marriage-Settlement to raise a Sum for the Portion and Portions, of all and every younger Child and Children, in such Manner, at such Time, and under such Limitations, as he by Will shall direct, and he by Will, reciting that two of his three younger Children are amply provided for, appoints the Whole to the Third, the Power is not pursued, and it is a void Appointment. *Menzey v. Walker, P. 8 G. 2. C. T. T. 72.*]

[But if Father has a Power to raise 1500*l.* for Benefit of younger Children, in such Proportion, Manner and Form, in all Respect, as he shall appoint, and he directs 450*l.* to *A.* 1050*l.* to *B.* and nothing to *C.* who has a good Estate, it is a good Appointment. *Austen v. Austen, H. 1733. C. T. T. 74.*]

[Where a Sum is provided by Marriage-Settlement for younger Children, and one of them becomes eldest, he shall have no Part of this Sum; but where by private Act of Parliament the Sum was to be appointed to *A. B.* and *C.* by Name, tho' *A.* then a younger Child afterwards becomes eldest, he is capable of an Appointment in his Favour. *Jermyn v. Fellows. P. 11 G. 2. C. T. T. 93.*

Q. Would it not be the same if they were named in a Settlement by Deed?

[If by Marriage Articles it is agreed, that certain Sums be paid to Trustees to permit the Interest to be taken by Husband for Life, then by Wife for Life, then if there is a Son, and younger Child or Children, to pay the principal Sums to them; and a farther Covenant that the Wife's Father shall procure his Sister to settle certain Freehold Houses to the same Uses, and they are so settled; and Husband and Wife die, leaving a Daughter their eldest Child, and a Son; the Daughter shall be considered as a younger Child, and have the Money, and also the Houses; for the Articles and the Deed shall be considered as one and the same Act, and equally a Provision for younger Children. *Heneage, v. Hunloke, M. 1742. 2 Atkyns 456.*]

[If a Grandmother *A.* having a Power creates a Term to commence after her Death to raise 300*l.* per Annum for *B.* for Life, and after both their Deaths to raise a Sum to be paid among all the Children of *C.* except the eldest Son, as *C.* shall appoint, and for Want, equally; if *C.* has but one Child besides eldest Son all to such Child, if only eldest Son, all to him, if no eldest Son, then to the Executors of *A.*; at making, *C.* has only Son *D.* and Daughter *E.* afterwards, another Son *F.*; *C.* dies first without appointing, *D.* dies under Age, and *F.* becomes eldest Son; *E.* marries, *A.* dies, and then *B.* dies; this shall be construed as Provision by Marriage-Settlement; and to avoid the Inconveniences of the Portions

tions vesting either at the Execution or the Death of *A.* or the Death of *C.* or of *B.* the Court will determine the Capacity of being a younger Son to continue till the Time of Payment, and *E.* shall have the whole Sum. *Ld. Tynham v. Webb, H. 1750. 2 Vezey 198.*

[If *A.* settles his Estate, subject to a Proviso, on his Sister and Husband, and their Issue in strict Tail-male, for them to raise 12,000*l.* for their Children, and if they die without appointing the Proportion, then 2000*l.* to be raised for each younger Son, and 3000*l.* for each Daughter, payable at Twenty-one, with Interest from the Time of Appointment or Death of the Survivor, and they die without making Appointment, leaving four younger Sons and two Daughters, 14,000*l.* shall be raised for them, and Interest only from the Death of the Survivor, tho' two attained Twenty-one during her Life. *Rolt v. Rolt, H. 9 G. 2. C. T. T. 189.*

[If *A.* on Marriage settles long Annuities in Trust for himself for Life, to his Wife for Life, to the Children in such Manner as he should appoint, and dies without Appointment, leaving one Child, it is intitled to them as an Interest vested; the Father having only Power of disposing among his Children, and there being but one, she is intitled to the Whole. *Bellasis v. Utb watt, H. 1737. 1 Atkyns 426.*

[Where Children have obtained a contingent Advantage under a Marriage-Settlement, the Court will not vary it after Marriage; thus, if Stock is transferred to Trustees to pay the Dividends to the separate Use of the Wife during Life, and if she survived her Husband to transfer to her, or whom she should appoint, and for Want of Appointment to her Issue, the Court will not suffer any Part of the Stock to be sold and paid to her during Coverture. *Okeefe v. Calthorpe, M. 1739. 1 Atkyns 17.*

[If *A.* by Deed on the Marriage of his Son *B.* settles Lands on the Issue-male of *B.* and if none, then to be sold and equally divided among *B.*'s Daughters; and by Deed *B.* directs his Estate to be sold, and the Money equally divided among his six Daughters, provided he should have no Son; and afterwards, after the Marriage of *C.* one of the Daughters with *D.* he by Deed, reciting the last, covenants that all right, either in Land or Money, that should accrue to *C.* in her Life, or to *D.* in her Right, by the said recited Deed, should be vested in Trustees, to put out such Share of the Money raised by Sale of the Manors, &c. as belonged to *C.* at Interest, and the Rents of her Share of the Estate, and the Interest of the Money raised by Sale thereof to pay to *D.* for Life, then to *C.* for Life, then to pay the Principal to the Issue of *D.* by *C.* (except the Issue-male of *D.* by *C.* for the Time being inheritable in the Manors, &c.) Share and Share alike to Sons at Twenty-one, to Daughters at Twenty-one, or Marriage; if any die before their Shares payable, to go to the Survivor: if all die, then to such inheritable Son; if no Son, then to the Survivor of *D.* and *C.* and the Executors, &c. of such Survivor; and there is one Child of this Marriage who survives his Father, and then attains Twenty-one, and dies in his Mother's Lifetime; the Estate shall be sold and divided equally among the surviving Daughters of *B.* one being dead unmarried, and the Share of *C.* belongs to her solely, and no Part of it to her Son by *D.* *Seamer v. Bingham, T. 1743. 3 Atkyns 54.*

[The Court will decree the Provision made for one Child to be as extensive as the Parent intended, where it does not introduce a Hardship, or leave the other Children in Distress. *Goring v. Nash, M. 1744. 3 Atkyns 186.*

[If *A.* by Marriage-Settlement recites the Provisions he is intitled to by his Father's Settlement, and *inter al'* a Share of 2000*l.* after his Father's Death, and there is a Trust for the Benefit of the Issue of the Marriage, and a Covenant that all *A.*'s Share of the 2000*l.* or any other Provision for the Portions of the Father's younger Children as should come to *A.* shall be within said Trust; and afterwards the surplus Profits of the Father's Estate limited for the Benefit of his Children, is in his Life-time decreed to be distributed among them; the Surplus shall not be included in the Trust, nor would a Legacy from the Father to *A.* be included. *Vane v. Vane, M. 1747. 1 Vezey 57.*

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[If a Bond is given for 2000*l.* for Children living at the Death of Father or Mother, and in Default, to the Executors of Husband, a Child born after the Father's Death shall have a Share. *Miller v. Turner, H. 1747. 1 Vezey 85.*]

[If a Decree has settled a Wife's Portion to be laid out in Land for Husband for Life, Wife for Life, and then to the Issue; the Court will not afterwards on a Suggestion that there is no Probability of Issue, and that the Husband is in great Distress, grant Part to pay his Debts, and the Rest to Wife's separate Use. *Anon. M. 1750. 2 Vezey 113.*]

[If 20,000 *l.* is provided for younger Children as Father shall appoint, and there are three Daughters and a Son, and Father makes another Settlement reciting this Provision, and his Intent that the Daughters should have the Whole, and settles on the Son in Satisfaction of his Provision, on Condition he Releases, but makes no direct Appointment of his Son's Share to the Daughters, and afterwards by Will gives his Daughters so much as (with what is provided by his Marriage-Settlement) makes their Fortunes 10,000; they shall have only 10,000 *l.* and not a Share of the Brother's 5000*l.* likewise. *D. Bridgewater v. Egerton, H. 1750. 2 Vezey. 121*]

[If by Settlement after Marriage (but for valuable Consideration) there is a Trust to raise Portions for Daughters on Failure of Issue Male, on whom the Estate was settled in Tail, they shall be raised; tho' the Portion or Consideration was not paid, tho' the Term was in Remainder after Estates-Tail, and tho' a Daughter has given a general Release, the Settlement not being known. *Hylton v. Bischoe, T. 1751. 2 Vezey 304.*]

[If Estate is settled to Husband and Wife for Life, then to Trustees for a Term, in Case of no Issue-Male, or they die before Twenty-one, to raise Portions for Daughters; proviso, If they have Son who shall have Issue-Male, or attain Twenty-one, then the Term to cease; and they have a Son who attains Twenty-one, and dies without Issue-male in the Father's Life, the Portions shall not be raised. *Worsley v. E. Granville. T. 1751. 2 Vezey 331.*]

[If a Father voluntarily settles 4000 *l.* a-piece on his five Daughters, and by the same Deed binds himself in 25,000 *l.* to secure the Surplus of his Estate above 20,000*l.* to his Daughters, this shall be looked on as a Bond to the Daughters, good against voluntary Claimants, but not against Creditors for valuable Consideration. *Boughton v. Boughton, M. 1739. 1 Atkyns 625.*]

[Tenant for Life shall not account for Rents and Profits towards raising Portions, but only keep down the Interest; the Portions shall be raised on the whole Estate. *Savile v. Savile, P. 1740. 2 Atkyns 458.*]

(3 Z. 5.) Restraint of Marriage.

If a Marriage be contrary to the Consent of Parents, and the Husband sues for the Portion; the Court will not decree it, unless the Husband makes a suitable Settlement. *2 Sho. 282.*

[If Husband and Wife sue for a Legacy given to the Wife, the Court will not compel the Payment, unless the Husband makes a Settlement on the Wife. *Brown v. Elton, M. 1733. 3 P.W. 202.*]

Or, if without the Privity of the Trustees for the Wife; the Portion shall be vested in Trust for the Wife, and not decreed to the Husband, till he makes a suitable Settlement. *R. Ch. R. 146.*

If the Wife has a Real Estate by Descent from her Brother, which was vested in Trustees in Trust for her; and the Husband sues in *Chancery* for an Execution of the Trust, or for other Favour; the Court will oblige the Husband to do what is reasonable. *1 Ver. 40.*

[If on Marriage, Application is made to the Court to take care of Wife's Fortune, and Husband offers before the Master to settle an Estate in strict Settlement, but before it is done, they having no Children, petition to have it paid to Husband, the Court will not order it; for Nobody can consent for the Children that may be. *Anon. T. 1755. 2 Vezey 671.*]

[If Money is left by a Father to Trustees for the Benefit of his Children, to be equally divided between them; and one of them a Daughter, marries, being

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ing under Age, and without Settlement; and her Husband, whilst she is under Age, and before the Trustees have done any Act to settle or divide Father's Estate, assigns all the Share he is intitled to in Right of his Wife to a Creditor; the Court will not allow such Creditor to receive the whole Fortune, without making some Provision for the Wife. *Jewson v. Moulson*, M. 1742. 2 Atkyns 417.]

[If a Father gives Bond to his Daughter, payable at Marriage, and deposits it in a third Person's Hands, she marries without Consent, the Bond is delivered to Husband, and he sues on it; on a Bill brought by the Father, and bringing the Money into Court, the Court will order it to be settled on the Wife and her Children, and grant Injunction. *Winch v. Page*, in Sc. M. 1721. Burd. 86.]

[If a Man devises 1000*l.* to his Daughter payable at Twenty-one, or Marriage, and she marries, and the Husband and Wife join in a Suit in the Spiritual Court against the Trustees and Executors for the Legacy, and the Executors bring Bill to compel the Husband to settle the Legacy on the Wife, the Court will interfere, tho' the Husband does not crave the Assistance of the Court, and is suing in a proper Court for the Recovery of it. *Harrison v. Buckle*, M. 6 G. Str. 238. *Gardner v. Walker*, H. 8 G. Str. 503.]

[Tho' the Wife, of Age, appears, and is desirous that her whole Fortune may be paid to her Husband, yet the Court will order Settlement of Part. *Ex parte Higham*, T. 1754. 2 Vezey 519.]

[Where there is a slender Provision made for a Wife, on an Accession of Fortune to the Wife (if considerable, otherwise not) the Court will oblige the Husband to make further Provision. *March v. Head*, T. 1749. 3 Atkyns 720.]

(3 Z. 6.)
When not.

But upon a Bill, by a Father against an Husband, who married his Daughter without Consent, to make a Settlement of the Land of the Wife, the Court will not compel him; for the Father has no Equity to demand it. *R. upon a Demurrer to such Bill*, 1 Ver. 39.

So, if a Portion is given to a Daughter, and if she marries without the Consent of A. to another; if the Daughter will not marry, and gives Security to indemnify the Executor against the other Person, she shall have the Portion for the Purchasing of an Annuity. *R. Ch. R.* 62.

So, if the Husband and Wife demand a Conveyance of Lands settled in Trust for the Wife; the Trustee ought to execute his Trust, without requiring a Settlement by the Husband. *R. 2 Ver.* 626.

So, if the Husband prays that the Portion may be raised; the Court upon Circumstances will allow Part to the Husband, without a Settlement. 2 Ver. 762.

[If Money is charged in Trust for Provision for a Daughter, and she marries without Consent, yet if she appear and desires the Whole may be paid to her Husband without any Provision, the Court will direct it, tho' the Husband is Insolvent; for she may dispose of Personal Estate as she might of Real by a Fine. *Willats v. Cay*, M. 1740. 2 Atkyns 67. *Contra ex Parte Higham supra* 3 Z. 5.]

[If Husband has made a Settlement on his Wife on Marriage, and afterwards Money comes to her by Devise, the Court will not require the Husband (if a Man of Credit) to make a further Settlement at the Prayer of the Executor. *Adams v. Pierce*, T. 1724. 3 P. W. 11.]

[Or, if the Husband is a Freeman of London, and in a thriving Way. *Ibid.*]

(3 Z. 7.)
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tion.

If a Man devises that his Daughter shall have 2000*l.* Portion, but if she marries before the Age of Sixteen, or without the Consent of A. and B. she shall have only 1000*l.* If she marries with the Consent, &c. before Sixteen, she shall have but 1000*l.* *R. 2 Vent.* 365. *R. 2 Ver.* 223. Cont. that she shall have the 2000*l.*

If the Father by his Will devises 2000*l.* to his Daughter, and afterwards revokes the Legacy if she marries B. and the Daughter marries B. the Legacy is lost. *R. 1 Ver.* 20.

But if the Daughter has a Portion by a Settlement, the Father cannot annex a Condition to it, *that she shall not marry without Consent.* 2 Ver. 452.

If A. gives his Daughter 200l. *provided she continues with his Executor till Twenty-one; but if she shall be taken from the Executor by her Mother, who was a Papist, or marries against the Consent of the Executor, then only 10l.* The Daughter being placed by the Executor with B. a Clergyman, with his Leave visits her Mother, and there marries a Papist, without the Privity of B. or of the Executor, who upon Notice dissents; the Daughter shall have only 10l. for the Qualification annexed to the Devise was in Nature of a Condition precedent; and the clandestine Marriage, which the Executor immediately disapproved, was against his Consent. *Cont. per Master of the Rolls, but per Cowper, Acc. 2 Ver. 573.*

[If a Man by Settlement after Marriage creates a Term in Trust, to raise 2000l. a-piece for his Daughters, provided they marry with their Mother's Consent, and a yearly Sum to be paid them till they marry, and if either of them die before Marriage with such Consent, her Portion to cease, and the Premises to be exonerated of it, or, if raised, to be paid to whom the Premises should belong, and by Will creates another Trust-Term to raise 2000l. a-piece more for each of his Daughters, subject to the same Conditions, and by Codicil creates another Trust-Term for the better raising them; if the Daughters marry without the Mother's Consent (even after they are of full Age) they shall not have either of the Sums. *Per Hardwicke, C. Lee, C. J. and Willes, C. J. reversing a Decree of Jekyll, M. R. Hervey v. Aston, M. 10 G. 2. C. T. T. 212. P. 13 G. 2. Comyns' Rep. 726.*]

[If in Marriage-Settlement it is provided, that if any younger Child marries without Father's Consent in his Life, or after his Death without Mother's Consent, such Child shall forfeit the intended Fortune, to be distributed among the Rest at Twenty-one, or Marriage with Consent, with further Proviso, that if any such Child marry without Consent, or die before Twenty-one, or Marriage with Consent, the Portion to be divided among the Survivors at Twenty-one, or Marriage with Consent, and A. one of the Daughters marries without Consent, she forfeits the whole Interest under the Settlement, whether certain or contingent, and therefore, if another of them dies, she is not intitled to her distributive Share of her Portion. *Wrottesley v. Wrottesley, T. 1743. 2 Atkyns 584.*]

[If Legacies are left payable at Twenty-one, or Marriage, which shall first happen, provided they marry with Consent, otherwise to sink into Testator's Personal Estate; the Legacies vest at Twenty-one, and marrying without Consent afterwards is of no Consequence. *Pullen v. Ready, M. 1743. 2 Atkyns 587.*]

When a Condition, that a Person shall not marry without Consent, is in *Terrorem, Vide Ante, (2 Q. 6.)*

(3 Z. 8.) When Marriage Brokage shall be avoided.

A Bond given for the Procurement of a Marriage between A. and B. shall not be allowed. *Decreed Cont. if it be without Fraud, but the Decree was reversed in Parliament. R. 3 Lev. 411. Vide 1 Ver. 412.*

So, if upon the Marriage of a Son, the Portion is paid to his Mother; the Son shall be aided in Equity. 1 Ver. 451.

If a Woman borrows Money of her Brother, for the Augmentation of her Portion, and gives a Bond for it; the Bond or other Security shall be avoided in Equity as fraudulent. 1 Ver. 475. *Vide Post, (4 D. 3.)*

Tho' the Husband dies without Issue, it shall be void against the Wife herself, or her Executor. R. 1 Ver. 475.

If a Mother, upon the Marriage of her Son, agrees to relinquish her Jointure, for which the Son privately agrees to make a Lease to the Mother of another Estate; this clandestine Agreement shall be disallowed in Equity. R. 2 Ver. 466, 500.

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[If a Man on his Son's Marriage settles Part of his Lands on the Son in Possession, and other Part on himself for Life, Remainder to the Son, with Power reserved to the Father to make a Jointure of 200*l.* on Payment of 1000*l.* to the Son; and on the Father's subsequent Marriage, the Son (without Privity of his Wife, or her Relations,) releases the 1000*l.* and the Father, (without the Privity of his second Wife, or her Relations,) gives a Bond for it; Equity will not set the Bond aside. *Roberts v. Roberts*, T. 1730. 3 P. W. 66.]

So a Gratuity, given for the Procurement of a Marriage, shall be refunded. 2 Ver. 392.]

So a Lease, made by *A.* for procuring a Marriage between him and *B.* shall be avoided after his Death, by him in the Remainder. *R. in Parl.* 2 Ver. 446. *Pr. Ch.* 166.

So, if a Daughter has a Portion by a remote Relation, and the Father takes a Bond, before he will give his Consent to her Marriage, that the Husband shall repay Part, if his Wife should die without Issue; for where the Portion does not come from the Father, he shall not lay any such Restraint upon it. *R.* 2 Ver. 588.

So if, upon a Marriage, the Husband gives a Bond, that he will release to the Father all Demands, within two Years after the Marriage. *R.* 2 Ver. 652.

[If previous to Marriage of *A.* and *B.* then twenty Years old, Articles are entered into, first to secure 100*l.* *per Annum* to *C.* (*B.*'s Servant) out of *B.*'s Estate, then the Estate settled to the Use of *B.* and her Issue, (but these other Provisions revokable by her after Marriage) and about the same Time *A.* gives *C.* a Bond for 1000*l.* which is afterwards given up to be cancelled, and a Recovery is suffered to the Uses of the Articles, and a new Grant three Years after is made of the Annuity, which is paid by *A.* for some Time after *B.*'s Death, who afterwards brings Bill to be relieved against it as given for Marriage-Brokage, and *C.* insists it was for her Service and Attendance; the Court will direct Issues to try whether the Bond was given in Consideration of the Marriage, or for what other; whether it was made payable on the Marriage, or when, and whether the Annuity was granted in Consideration of the Bond, or procuring the Marriage, or what other Consideration, and if any other Consideration, or Time, to be indorsed; if the Bond was given for the Marriage, and delivered up when the Annuity confirmed, it will be Marriage-Brokage; if the Annuity free from corrupt Management, and the Bond only given because *B.* not then of Age, otherwise. *Cole v. Gibson*, T. 1750. 1 Vezey 503.]

(3 Z. 9.) What shall be done if the Marriage is disappointed.

If a Copyhold is surrendered to *B.* and *C.* who intend to be Husband and Wife, for their Lives, and he dies before the Marriage, and she enjoys it for thirty years; she shall be decreed to surrender, and to account for the Profits. 1 Ver. 432.

[If *A.* an old Man, in Contemplation of a Marriage to his own Prejudice, and to the Benefit of *B.* to whom he is indebted 1050*l.* by Lease and Release grants to Trustees to the Use of *B.* for Life, then to Trustees to preserve contingent Remainders, then as to such Lands, &c. as *B.* shall think proper, to Trustees for the Life of such Person as *B.* shall appoint in Trust for such Person, and for want of Appointment to *C.* for 500 Years, to raise Portions for *B.*'s younger Children, and then to the Use of the Heirs of the Body of *B.* and for want thereof, to such Person, &c. as *B.* should appoint, with Power to charge it with 1000*l.* and that *B.* may revoke Appointment, and make new, and for want of Appointment to *B.* and her Heirs; and *B.* afterwards appoints the Lands, &c. and the Reversions expectant on her Death, if she dies before her Marriage with *A.* to *A.* and his Heirs, he paying 700*l.* to, &c. and afterwards makes a new Appointment of the Premises after her Death to *A.* for Life, then to the Heirs of their Bodies, then to *D.*, &c.; *A.* dies, *B.* levies a Fine to herself and Heirs, many Years after Bill is filed by Heir at

at Law, *B.* pleads purchase, over-ruled, then suffers Recovery; the Heir at Law is barred of legal Right, nor is there Ground to give Relief in Equity, on Fraud, intended Marriage not taking Effect, or Mistake, but if Heir at Law will try it at Law, the Court will remove the 500 Years Term. *Langley v. Brown*, T. 1741. 2 *Atkyns* 195.]

[If a Person who has made Addresses for some Time, and has reasonable Expectation of Success, makes Presents, and the Lady deceives him afterwards, the Presents or Value shall be returned; but if they are made by a Person to introduce himself, he is to be looked on as an Adventurer, especially if their Fortunes are disproportionate, and the Presents or Value shall not be returned. *Robinson v. Cumming*, T. 1742. 2 *Atkyns* 409.]

(3 Z. 10.) Or, the Portion is not all paid.

If by Marriage-Articles, in Consideration of 3000*l.* Portion, *A.* is bound to settle 300*l.* per Ann. and afterwards it appears that 1000*l.* of the Portion was upon a prior Marriage agreed to be applied otherwise; the Husband shall be decreed to answer this 1000*l.* being bound by the Covenant of the Wife *dum sola*. R. 2 *Ver.* 448.

[If *A.* by Will makes his Son *B.* Tenant for Life without Waste, with Power to make Jointure not exceeding 100*l.* per Annum, for every 1000*l.* Portion received; with further Power to settle Money on younger Children, and *B.* marries *C.* who has 10,000*l.* 2000*l.* whereof is settled to continue at Interest to increase the Portions of younger Children as *B.* and *C.* shall appoint, or in Default, equally, if any, if none, to the Survivor of *B.* and *C.* in the mean Time, the Interest to *B.* for Life; this shall be considered as a Portion of 10,000*l.* received by *B.* and he may settle accordingly. *E. Tyrconnel v. D. Ancafter*, T. 1754. 2 *Vezey* 499.]

(3 Z. 11.) When a Marriage-Settlement shall pursue the Articles strictly.

[If Articles are entered into before Marriage, and Settlement after Marriage differs from them, the Court will set up the Articles against the Settlement. *Legg v. Goldwire*, M. 10 G. 2. C. T. T. 20.]

[But if both Articles and Settlement are previous to the Marriage, the Settlement shall controul the Articles. *Ibid.*]

[Except the Settlement is expressly said to be in pursuance and Performance of the Articles. *West v. Erissey*, M. 13 G. *Ibid.*]

If Marriage-Articles are executed, the Settlement ought to be made strictly pursuant to the Articles; and Equity will decree accordingly.

And therefore, if the Articles are, that the Settlement shall be *to the Husband and Wife for Life, Remainder to the Heirs of their Bodies*; the Court will decree an Estate-Tail to the Son. *Eq. Ca.* 130, 165*.

And if the Husband, without the Consent of the Trustees, or of the Son, then being of full Age, devises the Estate to the eldest Son for Life, Remainder to his first and other Sons in Tail Male; the Devise not being pursuant to the Articles shall be avoided. R. *Eq. Ca.* 130. *

So, if a Bill is brought for Execution of the Articles, the Court will direct a strict Settlement. *Eq. Ca.* 131. * R. F. g. 38. * 2d Part of 2 *Mod. Ca.*

As, if the Articles are for a Settlement, *within two Years, to the Use of B. for Life, Remainder to the Heirs of his Body*, and if not made, to stand seised to the same Uses; the Court will direct a strict Settlement. R. 1 *P. W.* 622.

[If by Articles previous to Marriage of *A.* with *B.* *A.* covenants with *B.*'s Father, to settle Lands to *A.* for Life, *B.* for Life, and then to the Issue of this Match, in such Sort, Manner and Form, and subject to such Charges for younger Children as *A.* shall appoint; and it is agreed, that all further Covenants for assuring the Premises to the said Uses, or others to be agreed on by all the Parties, shall be contained in the Settlement; if there is a Daughter

an only Child of the Marriage, she shall have all the Land as Tenant in Tail, and the Son of a second Marriage shall convey to her. *Hart v. Middleburst*, T. 1746. 3 *Atkyns* 371.]

(3 Z. 12.) When it shall pursue the Intent of the Articles.

But where by Articles it is agreed, that the Settlement shall be to the Husband and Wife for Life, Remainder to their Issues of their Bodies; if the Father afterwards, with the Consent of the Trustees, makes a Settlement upon his Son for Life, and to his Wife for Life, Remainder to preserve contingent Estates, Remainder to the first and other Children of that Marriage in Tail; the Court will not avoid it. *R. Eq. Ca.* 130, 132. *

* 2d Part of
2 *Mod. Ca.*

So, if the Father makes a Settlement upon the Son for Life, with Power to make a Jointure upon another Wife, of 600l. per Ann. Remainder ut supra; the Son cannot make a larger Jointure, tho' he had an Estate-Tail by the Articles. *Eq. Ca.* 131. *

So, if the Father makes a Settlement pursuant to Articles, tho' it varies from a strict Settlement, and gives an Estate in Tail General to the Wife, upon Default of Issue Male; the Court will not avoid it. *R. Eq. Ca.* 131. *

[If Part of an Estate is limited to Husband for Life, Remainder to Wife for Life, and after Death of Survivor to Heirs of the Body of Wife by Husband, and other Part to Husband for Life, Remainder to Heirs of his Body, Remainder to Wife; the Whole shall not be decreed in strict Settlement, for it appears that Part was intended to be left in the Power of the Father, other Part not in his Power alone. *Howel v. Howel*, T. 1751. 2 *Vezey* 358.]

(4 A.) Mortgage.

(4 A. 1.) The Nature of it.

A Mortgage is but a Pledge, or Security for Money in its Nature. *Co. Lit.* 205. *Ca. Ch.* 285. *Eq. Abr.* 311.

And shall be taken as Part of the Personal Estate. *Ca. Ch.* 285.

A Mortgage is redeemable in its Nature; and therefore, a Covenant that it shall not be redeemed, is void. 2 *Vent.* 364, 5. 2 *Ca. Ch.* 61.

And 'till Redemption, the Estate is in the Mortgagee, by Law and Equity. 2 *Ca. Ch.* 97.

So a Covenant, that it shall not be redeemed after the Death of the Mortgagor, &c. is void, and it shall be always redeemable. 2 *Ca. Ch.* 61.

So, if the Agreement be, that A. or his Heirs Male may redeem; the Heir General, or Assignee may redeem. *R.* 2 *Ca. Ch.* 148. 1 *Ver.* 33, 190.

But by the St. 4 & 5 W. & M. 16. If any mortgage Land for a valuable Consideration, and give not Notice in Writing under Hand, before executing it, of a former Mortgage on All or Part of the same Land, such second Mortgagee shall hold as an absolute Purchaser, freed from Equity of Redemption, in respect to the Mortgagor, his Heirs, Executors, Administrators or Assigns.

So, if he give not such Notice of a former Judgment, Statute, or Recognizance, given for Security of Money or like valuable Consideration, unless, on Notice thereof, under Hand and Seal of Mortgagee attested by two Witnesses, the Mortgagor discharge such former Incumbrance in six Months after.

(4 A. 2.) What shall be said to be a Mortgage.

If a Man upon Marriage agrees to make a Settlement for a Jointure, and to the Intent that the Land be discharged of 900l. after the Death of the Jointress to A. and his Heirs, upon Trust for the Husband and his Heirs, if he pays the 900l. within three Years, but if he does not pay it, or dies, in Trust for the Wife and her Heirs for Discharge of the Debt and her greater Advancement; this is a Mortgage, for artificial Words do not alter the Nature of it. *R.* 2 *Ca. Ch.*

So, if a Man makes a Mortgage, and by the same Deed covenants that it shall not be redeemed but during his Life; yet it is a Mortgage, and shall be always redeemable, as well after his Death as before. 2 *Ca. Ch.* 61.

So, if the Condition is, that he or the Heirs Male of his Body may redeem. *R. 1 Ver.* 33, 190. 2 *Ca. Ch.* 148.

So, if upon a Bill for Foreclosure against the Mortgagor and his Creditors, one Creditor redeems by the Consent of the others, and the Mortgage is assigned to him, whereupon he agrees, that if the other Creditors pay him his Debt before such a Day, they may redeem; this gives them a new Equity of Redemption, and they may redeem twenty Years afterwards. *R. 1 Ver.* 138.

If a Man makes a conditional Surrender of a Copyhold, *to be void on Payment of 200l. at such a Day, and if he does not pay it, that on Payment of such other Sum the Mortgagee shall be a Purchaser*; the Surrenderer dies before the Day of Payment, and the 200l. not being paid, the Surrenderer pays the other Sum to his Administrator: It continues a Mortgage, and the Surrenderer or his Heir shall redeem on Payment of the whole Principal and Interest. *1 Ver.* 488.

If *A.* for 300l. grants 60l. *per Ann.* for seven Years, it shall be redeemed on Payment of the Principal and Arrears. *Dub. 2 Ver.* 288.

[If *A.* intitled to an Annuity, on Personal Security, of 200l. being a Prisoner, by Indenture sells to *B.* 150l. *per Ann.* part of said Annuity, for 1050l. with Proviso, that if *A.* desires at any Time to purchase back said 150l. on six Months Notice, *B.* on Payment of said 1050l. (all Arrears of Annuity being paid) shall re-assign, and there is an Indorsement, that if *A.* should repurchase or redeem, he shall pay 75l. more; this is only a Loan of Money. *Lawley v. Hooper, M.* 1745. 3 *Atkyns* 278.]

If a Conveyance be of 200l. *per Ann.* for 250l. to the Father, who afterwards exhibits a Bill for Foreclosure, but does not proceed further; it shall be taken for a Mortgage, tho' there were long Leases, and no Redemption for twenty-seven Years. *R. 1 Ch. R.* 222.

If a Conveyance be absolute, but the Vendee agrees by Writing under Hand and Seal to accept his Money within a Year, it shall be redeemable. *R. 2 Ver.* 84.

(+ A. 3.) What not.

But an absolute Conveyance shall not be deemed a Mortgage, tho' it be made for an Under-value, if it does not appear to be so intended at the Time of the making, by Condition in the same, or by other Writing, &c. *D. Ca. Ch.* 2.

[Nor because there is an incongruous Covenant in the Deed; as, that the Vendor should not do so and so with the Estate, especially if there has been long Acquiescence in the Grantee's Possession *Cotterel v. Purchase, H.* 8 G. 2. *C. T.* 61.]

Tho' the Purchaser afterwards declare, *that he will take his Money given for the Consideration of the Conveyance, at any Time, with Damages for it*, or the like Words: For if it be not a Mortgage *in Principio*, it shall not be made so by Parol Agreement afterwards. *Ca. Ch.* 2. *R. 1 Ver.* 268.

So, it shall not be deemed a Mortgage, if there be not a mutual Remedy, for the Mortgagor to have a Redemption, and for the Mortgagee to enforce the Payment of his Money. *D. Ca. Ch.* 2. *Vide 1 Ver.* 395.

As, if a Man, in Consideration of 1000l. paid to him by another, who had married his Cousin, conveys Land to him and his Heirs, with a Proviso, *that if he pays the Principal and Interest during his Life, the other shall re-convey, and if he does not pay, that his Heirs shall not redeem*: It is not a Mortgage; for it was intended as a Settlement, and the Mortgagee could not foreclose during the Mortgagor's Life. *R. 2 Vent.* 365. 2 *Ca. Ch.* 60. *1 Ver.* 8, 215, 232.

So, if Mortgage be for 500l. and Mortgagor covenants to pay 700l. to his Wife after his Death, and afterwards devises the Lands to his Wife, *if the* 700l.

700*l.* is not paid at the Time, she paying the Mortgage; if the 700*l.* is not paid, the Land shall not be afterwards redeemable on Payment of the 700*l.* and 500*l.* with Interest. *Semb. per Hale, Hard. 511.*

If *A.* devise Lands to *B.* upon Condition that he pay 500*l.* to his Daughter, within six Months after, otherwise, to the Daughter and her Heirs; it shall not be construed a Mortgage, but the Daughter shall take by the Limitation, if the 500*l.* be not paid. *R. 1 Ver. 402, 430.*

Yet, where a Settlement is made on Daughters and their Heirs, until he in Remainder pay 300*l.* to the Daughters; it shall be in the Nature of a Security for the Money, and the other Incumbrancers, as well as he in Remainder, shall redeem, and the Daughters account for the Rents and Profits, but not sink the Principal (annually as in the Case of a common Mortgage) till one Third of the Portion be raised. *R. 2 Ver. 523, 577.*

[Law and Equity will make a strong Presumption in favour of Twenty-one Years uninterrupted Possession, tho' Circumstances seem to shew that the Inheritance was not intended to be conveyed. *Cooke v. Cooke, M. 1740. 2 Atk. 67.*]

(4 A. 4.) Who may redeem.

Altho' a Mortgage be forfeited, it may be afterwards redeemed in Chancery, on Payment of Principal, Interest, and Charges.

An Equity of Redemption is an inherent Right to the Land, which binds those, who come to it in the *Post*, or otherwise. *Hard. 469.*

Tho' it be the King himself. *Semb. Hard. 469.*

And the Heir, or Executor may redeem. *1 Ch. R. 186.* says, the Heir shall redeem, and not the Executor.

If the Executor has Assets, the Heir may compel him to redeem for his Benefit. *Per Hale, Hard. 512.*

If an Annuity be granted out of Land, with a Proviso for Redemption, it may be redeemed. *1 Ver. 209.*

He, who comes in by a voluntary Conveyance, may redeem. *1 Ver. 193. Eq. Abr. 315.*

If Land be devised by the Mortgagor, the Devisee shall redeem, and not the Heir. *1 Ch. R. 191.*

If a Mortgage be made before Marriage, and afterwards the same Land is settled upon the Wife for a Jointure, the Wife may redeem, and after her Death the Executors of the Wife shall hold the Land, till the Mortgage, allowing a third Part, is satisfied by the Perception of the Profits, or Redemption. *Ca. Ch. 271. R. Ch. R. 475. 1 Ch. R. 220. Eq. Ab. 219, 222.*

So, if Articles are made for a Marriage-Settlement, and afterwards the Land is mortgaged to a Man, who has no Notice of the Articles, the Wife shall redeem, &c. *R. 2 Vent. 343.*

[If by Articles and by Settlement, both previous to Marriage, Lands are settled on *A.* for Life, then *B.* for Life, and then to the Heirs-male of *A.* on *B.* begotten, and *A.* suffers Recovery, and mortgages to *C.* whose Representative with *A.* convey their Interest and the Equity of Redemption to *D.* and one Person was concerned for all Parties in the Mortgage and Assignment; the Court will not set aside the Mortgage, *A.* having been Tenant in Tail, but will give his Son leave to redeem. *D. Warrick v. Warrick, H. 1745. 3 Atkyns 291.*]

So, if a Settlement be made after a Mortgage, a remote Remainder-man, to whom the Settlement was voluntary, shall have the Equity of Redemption. *Semb. Ca. Ch. 220.*

So a Man, intitled by Settlement, shall redeem, and not the Heir-General, tho' he pays it. *1 Ver. 182.*

If *A.* and his Wife mortgage the Estate of the Wife, and the Husband covenants to pay, and afterwards does pay, but takes an Assignment to himself; it shall be decreed to the Heir of the Wife. *R. in Parl. 2 Ver. 438.*

If a Mortgagee purchases the Reversion, the Heir shall not be suffered to try the Title at Law, before he will declare whether he will redeem. *1 Ch. R. 169.*

If a Man makes a Mortgage, or acknowledges a Statute, and afterwards gives a Judgment or Mortgage to another, the second Person shall redeem the first Incumbrance. *Semb. Ca. Ch. 36. Cont. 1 Mod. 115. Acc. Ch. R. 52. 2 Ver.*

663. But the Conizee of a Judgment shall not be aided against a Purchaser in Equity, unless he had express Notice of the Judgment before his Purchase. *R. Ca. Ch. 37.*

Nor, if he had the Conizor of the Judgment in Execution. *Semb. Cont. Ca. Ch. 37.*

[If the Inheritance of Land mortgaged for a Term be conveyed by a defeasible but equitable Title, and afterwards conveyed to another by a legal and equitable Title, the Latter shall have the Equity of Redemption. *Hagshaw v. Yates; M. 6 G. Str. 240.*]

[If A. obtains Judgment against B. on a Promise of Marriage, and before Execution B. mortgages his whole Effects, and goes Abroad; A. shall be allowed to redeem. *King v. Marishal, M. 1744. 3 Atkyns 192.*]

[A Judgment-creditor must take out Execution before he is intitled to redeem. *Shirley v. Watts, M. 1744. 3 Atkyns 200.*]

[If there is only an Equity of Redemption in a legal Estate in a Debtor, (the legal Estate being in a Mortgagee) a Plaintiff at Law, who has lodged an *Elegit* or *Fieri Facias* with the Sheriff, may come into Equity to redeem a subsequent Incumbrancer, and for Discovery of the Consideration of the Assignment. *Burdon v. Kennedy, T. 1757. 3 Atkyns 739.*]

So a Creditor by Judgment shall be preferred in the Redemption to a Creditor by Statute. *R. 1 Ver. 293, 4.*

If a Man makes a voluntary Conveyance, and afterwards mortgages the Land; tho' the Conveyance is fraudulent and void as to the Mortgagee, yet it is sufficient to give the Equity of Redemption. *R. Ca. Ch. 59.*

If a Mortgagor becomes Bankrupt, the Assignee of the Commissioners of Bankrupt shall have the Equity of Redemption. *Dub. Ca. Ch. 71. Adm. 2 Ver. 156.*

[If A. confesses a Judgment, which is not to take place till after the Death of a Person, and during his Life the mortgaged Estate descends from A. to his Heir, who mortgages it to B. who has no Notice of the Judgment, the Heir becomes Bankrupt before the Death of the Person, B. is appointed Assignee; the Representative of the Judgment-creditor shall redeem, and not the Assignee. *Stonebrower v. Thompson, M. 1742. 2 Atkyns 440.*]

If an Administrator makes a Mortgage of a Term, which he has as Administrator, his Executor shall redeem, and not the Administrator *de bonis non*, &c. *Ca. Ch. 224.*

If Land be settled upon the Wife for a Jointure, and afterwards the Husband and Wife join in a Mortgage, and the Husband dies, the Wife may redeem, paying a third Part, and the Heir two Parts of the Principal Money; and if the Wife pays more than a third Part, her Executor shall hold the Land till the Residue is satisfied. *R. 2 Ca. Ch. 100.* But there the Money borrowed was to rebuild the Tenements settled; and there was a *parol* Agreement that she should redeem.

So the Wife may redeem, if the Redemption be limited by the Husband alone to him and his Heirs. *1 Ver. 213.*

So the Heir, or Assignee may redeem, tho' the Redemption be limited only for his Life, or to the Heir Male, &c. *Vide Ante, (4 A. 1.)*

(4 A. 5.) At what Time.

No certain Time is limited for the Redemption of a Mortgage. *Ca. Ch. 102. Eq. Ab. 313.*

But after twenty Years (which by the Statute of Limitations, is allowed for Entry) Chancery will not admit a Mortgagor to redeem, without special Cause. *Semb. 20 Car. 2. Ca. Ch. 102. R. 22 Car. 2. 2 Vent. 340. Semb. 23 Car. 2.*

Ca. Ch. 220. *1 Ch. R.* 128, 206. *Eq. Ca.* 185. *Eq. Abr.* 315. *Jenner v. Tracy, P.* 1731. *Belch v. Harvey, M.* 1736. *3 P. W.* 288.

And if a Bill be for Redemption after, the Defendant shall plead, or demur to it. *Ca. Ch.* 102. *1 Ch. R.* 184. *Jenner v. Tracy, P.* 1731. *Belch v. Harvey, M.* 1736. *3 P. W.* 288.

Yet Redemption of a Mortgage after twenty Years is allowed in Case of Infancy, or Coverture, &c. which are excepted by the Statute. *2 Vent.* 340. *1 Ch. R.* 193, 4. *Jenner v. Tracy, P.* 1731. *Belch v. Harvey, M.* 1736. *3 P. W.* 288.

[After the Disability removed, ten Years should be the Rule in Equity, as it is in the Proviso in the Statute of Limitations. *Per Talbot, C. Jenner v. Tracy, P.* 1731. *Belch v. Harvey, M.* 1736. *3 P. W.* 288.]

[After Twenty-five Years Possession, the Court will order a Redemption on Defendant's Consent, but not otherwise. *Procter v. Oates, H.* 1742. *2 Atk.* 140.]

[Coverture is no Excuse for not redeeming a Mortgage, for if a Woman becomes afterwards discover the Statute of Limitations will run from that Time; even tho' she marries again, it will run after the second Marriage. *Anon. T.* 1742. *2 Atkyns* 333.]

[Nor Tenancy by the Curtesy; for it is of no Consequence to the Mortgagee who has the Equity of Redemption, if they do not make use of it they shall be barred. *Ibid.*]

[But if seventeen Years after the Mortgage, and twelve Years before filing the Bill to redeem, the Mortgagor's Agent settles an Account in order to pay off the Mortgage, it will save the Redemption. *Ibid.*]

So Redemption shall be allowed, before the Day for Payment fixed at many Years Distance. *1 Ver.* 184, 394.

So, Redemption of an Estate, extended upon a Judgment by *Elegit*, is allowed at any Time, tho' a prior Bill for Redemption is dismissed. *1 Ver.* 397, 8. 468.

[If *A.* and his Wife, by Lease and Release and Fine, convey two Messuages to *B.* and his Heirs, till he shall receive by the Rents 50 *l.* and Interest, and then to the Use of *A.* for Life, Remainder to the Wife for Life, &c.; there never can be a Forfeiture, and no Bar arises from Length of Time, the Mortgagee being only in the Nature of Tenant by *Elegit*. *Yates v. Hambly, T.* 1742. *2 Atkyns* 360.]

Allowed upon a Mortgage after a Possession for sixty Years, where the Mortgagor agreed that the Mortgagee should hold till he was satisfied. *1 Ver.* 418. *Eq. Abr.* 314.

After forty Years and three or four Descents, where there was Infancy or Coverture for the greatest Part of the Time, and an Account with the Mortgagee, and Bill for Foreclosure. *2 Ver.* 377. *Eq. Abr.* 314.

So Redemption was allowed, after a Fine by the Mortgagee, and Non-claim. *1 Ver.* 132.

So, after a Foreclosure against the Mortgagor, upon a prior Mortgage and a Purchase since the Decree. *R. Ch. R.* 408.

So Redemption was allowed, after Release of the Equity, where the Estate was of greater Value, and therefore probable, that the Release was upon other Trusts, which did not then appear. *Ca. Ch.* 107.

But after the Equity foreclosed against the Mortgagor, a remote Remainderman shall not redeem an antient Mortgage, tho' no Party to the Decree of Foreclosure. *R. Ca. Ch.* 220.

So, after a Mortgage, &c. for many Years, no Redemption shall be against a Purchaser, and a Possession for thirty Years. *1 Ch. R.* 144, 5.

[If *A.* agrees with *B.* for the Purchase of certain Messuages, and *A.* desires *C.* to advance the Purchase-money, the Premises to be conveyed to *C.* but redeemable by *A.* on paying *C.* Principal and Interest, and *C.* pays the Money, has the Conveyance, and continues in Possession for upwards of thirty Years without an Account being demanded, *C.* is intitled to an absolute Estate. *Yates v. Hambly, T.* 1742. *2 Atkyns* 360.]

So, where sixty Years were elapsed, and tho' a Redemption was attempted at the End of thirty Years, there was Acquiescence for thirty Years after, no Redemption was allowed. 2 Ver. 418. Eq. Abr. 314.

[If a Lease for sixty Years is granted as a collateral Security for Money secured by a Recognizance also; at the Expiration of the Term the Inheritance shall be reconveyed, on Payment of what is due. Toomes v. Canset, M. 1745. 3 Atkyns 261.]

[The Assignee of the Equity of Redemption, tho' for a very small Consideration, shall redeem, if the Bill is brought to redeem within fifteen Years of the Time when it appeared plainly to be a Mortgage; but he shall be confined only to surcharge and falsify, and Interest shall be allowed at five per Cent. Anon. P. 1746. 3 Atkyns 313.]

[If A. conveys Lands to B. and there is an Agreement by separate Articles, that on A.'s repaying the Money advanced, and 50*l.* for Improvements that B. might make, B. shall reconvey; A.'s Son may redeem twelve Years afterwards, in one Year after coming of Age. Baker v. Wind, M. 1748. 1 Vezey 160.]

(4 A. 6.) Upon what Terms one may redeem.

[If Oppression appears in the Mortgagee, the Court will direct in the Decree every Thing to be taken most strongly against him. Mitford v. Featherstonhaugh, T. 1752. 2 Vezey 445.]

If a Mortgagor redeems, he ought to pay Principal, Interest and Costs.

If Husband and Wife, in Right of Wife, by Fine make a Mortgage for 300*l.* and 200*l.* Part thereof is afterwards repaid, and then the Husband borrows of the Mortgagee more Money, which is indorsed upon the Mortgage; tho' no other Fine was levied, yet the Heir shall not redeem without Payment of the Whole; for the Mortgagee has a Right in Law, and has Equity for all the Money. R. 2 Ca. Ch. 98. Vide Prior Incumbrance, Post, (4 A. 10.)

If a Man in Remainder after an Estate for Life redeems a Mortgage, he shall pay only Two-thirds. 1 Ver. 404. Ca. Ch. 271.—Tenant for Life shall pay Two-fifths, and he in Remainder Three-fifths. 2 Ver. 267.

But if he in Remainder does not pray a Redemption till the Life determines, he shall pay the Whole, having Interest abated during the Life. R. 1 Ver. 404.

If he, who has an Equity of Redemption only for Life, will redeem, the Mortgagee ought to exhibit a Cross Bill, That the Land may be sold, and after Payment of the Mortgage, &c. the Surplus be divided amongst the Tenant for Life and them in Remainder. 2 Ver. 117.

If a Mortgagee enters upon Forfeiture of the Mortgage, he shall be allowed upon his Account, when the Mortgagor redeems, Interest for the Interest due at his Entry. D. Ca. Ch. 258.

So, if an Account be stated between the Mortgagor and Mortgagee, Interest shall be allowed for the Whole due upon the Account. Ch. R. 409. Dub. 2 Ver. 392.

So an Assignee of a Mortgage shall be allowed Interest for all Interest due at the Time of the Assignment. R. Ca. Ch. 68, 258. Dub. 1 Ver. 169. Vide Ante, (3 S. 3, 4.)

So, if the annual Rent does not satisfy the Interest, the Mortgagee shall be allowed Interest for the Residue of the Interest covenanted to be paid; for he might have recovered Damages at Law for the Non-payment. 1 Ver. 194.

So, he shall be allowed all Costs expended at Law in defending his Mortgage against an Intail. R. 2 Ver. 536.

A Mortgagee shall be charged only for Profits received by him, not for Profits which he might have received. Ca. Ch. 258. Vide Ante, (2 A. 5, 6.)

A Mortgagee shall account for all Profits by him received, tho' he had Possession by Agreement from the Time of the Mortgage, and shall not set the Profits in Balance against the Interest. 1 Ver. 477.

Shall not have the Benefit of a Collateral Agreement to sell him so much of the Land for such a Price; for he can require his Principal and Interest only. 2 Ver. 520.

[The Court will not allow a Mortgagee more than Principal and Interest, tho' there was a private Agreement that he should have an Allowance for receiving the Rents. *French v. Baron, H. 1740: 2 Atkyns 120.*]

If a Mortgagee commits Waste, pending the Account upon a Bill for Redemption, the Court upon Affidavit and Motion will direct the Defendant to deliver Possession to the Plaintiff immediately, tho' he be a Pauper, upon Security to pay the Whole due upon the Account, when determined. 2 Ver. 392.

If an Advowson be Appendant to a Manor in Mortgage, and upon Avoidance the Mortgagee presents, an Injunction shall be granted to stay his Proceeding, if the Mortgagor tenders Payment of Principal, Interest and Costs. 2 Ver. 401.

Tho' the Mortgagee has a Bill to foreclose, and the Mortgagor no Bill to redeem; for until Decree of Foreclosure, the Mortgagee is but a Trustee for the Mortgagor, as to the Advowson. R. 2 Ver. 401, 550.

If the Mortgage was of an Estate in Fee and for Life, the Mortgagee shall account for all Profits received during the Life, tho' he lives for many Years, and not only for the Value of the Estate to be sold; tho' the Fee is not sufficient for the Money due at his Entry, and tho' the Redemption was not within twenty Years. R. Cont. but that reversed in Parl. Ca. Ch. 109.

If a Mortgagee has Judgment in Ejectment, and afterwards refuses to take Execution, he shall answer for the Profits, as in the Case of a voluntary Default. 1 Ver. 258.

So, if the Mortgagor becomes Bankrupt, and the Mortgagee, to prevent the Assignees getting Possession on an Ejectment by them, assists the Mortgagor with his Mortgage, to detain the Possession, and yet does not enter; he shall answer for the Profits from the Delivery of the Declaration in Ejectment. R. 1 Ver. 267.

So, if the Mortgagee, after Judgment in Ejectment and Possession, permits the Mortgagor to take the Profits to the Prejudice of other Incumbrancers, who would redeem him, he shall be charged with the Profits from the Time of his Entry. 1 Ver. 270.

If a Mortgagee covenants to make a Lease for four Years, and then the Mortgagor redeems, he shall not be subject to the Lease, unless where there was a Necessity for a Lease; for no Incumbrance by the Mortgagee binds the Mortgagor. R. Mod. Ca. in Eq. 1. *

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The Mortgagee of an Estate for Lives may renew them as they fall in, tho' he cannot compel the Mortgagor to do it, and it shall be added to the Mortgage-money. *Lucam v. Mertins, M. 17 G. 2. Wilf. 34.*

So, a Mortgagee shall not have the Benefit of a Covenant for Pre-emption, where he has both Parts of the Indenture in his Hands, and does not give Notice, or make Claim of the Covenant, before a Contract for Sale. Mod. Ca. in Eq. 21.

A Mortgagee in Possession shall not be obliged to quit the Estate to a Purchaser, till he pays him Principal, Interest, and Costs. *Davy v. Barker, P. 1737: 2 Atkyns 22.*

If the Purchaser of an Equity of Redemption upon an old Extent will redeem against A. who hath purchased the extended Interest; A. shall account for the Profits from the Time of his Purchase only, and the Profits before shall be balanced against the Interest. 2 Ch. R. 392.

[If A. a Mortgagee brings Bill to redeem against B. a Judgment-creditor who has one penny and two prior Judgments, which he has taken an Assignment of, in the same Estate, by Desire of the Mortgagee, and on a Decree for Sale, B. had been reported best Purchaser; A. shall pay him Interest for the accumulated Sum paid for the Judgments, 5 l. per Cent. on the Principal, and 4 l. per Cent. on the Interest, and B. shall account for the Profits received on the three Judgments. *Ashenbush v. James, H. 1745. 3 Atkyns 270.*]

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If *A.* exhibits a Bill to redeem a Mortgage, he shall not incumber the Account with the Breach of collateral Covenants, in the Lease of a Colliery. 2 *Ver.* 462, 520.

When a Man shall not redeem one Mortgage, without redeeming another Security, *Vide Post*, (4 *A.* 10.)

[A Mortgagor may redeem without paying off a Bond-debt; but the Heir at Law must, because the Estate becomes Assets. *Morret v. Palke*, T. 1740. 2 *Atkyns* 52.]

If the Mortgagor tenders the Money at the Day, the Mortgagee shall not have Interest for it from the Time of the Tender and Refusal, upon *Affidavit* that he had not made any Benefit of it. 2 *Ca. Ch.* 206.

[If there are Covenants on the Part of the Mortgagee in the Re-Assignment, he may refuse to take the Principal and Interest tendered, till he can advise whether he can safely execute; therefore the Deed should be left with him, and a Time appointed to pay after he may have advised. *Wiltshire v. Smith*, P. 1744. 3 *Atkyns* 89.]

So, after Forfeiture of a Mortgage, if the Mortgagee upon Discourse refuses Acceptance, and afterwards the Mortgagor makes a Tender at his House; tho' the Mortgagee was not present at the Tender. *R. Ca. Ch.* 29.

So, generally, he shall not have Interest upon Interest. 1 *Ver.* 194. *Vide Ante*, (3 *S.* 3, 4, 5.) *Vide supra*.

If *A.* mortgages a House, which by Accident becomes deficient to satisfy the Money, and afterwards is a Bankrupt; the House shall be sold, and the Mortgagee shall come in as a Creditor for the Money not satisfied. *Eq. Abr.* 312.

If the Mortgagee has devised the Lands to *A.* for Life, and afterwards to *B.* in Fee, *B.* shall have a Proportion of the Money, if the Mortgage is redeemed. 1 *Ver.* 70. *Vide Ante*, (3 *V.* 6.)

And the usual Proportion is, one Third to the Tenant for Life, and two Thirds to him in Fee. 1 *Ver.* 70.

[If a Man devises his Estate, already mortgaged to *A.* in Tail, the Reversion in Fee to the right Heirs of her Brother, of whom she is one, and *A.* levies Fine, and conveys to *B.* by Lease and Release, in Consideration of Money paid, and of paying 600 *l.* on the Mortgage, and paying Legacies charged on the Estate, and afterwards marries *B.* and previous thereto the Estate is settled on *B.* for Life, then to *A.* for ninety-nine Years, if she so long live, then to the Issue of the Marriage, with Remainder over; and afterwards *B.* takes Assignment of the Mortgage, and receives the Rents, and continues in Possession on *A.*'s Death; the Reversioners may redeem on paying their Share and Interest on the Mortgage, and on the Legacies paid, from the Time of *A.*'s Death only. *Amesbury v. Brown*, T. 1750. 1 *Vezey* 477.]

Vide Post, (4 *A.* 10.)

(4 *A.* 7.) When a Mortgage shall not be redeemed.

By the St. 4 & 5 *W. & M.* 16. If any mortgage Land for a valuable Consideration, and give not Notice in Writing under Hand, before executing it, of a former Mortgage on all or Part of the same Land, such second Mortgagee shall hold as an absolute Purchaser, freed from Equity of Redemption, in respect to the Mortgagor, his Heirs, Executors, Administrators or Assigns.

So, if he give not such Notice of a former Judgment, Statute, or Recognisance given for Security of Money, or like valuable Consideration, unless on Notice thereof under Hand and Seal of the Mortgagee attested by two Witnesses, the Mortgagor discharge such former Incumbrance in six Months after.

So, if such second Mortgagee assigns to another, it continues irredeemable. 2 *Ver.* 590.

If *A.* who has a subsequent Mortgage, redeems the second, he also shall hold, without Redemption. *Ibid.*

But if *A.* by Artifice obtains a second Mortgage, he shall not take any Benefit of the Statute, tho' he had no Notice of the prior Mortgage. *R. 2 Ver. 590.*

[If Relief is prayed where a Mortgagee is Party, it is praying to redeem; if on Reference they do not redeem, the Court will dismiss the Bill, which is equivalent to a Foreclosure. *Cholmley v. Countess Oxford, H. 1741. 2 Atkyns 267.*]

[If there is a Decree of Foreclosure in common Form, and the Money is not paid, and a long Time elapses, but no final Order of Foreclosure; this is a good Defence to a Bill for Redemption, but not by way of Plea. *Senbouse v. Earl, T. 1752. 2 Vezey 450.*]

[If *A.* transfers 2500*l.* East-India Stock to *B.* to secure 2000*l.* and Interest, and *B.* executes a *Deceazance*, and Twenty-one Years afterwards the Representative of *A.* brings Bill, the Court will not decree a Redemption. *Lockwood v. Ewer, P. 1742. 2 Atkyns 303.*]

(4 A. 8.) Assignment of a Mortgage.

If a Mortgagee assigns the Land mortgaged, to another after Forfeiture, the Mortgagor shall be admitted to a Redemption, upon a Bill against the Mortgagee and his Assignee. *R. Ca. Ch. 3.*

So, upon a Bill against the Mortgagee only; for the Assignee pleaded Outlawry in the Plaintiff, by which he was barred as against him, and the Cause was heard against the Mortgagee only. *Ca. Ch. 3.*

And such Assignment shall be taken as a new Mortgage at that Time. *Ca. Ch. 218.*

If the Mortgagee assigns without the Consent of the Mortgagor, it may be decreed, that the Mortgagee account for all the Profits before and since the Assignment. *R. Ca. Ch. 3.*

If a Mortgagee assigns, an Account between him and the Assignee does not bind the Mortgagor; but a Master of the Court ought to examine how much was then due, and how much paid. *R. Ca. Ch. 68.*

But the Mortgagor, if he redeems, ought to pay as much as was *bona fide* paid by the Assignee, and Interest for it. *Vide Ante, (4 A. 6.)*

So, if a Man purchases an Assignment of a Mortgage at an Under-value, he shall have the Benefit of it; and the Mortgagor shall not redeem against him, without paying the whole Money due upon the Mortgage and Interest for it. *1 Sal. 155. 1 Ver. 476.*

So, if *A.* mortgages for so much to be repaid within five Years and Interest annually, if the Mortgagee assigns before the five Years are expired, and after Forfeiture by Non-payment of the Interest; Interest shall be paid for the Sum paid by the Assignee, before the Mortgagor can redeem. *R. 2 Ver. 135.*

If a Mortgage be to *A.* his Executors and Assigns for Years; the Mortgagor shall be Tenant at Will to all the Assigns, as well as to the first Mortgagee. *Skin. 424. Vide Estates, (H. 1.)*

(4 A. 9.) A Mortgage belongs to the Executor, or Administrator of the Mortgagee.

Vide in Condition (G 2.)

If a Mortgage is redeemed, the Money ought to be paid to the Executor and not to the Heir of the Mortgagee; for it is a Part of the Personal Estate. *R. Ca. Ch. 88.* So, to the Administratrix. *R. 2 Ca. Ch. 52. 187. 1 Ver. 412.*

Tho' the Mortgage be in Fee, and the Condition be for Payment to the Mortgagee, his Heirs or Executors, and tho' the Executor does not want Assets, and there be no Covenant for Payment of the Money. *Cont. 1660. 1 Ch. R. 181. Cont. 11 Car. 1. Dub. 19 Car. 2. Ca. Ch. 88. R. upon solemn Debate, 28 Car. 2. per Finch, Ca. Ch. 285. D. 2 Ca. Ch. 52. R. 2 Ca. Ch. 187. 1 Ver. 412. 1 Ch. R. 254, 279. 2 Ch. R. 39.*

Whether the Mortgage be forfeited, or not forfeited, at the Death of the Mortgagee. *R. 33 Car. 2. 2 Vent. 351. 2 Ver. 193.*

And if the Heir exhibits a Bill for Foreclosure, without the Executor, or Administrator, it shall be dismissed on Demurrer. *R. Ca. Ch. 51. 2 Ca. Ch. 29.*

And if the Money is paid to the Heir, upon a Bill brought by the Executor, the Heir shall be decreed to pay it to him. *R. 31 Car. 1. 2 Vent. 348.*

Otherwise, if Payment was made to the Heir at the Day limited by the Mortgage. *Semb. 2 Ca. Ch. 221.*

So, before Payment, the Executor or Administrator, upon a Bill against the Heir and Mortgagor, may have a Decree for Payment to him. *R. 2 Ca. Ch. 221.*

So an Executor or Administrator, upon a Bill, may oblige the Heir to convey to him. *R. 2 Ca. Ch. 50. 1 Ver. 413.*

So, if the Mortgagor release the Equity of Redemption to the Heir of the Mortgagee, his Administrator shall have the Benefit of the Mortgage, tho' there be Assets sufficient. *2 Ver. 193.*

So an Executor or Administrator shall have the Mortgage, tho' the Mortgagee devises his Lands in *B.* where Part of the mortgaged Lands lie, but not all, to *A.* for the Devisee does not take the Mortgage. *R. 2 Ca. Ch. 52.*

So an Executor or Administrator shall have the Mortgage, tho' the usual Time for Foreclosure be elapsed. *2 Ver. 193.*

Tho' there were two Descents to the Heir since the Mortgagee entred, and the Mortgagor refused to redeem; if the Equity is not foreclosed, or released. *2 Ver. 367.*

So the Husband shall have the Mortgage of a Copyhold to his Wife and her Heirs, and not the Heir of the Wife. *Dub. 1 Ver. 170.*

So, if the Mortgagee devises the Lands in Mortgage to *A.* and the Heirs of his Body, Remainder to *B.* and afterwards the Mortgagor pays the Money to the Executor, *A.* shall have all the Money, and not the Interest only. *R. 1 Ch. R. 129.*

But if a Mortgagee, after a Possession of seven Years, sell to *A.* and his Heirs; the Estate goes to the Heir of the Purchaser, and shall not be taken as his Personal Estate. *1 Ver. 271.*

So, if a Mortgagee in Fee has Possession, and so much Time is elapsed, that the Estate is not redeemable, it goes to his Heir. *Semb. 2 Ver. 193.*

So, if a Mortgagee in Possession devises or conveys to a Daughter and her Heirs, and she marries and dies without Issue, the Husband shall not have the Money due upon the Mortgage, but the Land shall descend to the Heir of the Wife. *R. 2 Ver. 583. Eq. R. 2.*

(4 A. 10.) Prior Incumbrance.

If a Mortgagee advances more Money upon an old Mortgage without Notice *Vide Ante, (4 A. 6.)* of a Marriage Settlement intervening, it shall be allowed, notwithstanding such Settlement. *R. Ca. Ch. 119.*

So, if a Mortgagee without Notice of a prior Incumbrance or Mortgage, purchases, after Notice thereof, a Mortgage precedent to the second Mortgage or Incumbrance, he shall hold against the *mesne* Mortgage and Incumbrance, until the first and also the third Mortgage is discharged. *Per Hale in Chanc. 2 Vent. 338. Ca. Ch. 150, 162. R. Ca. Ch. 201. R. 2 Ca. Ch. 35. R. 1 Ver. 187.*

[The Reason why a prior Mortgagee who has a *puisne* Incumbrance, shall not be redeemed by a second Mortgage but on Payment of both, is, that he has the legal Estate, which the Court will not take from him unless he had Notice. *Morret v. Paske, T. 1740. 2 Atkyns 52.*]

[A Suit depending between Incumbrancers on other Estates of Mortgagor's, and his Judgment-creditors and his Representatives, known to a Purchaser, is Notice. *Ibid.*]

[The prior and the *puisne* Incumbrance cannot be tacked, unless they are the same Person in the same Right. *Ibid.*]

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[A Mortgage may be tacked to a Judgment, because the Judgment-creditors might bring Ejectment on *Elegit*, and have the legal Estate. *Ibid.*]

[An Agent, Trustee, Heir at Law, or Executor, purchasing a *pulsit* Incumbrance, shall as against another Incumbrancer be paid no more than he gave for it, otherwise of a prior Creditor, tho' he gave not the full Value. *Ibid.*]

[If a prior Incumbrancer has also a Bond, the Bond shall be postponed to all Incumbrances by Mortgage, Judgment, or Statute-staple. *Ibid.*]

[A. gives Judgment in 1698 for 600 *l.* to B. in 1707 they settle Accounts, and find 420 *l.* due on the Judgment, and A. gives B. a Mortgage for that Sum, as collateral Security to Judgment; in 1716 C. takes Assignment of Mortgage, reciting 90 *l.* (the Consideration) to be the full Value of the Estate; C. is in Possession of another Mortgage in 1688; C. shall not tack the two Mortgages, yet the Latter shall have Relation to the Judgment, and C. receive the Sum due on it prior to Creditors after 1698, and for the Money due since 1707, only prior to Creditors after 1707. *Ibid.*]

[A prior Judgment-creditor getting a subsequent Mortgage cannot tack it. *Anon. T. 1755. 2 Vezey 662. Sed q. Vide ante, Morret v. Paske.*]

[Tis a settled Rule, that a Judgment may be tacked to a prior Mortgage. *Shepherd v. Titley, T. 1744. 2 Atkyns 348.*]

[If A. mortgages his Estate to B. and then the same to C. and afterwards sells to D. a Fee-farm Rent issuing out of D.'s Lands, being Part of the mortgaged Premises, and then B. and D. agree, that on B.'s being paid his Mortgage-money, he will convey the Fee-farm Rent to D. who agrees in that Case not to sue A. yet C. shall be intitled to redeem B. and have an Assignment of his whole Security, and thereby to compel D. to redeem him as to the Fee-farm Rent. *Ibid.*]

If A. lends 100 *l.* to B. upon a Judgment, and C. lends 300 *l.* to B. upon a Mortgage, and a Term, before the Loan by A. was assigned to A. D. and F. to attend the Inheritance, and C. obtains an Assignment of the Term from B. and F. and afterwards A. having Notice thereof, takes an Assignment from A. B. and D. to E. in Trust for A. he shall be preferred as to two Parts of the Term. *R. 2 Ver. 525.*

If A. mortgages to B. and afterwards without B. to C. and afterwards with B. to D. and others; C. shall be preferred to D. and the others. *2 Ver. 574.*

If the Cognisee of a Statute agree with the Cognisor for Part of the Land in Satisfaction, he shall protect his Purchase by the Statute against a *mesne* Incumbrance. *Semb. Ca. Ch. 36.*

So if A. has a Mortgage of a Manor and Land, B. a second Mortgage, and C. has a Mortgage of the Land, and afterwards purchases the Mortgage of A. he shall hold the Manor as well as the Land, till he is satisfied both. *R. 2 Y. Cont. Ca. Ch. 202.*

So, if A. mortgages the Moiety of a Manor to B. and the Whole to C. and afterwards the Whole to D. and D. purchases the Mortgage of the Moiety to B. he shall hold that Moiety against C. till he is satisfied the Money paid to B. and also his own Money borrowed upon the Mortgage of the Whole to himself. *R. per Chanc. with Hale and Rainsford, 2 Vent. 339.*

But the Purchase of the first Mortgage protects the third Mortgage only for the Moiety of the Manor. *R. 2 Vent. 339.*

So, if a Purchaser, or second Mortgagee obtains a Statute, &c. prior to the first Mortgage, or before his Purchase, he shall have the Advantage. *1 Ver. 52.*

And a Receipt for the Money lent on the second Mortgage is sufficient, without Proof of actual Payment. *R. 2 Ver. 279.*

So, if a second Mortgagee purchases a Statute or Judgment prior to the first Mortgage, he shall be compelled by the first Mortgagee to account only for the Penalty of the Statute, and to the extended Value of the Land, till he is satisfied the Money due upon the Statute, and his second Mortgage: For if a Cognisor, at Common Law, sue a *Scire facias ad computand.* he shall not recover, if the Cognisee be not answered the Penalty of the Statute by the extended Value of the Land; tho' in Equity he shall recover, if the Cognisee is answered.

covered as much as is due upon the Statute by the true Value of the Land, but the second Mortgagee, having Equity for him, shall not account in Chancery, but as a Cognisee at Common Law. *R. 2 Vent. 338. Ca. Ch. 167. 1 Ver. 50. Hard. 318.*

But if the Statute extends to more Land than the second Mortgage, if first Mortgagee pays the Money upon the Statute in Proportion to the other Land, the other Land shall be discharged: And such Proportion may be determined by the Court. *Semb. 2 Vent. 339. Vide Ca. Ch. 167. R. That he shall have all the Land extended, until the Statute and last Mortgage are both satisfied. 2 J. Cont. Ca. Ch. 202.*

And if the second Mortgagee purchases a Statute or Judgment, &c. prior to the first Mortgage, he may plead it to a Bill by the first Mortgagee for Discovery of his Title. *2 Vent. 337. R. Ca. Ch. 150, 164.*

If a Man purchases a Lease for a valuable Consideration, without Notice of a Jointure, and afterwards gets a prior Judgment and extends it, he shall hold against the Jointress, until he is satisfied by the extended Value. *Ca. Ch. 247.*

But if he takes a Judgment at first, and after the Jointure takes a Lease of the Husband for a valuable Consideration, he shall not hold against the Jointress by the extended Value, if the Judgment is satisfied by the true Value. *R. Ca. Ch. 247.*

If *A.* has an Annuity out of the Manor of *B.* upon which *C.* has a Mortgage, and *D.* a subsequent Mortgage, Reversion to *E.* in Fee; *C.* without Notice of the Mortgage to *D.* pays 900 *l.* to *F.* and *A.* for the Purchase of the Annuity and Reversion of which only 500 *l.* to *A.* he shall hold the Annuity against *D.* till the 900 *l.* is satisfied. *R. 2 Ca. Ch. 20.*

If Husband and Wife by Fine mortgage the Land of the Wife for 400 *l.* and the Husband pays 200 *l.* and afterwards re-borrows as much of the Mortgagee; the Heir of the Wife shall not redeem, without Payment of the Whole. *1 Ver. 41. 2 Ca. Ch. 98. Vide infra.*

If a second Mortgagee purchases a prior Incumbrance, after a Bill against him by the first Mortgagee, it shall be allowed. *R. 2 Ver. 29, 81.*

[A *puisne* Incumbrancer cannot take in a first Incumbrance, and gain a Preference to a second, after a Decree with Direction to settle the Priorities; tho' he may *pendente lite*. *Wortley v. Birkhead, T. 1754. 2 Vesey 571. 3 Atkyns 809.*]

But if a Mortgage is made by Tenant for Life, upon Affidavit that he has the Fee, and after his Death the Mortgagee takes another Mortgage from the Son, who had the Inheritance, for other Money advanced to the Son, and then the Son makes a Mortgage to *B.* *B.* shall redeem on Payment of the Money advanced to the Son, without paying the first Mortgage made by the Father, who had not a Title. *R. 2 Ca. Ch. 23.*

Otherwise, if a Mortgagee by a good Title advances more Money without a Fine, by which there is a defective Title as to the second Mortgage, yet he shall hold till both Sums are paid; for he has a Title at Law, and the same Equity for the Money, as the Heir for the Land. *R. 2 Ca. Ch. 98. Vide supra.*

So, if the Mortgagee advances more Money to the Mortgagor on Bond, by which he binds himself and his Heirs; the Heir cannot redeem, without paying the Money on the Bond as well as on the Mortgage. *2 Ca. Ch. 164. 1 Ver. 244, 245. 2 Ver. 177.*

[A Mortgagee, who is also a Bond-creditor, may tack his Bond to his Mortgage as against the Heir; but not as against intervening Incumbrancers of a superior Nature. *Powis v. Corbet, T. 1747. 3 Atkyns 556.*]

Not in Preference to other Creditors under a Trust created by the Will of the Mortgagor for Payment of Debts. *Hemes v. Bance, H. 1747. 3 Atkyns 630.*

So, tho' the Bond be prior to the Mortgage. *2 Ch. R. 247.*

So, if the Assignee of a Mortgage has Money on Bond due to him from the Mortgagor. *2 Ch. R. 360.*

[So Mortgage to *A.* for Years, afterwards mortgage to *B.* in Fee, *A.* assigns to *C.* who advances more Money, and takes a Conveyance of the Inheritance, with Agreement that the Term should be kept on Foot as additional Security, but it is

not assigned to a third Person; C. shall be paid his whole Money; for the Term did not merge; the Grant being void, as the Grantor had nothing in him. *Hasket v. Strong, H. 12 G. Str. 689.*

[If A. gives Notes to B. expressing that the Money received is to be secured by Mortgage on his Estate at S. which Estate he had before mortgaged to C. and B. buys in a prior Mortgage; he shall protect himself against C. for the Notes as well as the first Mortgage. *Matthews v. Cartwright, T. 1742. 2 Atkyns 347.*]

So, if B. makes two Mortgages to A. and one is deficient, he shall not redeem the other, if he will not redeem both. *1 Ver. 245. 2 Ver. 207, 286.*

A Purchaser of a prior Incumbrance shall not have Advantage of it for securing another Debt, if he had not the Mortgage, or Purchase of the Land without Notice, before his Purchase of the Incumbrance. *R. Ch. R. 409.*

If the Executor of B. mortgages for the Term of 1000 Years to A. to whom 500 l. is due from B. the Executor of B. shall not redeem without Payment of the 500 l. due from B. to the Mortgagee, tho' B. had Personal Assets sufficient for Payment. *1 Ch. R. 249.*

[But if a Devisee in Trust for Payment of Debts, mortgages the Estate to a Creditor for Money let him, he cannot retain for the old Debt also, but for that shall come in *pari passu*. *Ithill v. Bene, H. 1748. 1 Vezey 215.*]

So, if a Statute is inrolled after the Time elapsed, by Order of Court, whereby a Judgment given since the Date is over-reached; if the Land be in Mortgage, whereby neither the Statute nor Judgment touch the Estate at Law, the Judgment shall be preferred. *Semb. 1 Ver. 234.*

If a Mortgagee gets a prior Incumbrance for a less Sum, he shall be allowed, upon his Account, the Whole due upon it. *1 Ver. 49, 336. R. 2 Ver. 66. Vide supra.*

So, if he gets a prior Statute, &c. and extends it after it was satisfied, the Mortgagor shall not be allowed Relief, without Payment of the Mortgage. *R. 2 Ver. 20.*

Otherwise, if an Heir or a Trustee purchases it at an Under-value. *1 Ver. 49.*

So, if a Mortgagor makes a Settlement for a Jointure, and afterwards the Mortgagee, without Notice of the Jointure, advances more Money; he shall hold against the Jointress till both Sums are paid. *Eq. Abr. 311.*

[If Land subject to the Payment of 500 l. and the Trustee for it is in Possession for several Years, and the Land is mortgaged; the Mortgagee shall not be affected by this Charge, for he may say the Land has borne its Burthen. *Moore v. Moore, T. 1755. 2 Vezey 596.*]

So, if a Deed, being a Security to A. for 200 l. is deposited with him for 300 l. more borrowed of A. as a Pledge, A. shall not be compelled to surrender the Deed till Payment of the 300 l. as well as of the 200 l. *R. Ch. R. 11.*

If Plate and Jewels are pledged to A. for 200 l. and within two Days after are pledged by A. with other Goods to B. for 300 l. who also lends to A. 50 l. on promissory Note, and A. becomes Bankrupt; the Pawnor shall not redeem, without paying to B. the 50 l. upon the Note and the 300 l. tho' no Proof of Agreement that the Plate, &c. should be a Pledge for the Note; but the other Goods shall be applied in the first Place. *R. 2 Ver. 691, 698.*

But if the Mortgage be of a Reversion for 200 l. upon Condition to redeem, if he paid 40 l. *per Ann.* for eight Years, he shall be allowed to redeem on Payment of Principal and legal Interest. *R. 1 Ver. 402.*

[If Tenant in Special Tail makes a Mortgage and dies, and the Remainderman brings Bill against an Attorney who had the Settlement, and the Mortgagee, and the Attorney by Answer submits to produce it as the Court shall direct, but before Hearing delivers it to the Mortgagee, the Court will not compel the Settlement to be delivered up. *Siddon v. Charnells, P. 1734. Bunb. 298.*]

[Where there is a subsequent Mortgagee without Notice, who has Possession of the Title-deeds, the first Mortgagee shall not compel him to deliver them, but on paying his Mortgage-money. *Head v. Egerton, P. 1734. 3 P. W. 280.*]

(4 A. 11.) Foreclosure of a Mortgage.

[A Bill of Foreclosure is not necessary on a Mortgage of Stock, tho' it is necessary on a Mortgage of Land. *Lockwood v. Ewer*, P. 1742. 2 *Atkyns* 303.]

After a Mortgage forfeited, the Mortgagee may exhibit his Bill against the Mortgagor, to make Redemption, or to be foreclosed.

But he cannot foreclose before the Mortgage is forfeited. 2 *Vent.* 365.

So he may exhibit a Bill against B. who hath a second Mortgage, tho' there are other Incumbrancers, who are not made Parties; and shall foreclose him and such as are Parties, tho' not others, who are not Parties. R. 2 *Ver.* 518.

So, upon a Bill to redeem, it may be decreed, that the Mortgagor shall redeem, if he pays at such a Day, and if he does not pay, that he be foreclosed.

So a Bill may be by the Heir to foreclose; but the Executor afterwards shall have the Money due upon the Mortgage. R. 2 *Ver.* 66, 7. *Vide Ante*, (4. A. 9.)

And upon a Bill for Foreclosure the Court only bars the Equity of Redemption, but does not decree the Possession generally, nor mend the Title of the Plaintiff. 2 *Ca. Ch.* 244.

[Infant foreclosed has six Months after coming of Age, to shew Cause against the Decree, but shall not ravel into the Account nor redeem, by paying what is reported due, but is only intitled to shew an Error in the Decree. *Ibid.* *Lyne v. Willis*, P. 1730. 3 *P. W.* 352.]

Bill against an Infant to redeem or be foreclosed; Decree shall be, that he be foreclosed, if on an Account now taken, the Infant do not pay the Whole due, within six Months after his full Age. 2 *Ver.* 392.

[*Feme Covert* intitled to equity of Redemption, shall be absolutely foreclosed tho' during Coverture; and no Day shall be given her or her Heirs to redeem, after Coverture determined. *Mallack v. Galton*, H. 1734. 3 *P. W.* 352.]

If Bill be against a second Mortgagee and an Infant, who has the Inheritance, there shall be a Foreclosure against the second Mortgagee, tho' the Infant has six Months after his full Age. 2 *Ver.* 518.

So, if the Mortgage be of a Reversion after an Estate for Life and for Years, a Foreclosure shall be decreed, to the Intent that the Mortgagee may sell for his Money, if the Mortgagor or his Heir will not redeem. R. 1 *Ch.* R. 32.

If an Annuity be granted with Power of Redemption and a Clause of Entry for Non-payment, and the Annuitant enters, he may have a Foreclosure, that the Annuity shall not be redeemed, not that the Land shall not. R. 1 *Ver.* 209.

But, after Foreclosure and an absolute Conveyance, the Mortgagee shall be subject to a Judgment, of which he had Notice before the Foreclosure. R. 2 *Ca. Ch.* 171.

Otherwise, if he had not Notice of it. *Ibid.*

So, after Foreclosure, a Redemption shall be admitted, upon an express Agreement subsequent, that the Mortgage shall be redeemable. *Semb. Ca. Ch.* 218.

So, after a Foreclosure and a Purchase afterwards made of the Mortgagee, where there was a subsequent Mortgage before the Foreclosure, of which the prior Mortgagee at the Time of his Foreclosure had Notice. R. *Ch.* R. 409.

So, if the first Mortgagee exhibits a Bill against the second to redeem or to be foreclosed, and, after a Decree for Foreclosure, devises to the Mortgagor; the second Mortgagee shall redeem against the Mortgagor, notwithstanding the prior Decree for Foreclosure. R. 2 *Ver.* 235.

So a second Mortgagee, &c. shall redeem after a Decree for Foreclosure against the Mortgagor. 2 *Ver.* 663, 601.

So, if Creditors by Bill pray a Sale of an Estate, and pending the Bill the Mortgagee obtains a Decree for Foreclosure, the Creditors may afterwards redeem. R. *Eq. Ca.* 15. *

But if a second Mortgagee redeems a prior after a Foreclosure, the prior Mortgagee shall be allowed all Expences, (to be taxed as the Bill of a Solicitor) which

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which he was at, in obtaining the Foreclosure, before his Principal and Interest shall be sunk by the Profits. *R. 2 Ver. 183.*

So, after a Decree for Foreclosure, *Chancery* will enlarge the Time for Redemption, in a Case of Necessity; as where Defendant was hindered by a Time of Rebellion, from paying at the Day limited by the Decree. *R. Ca. Ch. 64.*

Tho' the Decree be signed and inrolled. *Ibid.*

[If Mortgagee brings Bill for a Foreclosure against the Mortgagor, and subsequent Mortgagees, and the Mortgagor acquiesces, and then the subsequent Mortgagees purchase in the first; the Foreclosure cannot regularly be kept open on the Mortgagor's bringing a Bill against the subsequent Mortgagees, suggesting that all the Money secured on his Estate, except the first Mortgage, was won at Play, and forfeited to the Heir at Law, who has assigned it in Trust for him, and praying to redeem on paying what was *bonâ fide* lent, but he may have the Advantage of any Equity at the Hearing, notwithstanding the Foreclosure; yet the Court may (and in this Case did) indulge the Mortgagor with a short Time. *Fleetwood v. Jansen, M. 1742. 2 Atkyns 467.*]

If the Defendant by his Answer offers to redeem, he shall not be foreclosed, tho' Circumstances afterwards vary. *1 Ver. 448.*

[If there is clear Tenancy in Tail, the Remainder-man need not be a Party to a Bill of Foreclosure; if there is an express Estate for Life, he must. *Sutton v. Stone, M. 1740. 2 Atkyns 101.*]

[A Mortgagee of a Copyhold not in Possession, may bring his Bill before Admittance for Foreclosure, and after Decree bring Ejectment. *Ibid.*]

[A Mortgagee suing for a Foreclosure, may at the same Time bring Ejectment at Law. *Booth v. Booth, T. 1742. 2 Atkyns 343.*]

[The Mortgagee of a naked Advowson should not bring a Bill of Foreclosure, but should pray a Sale of the Advowson. *Mackenzie v. Robinson, T. 1747. 3 Atkyns 559.*]

(4 A. 12.) When it shall be annulled.

If a Mortgage is antient, and no Interest paid or demanded, it shall be presumed to be satisfied, and *Chancery* will enforce the Vacating or Delivery of it to the Purchaser, where the Possession, for sixty Years, has been free. *1 Ch. R. 105.*

[Tho' there has been no Demand of Principal or Interest for twenty Years, yet a Mortgage shall not be presumed satisfied, for the Mortgagee is supposed in Possession, and the Mortgagor is Tenant at Will. *Leman v. Newnham, M. 1747. 3 Vezey 51.*]

[If a Mortgagee cancels a Mortgage, and it is found so in his Possession, it is a Release; but it does not re-convey, for that must be done by Deed. *Harrison v. Owen, M. 1738. 1 Atkyns 520.*]

(4 B.) Ne exeat Regnum.

Vide Prærogative.
(D. 34. 35.)

BY the Common Law, every one might go out of the Realm, when he pleased. *F. N. B. 85. A. Per 2 J. 2 Rol. 12. 4 Mod. 179.*

But by the St. 5 R. 2. 2. It was prohibited to all, without Licence, but to Peers, Merchants, and Soldiers: But this is repealed by the St. 4 Jac. 1.

Yet a Man may be restrained within the Realm by the King's Proclamation. *F. N. B. 85. C.*

Or, by the Writ of *Ne exeat Regnum* under the Great, or Privy Seal, or Signet. *F. N. B. 85. A.*

[*Ne exeat Regnum* was originally a State Writ, granted by the Chancellor on Application from the Secretaries of State, without Cause, or shewing such Information as he thought of Weight; but towards the End of James 1st, it was thought proper to grant it in Case of Interlopers in Trade, great Bankrupts, Duels, and others concerning many of the Subjects. *Ld. Bacon's Ordinances, N^o 89. 3 P. W. 313.*]

And this Writ shall be directed to the Party himself. *F. N. B. 85. B.*
Or, to the Sheriff commanding him, *Quod A. venire faciat ad sufficientes manucaptos inveniend. quod ad partes Exteras sine licentia, &c. se non divertat,*
and, upon Refusal, *quod Prisonæ committatur quousque.* *F. N. B. 85. D.*

Or, it may be directed to Justices of the Peace, or to both. *F. N. B. 85. E. 2 Inst. 54.*

Chancery will award a Writ of *Ne exeat Regnum* after a Bill exhibited, upon Affidavit of the Debt, and that the Defendant is going out of the Realm. *Ca. Ch. 116. Reg. Appx. 54. 55.*

[The Affidavit to obtain it must not only say Defendant is indebted, but must mention the Facts on which it arises; if against an Administrator, it must swear to the Belief of *Assets* come to his Hands. *Anon. T. 1752. 2 Vezey 489.*]

[The Court will not grant *ne exeat Regno*, on a Bill for a Sum due for Goods obtained by Fraud, tho' Plaintiff swears, he believes the Goods were worth 700*l.*; he must swear positively Defendant is indebted to him in a certain Sum: If the Bill is for an Account, Plaintiff's swearing he believes the Balance in his Favour will amount to so much, is sufficient. *Rico v. Gualtier, P. 1747. 3 Atkyns 501.*]

[The Court will not grant it, unless Plaintiff shews the Debt demanded against Defendant to be certain, not when it is on a Contingency. *Anon. M. 1738. 1 Atkyns 521.*]

[It ought not to be granted when the Demand is intirely at Law; for there Plaintiff has Bail, and he shall not have double Bail, at Law and in Equity. *Ibid. Pakeman v. Cosby, H. 1730. 3 P. W. 314.*]

[It is never granted where there is not a mere equitable Demand; except once, in Compassion to a Wife who sued for Alimony in the Spiritual Court. *Anon. T. 1741. 2 Atkyns 210.*]

Or, without a Bill, on a Petition to the Lord Chancellor. *Pr. Ch. 171.*

[It ought not to be granted without a Bill first filed; *per Talbot C.* who said he never knew it done, (tho' it was done by *Trevor, M. R.* in *Lloyd v. Cardy*, and by *Cowper C.* in 1709.) and ordered the Writ to be superseded, and Defendant discharged out of Custody; but it seems he had given Bail in an Action at Law. *Brunker's Case, T. 1734. 3 P. W. 312.*

[The Court will not order Security to be given, if the Answer is come in. *Whitehead v. Murat, M. 1724. Bumb. 183.*]

[But if he has not answered, and is in Contempt, it will. *Ibid.*]

Or, if he is going into *Scotland*, tho' since the Union it is not out of the Realm; for the Process of the Court does not extend thither. *2 Sal. 702. 1 P. W. 263.*

And the Condition of the Recognizance shall be, That he does not go out of the Realm, or to *Scotland*. *1 P. W. 263.*

[*Talbot C.* was doubtful whether the common Writ would restrain the Defendant going to *Scotland*, and also, whether he could alter the old established Form; and the Registers said, they never knew any other than the common Order made; and his Lordship would make no Order, but left them to proceed in the old beaten Path. *Hunter v. Maccray, P. 9 G. 2. C. T. T. 196.*]

A *Ne exeat Regnum* shall be awarded against a Clerk. *2 Inst. 54.*

And also against a Layman, *R. Ca. Ch. 116.* Awarded against a Woman. *Reg. Appx. 55.* Against a Peer, *Ibidem.*

[The Court will grant it against a *Feme Covert*, Executrix of her former Husband alone, if her present Husband is gone out of the Kingdom. *Jerningham v. Glafs, H. 1746. 3 Atkyns 409.*]

It may be awarded upon the Surmise of any Man. *F. N. B. 85. F.*

When a Man designs a Prejudice to the Kingdom. *Reg. Appx. 55. F. N. B. 85. D.*

So, for a private Cause. *R. Ca. Ch. 116. 2 Ca. Ch. 245. Semb. Cont. Ch. R. 257.*

As, if a Man be indebted to several, and it be suspected, that he will go out of the Kingdom to avoid paying his Creditors. *R. Ca. Ch. 116. Reg. Appx. 54. 55.*

If there be a Sentence against a Man for Alimony in the Spiritual Court, and he threatens to leave the Kingdom. *R. Ca. Ch. 116. R. 2 Vent. 345.*

If the Bill of a Solicitor upon a Taxation appears to be overpaid, upon Affidavit that he has not repaid the Overplus, and intends to depart the Kingdom; tho' no Bill pending against him. *R. Pr. Ch. 171.*

If Surety be given, that *B.* against whom a *Ne exeat Regnum* was prayed, shall not go out of the Kingdom, the Surety shall not be discharged, tho' *B.* be committed for Non-performance of a Decree. *Pr. Ch. 230.*

But a Bill to oblige an Executor to exhibit an Inventory, and to give Security to account before he went beyond Sea, was dismissed upon a Demurrer; for it prayed an Injunction in the Nature of a *Ne exeat Regnum*. *R. Ch. R. 257.*

So a Writ of *Ne exeat Regnum* shall not be granted without Oath. *Skin. 136.*

Nor was it used to be granted by Courts of Justice, but of late Times. *Skin. 136.*

And for a particular Cause. *4 Mod. 179.*

(4 C.) Notice.

(4 C. 1.) How regarded.

NOTICE of a Trust makes a Person privy, and an Act, which was a Breach of Trust in the Actor, shall be void as to him, who was privy; as a Purchaser with Notice of a Trust, Judgment, Mortgage, or other Incumbrance, shall be affected by it. *R. Lane 60. Vide Post, (4 I. 3, 4.—4 W. 28.)*

Tho' a Fine be levied, and five Years pass without Claim. *R. 2 Ca. Ch. 125. Eq. Abr. 332.*

If Notice be confessed by *A.* who assigns to *B.* who denies Notice, but it is proved against him; tho' the Confession of *A.* cannot be read against *B.* yet if *B.* will shelter himself by the Want of Proof of Notice to *A.* he shall be put in the Place of *A.* and bound by his Confession. *1 Ver. 486.*

[Denying Notice at the Time of Execution, or at the Time of paying the Consideration-money, is not sufficient; it must be, at or before the Execution. *Fitzgerald v. Burk, T. 1742. 2 Atkyns 397.*]

If a Man pays a Bond to *A.* who was but a Trustee, having before confessed a Judgment, and *A.* afterwards makes a Warrant to another Attorney to acknowledge Satisfaction, the Payment to *A.* when he had Notice of the Trust, is void. *Eq. Abr. 332. 2 Ver. 197.*

So, if *A.* assigns a Bond, Payment to him, after Notice of the Assignment, is void. *Eq. Abr. 332. 2 Ver. 540.*

[If a Judgment affecting an Estate in *Middlesex* is signed in 1733, and registered 12th June 1735, and a Mortgage is made 24th May 1735, and registered 2d June 1735, tho' there is Proof by one Witness that the Mortgagee knew of the Judgment, yet if he denies it in his Answer, the Mortgage shall not be postponed; for the Court will not break in upon an Act of Parliament, on suspicion, however strong. *Hine v. Dodd, H. 1741. 2 Atkyns 275.*]

[If *A.* seized of Land in *Middlesex* to himself and Wife, and to such Persons as they shall appoint, which they by Deed execute, and then *A.* mortgages, and the Mortgage is registered before the Appointment, the Mortgage shall take place. *Scarfton v. Quincey, T. 1752. 2 Vezey 413.*]

(4 C. 2.) What shall be Notice.

If a Man has Notice before the Conveyance executed it is sufficient, tho' it was after his Contract. *R. Ca. Ch. 34.*

[Or tho' after he has paid his Money. *Wigg v. Wigg, T. 1739. 1 Atkyns 382.*]

[*A.* purchases, pays Part, gives Bond for Residue, before Payment of the Bond he has Notice of an equitable Lien on the Premises; this is sufficient, for tho' he has no Relief at Law, Equity would stop Payment of the Bond. *Tourville v. Naish*, T. 1734. 3 P. W. 307.]

If a Trust be by Patent for Creditors claiming within a Year, and after the Year the Patentee assigns to *A.* who assigns to *B.* not having Notice whether the Debts are paid or not, Notice of the Patent is sufficient. R. 1 Ver. 319.

[Where a Man claims under a Conveyance, where there is an Estate-tail prior to the Estate under which he purchased, it is incumbent on him to see if that Estate is spent, and he cannot in such case protect himself by Plea, as he cannot deny Notice of Plaintiff's Title. *Kelsal v. Bennet*, H. 1736. 1 Atkyns 522.]

If a Lease be made with Exception of all prior Leases, this shall be Notice of prior Leases and all Covenants contained in them. *Ca. Ch.* 260.

If a Purchaser has Notice of a Settlement upon a Wife, &c. after Marriage, it shall be Notice that it was pursuant to Articles before the Marriage, tho' the Settlement does not recite them. 2 Ver. 384.

If a Deed mentions a Will, Revocation by another Deed, or other such like Fact, Notice of the first Deed shall be reputed Notice of all that is contained in the Will, the other Deed, &c. to which the first refers; for it is his Negligence, if he does not inquire after it. 2 *Ca. Ch.* 246. *Eq. Abr.* 331.

So, if a Purchaser sees a Deed, which was made with Power of Revocation by Will, he shall be presumed to have Notice of all that is contained in the Will. 2 *Ca. Ch.* 246.

So, if a Mortgage is excepted in a Deed, Notice of such Deed shall be Notice of all that could be discovered by a Sight of the Mortgage, tho' it was not in his Power to have a Sight of the Mortgage. R. *Ca. Ch.* 291.

So, if a Jointure is mentioned, it shall be Notice of all contained in the Jointure-Deed. *Eq. R.* 7.

So, if a Settlement is mixt with Writings delivered to the Counsel. *Eq. Abr.* 331.

So, if Counsel had the Deeds, for the Perusal of the Title, in which a Trust, Mortgage, &c. is mentioned, such Notice to the Counsel shall be Notice to his Client. 3 *Ca. Ch.* 110. *Eq. R.* 8. *Vide Post*, (4 C. 5.)

Tho' he did not observe such Recital or Mention of the Trust, &c. 3 *Ca. Ch.* 110.

So, if his Attorney, Solicitor, or Agent has Notice; as, if the same Scrivener transacts Mortgages for *A.* and *B.* R. 2 Ver. 574.

So, if *A.* treats for a Purchase and has Notice of the Incumbrance, and purchases in the Name of *B.* who pays the Money, and has no Notice. R. 2 Ver. 610. for *A.* was Agent for *B.*

But, if a Counsel has Notice upon another Occasion, and not as Counsel for Defendant, it shall not be Notice to him. 1 Ver. 287.

Or, if the Counsel has Notice, but does not finish the Settlement, but another Counsel is afterwards employed. *Dub. Eq. R.* 8.

(4 C. 3.) *Lis Pendens.*

So *Lis pendens* is sufficient Notice, without actual Notice of the Suit. 2 *Ca. Ch.* 116.

[If a Bill is brought to establish a Will, it is *lis Pendens*, and affects a Purchaser under the Will. *Garth v. Ward*, P. 1741. 2 Atkyns 174.]

[A Decree is not implied Notice to a Purchaser after the Cause is ended, for it is the Pendency of the Suit that is Notice; but if the Decree is only for an Account, and does not put an End to the Question, the Suit is still Notice. *Worsley v. E. Scarbro'*, M. 1746. 3 Atkyns 392.]

[A Suit about Money secured on an Estate, or other collateral Matter, but not relating to the Estate, it is not Notice to a Purchaser of the Estate pending the Suit. *Ibid.*]

If

If Land is devised to be sold for Payment of Debts if the Personal Estate be not sufficient; if a Suit be commenced by the Heir against the Executor, or Trustees, for an Account of the Personal Estate, a Purchaser *pendente lite* without actual Notice ought to re-convey to the Heir, if by the Event of the Suit it appears that the Personal Estate was sufficient. *R. 2 Ca. Ch. 116.*

So, if *A.* purchases and pays his Money the same Day the Bill is filed, he shall lose his Money, tho' he had no Notice. *Ca. Ch. 301.*

So, if a Commission issues against a Bankrupt, it shall be Notice of the Bankruptcy, without actual Notice. *Per 2 Com. Rawlinson Cont. 2 Ver. 157. 161.*

If *A.* lends Money to *B.* and takes a Bond for it in the Name of *C.* and afterwards brings an Action in the Name of *C.* against *B.* who confesses Judgment, and afterwards pays the Money to *C.* (having Notice of the Trust) upon which Satisfaction is acknowledged, by another, who was not the Attorney upon the Record; it will be a Fraud upon *A.* and the changing of the Attorney will be Notice. *Eq. Abr. 332. 2 Ver. 197.*

If a Bill be filed and Subpœna served, it shall be Proof, against all Persons, of a *Lis pendens*. *1 Ver. 318, 9.*

Tho' the Subpœna be not returnable till the next Term.

So, if a Bill be filed before Purchase, tho' no Process is served, it shall be Notice. *Semb. 2 Ca. Ch. 116.*

And where a Bill is filed, the Suit is depending. *5 Co. 47. b.*

So, if a Man present at the Hearing pay Money to *B.* after a Decree that he shall not receive it. *Eq. Abr. 331. 1 Ver. 57, 122.*

But Service of a Subpœna is no Proof, before a Bill filed, that *Lis est pendens*. *1 Ver. 319.*

(4 C. 4.)
When not.

Lis pendens is not Notice, if it was collusive and not real. *2 Ca. Ch. 116.*

So, if the Suit abates, a Purchaser *pendente lite* shall not be affected by the Suit depending, without actual Notice. *1 Ver. 286.*

So, tho' a Judgment, &c. be upon Record, it is not sufficient Notice; for express Notice of it is necessary. *Ca. Ch. 37.*

So, express Notice is necessary where Land is devised, upon Condition to the Heir; for he takes by Descent. *8 Co. 92. a. 3 Mod. 28, 9. Eq. Abr. 333.*

Otherwise, if a Devise be to a Stranger; for he takes by the Devise, and shall take Notice at his Peril. *Eq. Abr. 333.*

(4 C. 5.) When Notice to one affects another.

Notice of an Agreement to an Agent or Trustee shall be Notice to the Party himself, who purchases: As, if the Scrivener, who draws the Mortgage, or transacts the Contract, had Notice of a prior Incumbrance. *Eq. Abr. 330. Vide Ante, (4 C. 2.)*

[If one Person is employed as Counsel or Agent for both Parties, both are affected with Notice to him. *Leneve v. Leneve, M. 1748. 3 Atkyns 646. 1 Vezey 64.*]

[If an Agent has Notice of a prior Incumbrance on Lands in *Middlesex*, this is a sufficient Equity to postpone a second Settlement, tho' the last is registered, and the first not. *Ibid.*]

[If an Agent employed to place out Money on a Security, admits that by former Transactions he knew of an Incumbrance, but thought the Security good for both, it is good Notice. *Ashley v. Bailie, T. 1751. 2 Vezey 368.*]

So, if Notice is given to *A.* who purchases in the Name of a Trustee. *Eq. Abr. 330. Ca. Ch. 38.*

Or, in the Name of his Son. *Ibid.*

Or, the Conveyance be to the Son and his Heirs, who had not Notice. *Ibid.*

So, if *A.* has Notice and purchases in the Name of *B.* and then agrees that *B.* shall be the Purchaser, who pays the Money not having Notice; he shall be affected by the Notice to *A.* for his Approbation of the Purchase by *A.* makes *A.* his Agent *ab initio*. *Eq. Abr. 331. 2 Ver. 609.*

[A second

[A second Mortgagee with Notice of first, but without Notice of a Trust-charge prior to both, of which first Mortgagee had Notice, must take subject to that Demand. *E. Pomfret v. Ld. Windsor*, T. 1752. 2 *Vezey* 472.]

(4 C. 6.) When not.

[Tho' a Father making Settlement appears to have Notice of a Rent-charge on the Lands, yet this is not sufficient Evidence of Notice, to affect Wife and Son claiming under such Settlement as the apparent Owner might make, *Whitfield v. Fousset*, H. 1749. 1 *Vezey* 387.]

If A. has Notice of a prior Settlement or Incumbrance, and purchases, and afterwards sells to B. who has not Notice, who sells to C. who has; C. shall not be charged by the Notice to A. or to himself; for then an innocent Purchaser could never sell. *R. Cont. per Master of the Rolls, but reversed per Lord Kee er*, Hil. 1695. *Eq. Abr.* 331.

[If a Man by Marriage-articles agrees to settle a Church Lease on himself, Wife, and Issue, and afterwards sells it to a Stranger, who has no Notice of the Articles, and his Executors sell it to B. who has full Notice of them, and takes a collateral Security; yet B.'s Purchase shall stand good against those claiming under the Articles. *Lowther v. Carleton*, H. 9 G. 2. C. T. T. 187. H. 1741. 2 *Atkyns* 242.]

So, if A. purchases having Notice, and sells to B. who has not Notice that the Vendor was only Tenant for Life, tho' a Bill by the Son against B. shall be dismissed, yet A. shall account for the Purchase-Money to the Son and for Interest from the Death of the Father. *Eq. Abr.* 331. 2 *Ver.* 384.

And tho' A. takes an Assignment of a Mortgage to protect his Purchase, he shall be allowed only the Money due upon the Mortgage, which was prior to the Settlement. *Ibid.*

[If a Counsel employed to look over a Title, by some other Transaction foreign to this Business has Notice, it does not affect the Purchaser. *Ibid. Worsley v. E. Scarbro'*, M. 1746. 3 *Atkyns* 392. *Lowther v. Carleton*. H. 9 G. 2. C. T. T. 187. H. 1741. 2 *Atkyns* 242.]

[The Court is tender of extending constructive Notices, but will not lay it down as a general Rule that Notice to a Person concerned for both Parties is not good to a Mortgagee, yet will adhere to this Rule, that Notice should be in the same Transaction, *Warrick v. Warrick*, H. 1745. 3 *Atkyns* 291.]

(4 C. 7.) When Notice does not prejudice.

If a Man purchases for valuable Consideration, he shall not be prejudiced by a voluntary Settlement, tho' he had Notice of it. *Eq. Abr.* 334.

[A Man who purchases for a valuable Consideration, with Notice of a voluntary Settlement, from a Person who bought without Notice, shall shelter himself under the first Purchaser, but his Interest must be exactly the same. *Brandlyn v. Ord. M.* 1738. 1 *Atkyns* 571.]

So, if a Bill be against a Purchaser for valuable Consideration, which charges that the Defendant had Notice, and that it was mentioned in such a Lease, and Defendant denies Notice, and that it is there mentioned; he need not produce the Lease, tho' there be a Replication to the Answer, without some Proof that falsifies his Answer; for it tends obliquely to a Discovery of his Title. *Cont. per Master of the Rolls. R. per Lord Keeper* 1704, *Eq. Abr.* 334.

So, if a Purchaser has Notice of a Settlement, which makes the Vendor Tenant for Life, but, who before Issue might bar the contingent Remainders, he shall not be affected, if he had not Notice that the Vendor had Issue born five Days before. *Eq. Abr.* 333. Cited by *Rawlinson*, 2 *Ver.* 159.

(4 D.) Obligation.

(4 D. 1.) Shall be cancelled ;

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Being satisfied.
Vide Post,
(4 D. 11.)

IF a Bond or other Security for Money be satisfied, and the Obligee will not cancel or deliver it to the Obligor, *Chancery* will oblige him to do it. *1 Cb. R. Earl of Oxford, 8.*

So, if Part of the Debt be satisfied, upon Payment of the Residue *Chancery* will compel the Delivery of the Security.

So, if double Security be given for the same Debt, as a Bond and a Pawn, &c. if one is satisfied, *Chancery* will oblige the Cancelling of the other.

So, if the Money be paid to my Scrivener, who has the Disposal of my Money.

Or, to my Wife, who usually receives Money for me. *R. Ca. Ch. 38.*

So, if it be satisfied by one Obligor, the other shall be discharged from the Bond.

Or, if the Bond be released, or otherwise discharged.

Or, if it be satisfied by the Principal, the Surety shall be discharged.

Or, if the Obligee has accepted other Security from the Principal.

If after a Bond of 900*l.* for Payment of 450*l.* it be agreed, that the Obligor shall pay 80*l.* per Ann. till the 450*l.* and every Part be paid; if by the 80*l.* per Ann. the 450*l.* and Interest are satisfied, the Bond shall be cancelled. *R. 1 Ver. 352.*

[Where no Demand has been made on a Bond for twenty Years, it shall be deemed satisfied even at Law. *Gratwick v. Simpson, H. 1740. 2 Atkyns 144.*]

If a Recognizance or Bond be for Payment of an Annuity, &c. of antient Date, and no Annuity paid or Demand for many Years, so that it may be presumed to be satisfied, the Land out of which it was paid being sold by Consent of all Parties, *Chancery* will compel the Cancelling of the Recognizance or Bond. *1 Cb. R. 103, 106. Vide Post, (4 D. 17.)*

If Judgment be given upon the Bond. *1 Cb. R. 107.*

[A Judgment shall not be presumed satisfied merely from Length of Time, (as forty-two Years) if Satisfaction is not entred on Record. *Kemys v. Ruscombe, T. 1740. 2 Atkyns 45.*]

(4 D. 2.)
After Forfeiture.

Tho' a Bond be forfeited, *Chancery* will compel the Cancelling of it, upon Payment of Principal, Interest, and Costs; and the Obligee shall not have the Penalty. *Vide Eq. Abr. 91.*

If the Bond be to save harmless, the Obligor shall be relieved generally, on Payment of so much, as upon a Trial at Law the Obligee appears to be damnified. *1 Cb. R. 199.*

But if the Obligee by his Answer swears, that he is damnified above the Penalty of the Bond, there needs no Trial, but the Obligor shall be ousted of his Relief without Trial. *Ibid.*

If a Bond, by a subsequent Agreement to take 80*l.* per Ann. till the Whole is paid, be overpaid, *Chancery* will not oblige the Re-payment of the Surplus. *1 Ver. 352.*

But if Principal and Interest exceed the Penalty, *Chancery* will compel the Payment of the Interest and Costs, as well as of the Principal. *R. Ca. in Parl. 16. Dub. 2 Ca. Ch. 185. Vide Ante, (3 A. 4.)—Post, (4 D. 16.)*

Yet, if a Judgment be obtained for the Penalty, upon Payment of so much as is due upon the Judgment, with Interest from the Time of the Judgment and Costs at Law and Equity, the Judgment shall be satisfied and Bond delivered up, tho' the Principal and Interest due exceed the Sum for which the Judgment is obtained. *R. Ca. Ch. 24. 1 Ver. 350.*

But Money paid, not exceeding the Interest due, shall be intended to be paid for Interest. *Ca. Ch. 24. Vide Ante, (3 S. 6.)*

And, if Money be paid the same Term, but before actual Entry of the Judgment, it shall be intended as Interest upon the Bond, and not to be paid upon the Judgment. *R. Ca. Ch. 24.*

So, if Land be devised for Payment of Debts, and the Interest due upon a Bond exceeds the Penalty, nothing but the Penalty shall be paid; for the De-
vise was for Security of the Debt, and not to enlarge it. *1 Sal. 154.*

(4 D. 3.) Or, relieved against;

If a Bond or other Security be obtained by Fraud or Practice, *Chancery* will (4 D. 3.)
relieve against it; as, if upon the Marriage of *A.*'s Son to the Daughter of *B.*
B. will not consent, unless all the Debts of the Son are discharged, upon which If the Obli-
his Brother discharges them, but afterwards the Son, with the Consent of gation be ob-
the Daughter, gives a Bond for the same Sum to his Brother; *Chancery* will tained by
direct the Bond of the Son to be cancelled, at the Suit of the Wife, or of the Fraud.
Obligor himself. *R. 1 Ver. 348. Vide Ante, (3 Z. 8.)*

[If on Marriage-articles, *A.* gives 3000 *l.* with his Daughter, and *B.* gives up
300 *l. per Annum* of her Jointure to her Son, for a Settlement on the Marriage,
but the intended Husband secretly, without the Privity of his Relations, gives a
Bond to refund 1000 *l.*; a perpetual Injunction shall go against the Bond, at the
Suit of the Obligor himself *Turton v. Benson, M. 6 G. per Parker C. on Ap-
peal from the Rolls. Str. 240.*]

[If a poor Man suing for an Estate gives Bond to a Person assisting him with
small Sums and taking Pains in the Affair, and this is obtained by pressing for
Payment of the Money advanced; the Bond shall stand as Security only for the
Money advanced, and Interest, and the Obligee may bring *quantum meruit* for
his Pains, &c. *Proof v. Hines, T. 9 G. 2. C. T. T. 111.*]

So, if a Bond be obtained from an Heir for 800 *l.* to be paid at the Death
of his Father, upon the Delivery of Goods of 400 *l.* Value, he shall be re-
lieved, upon Payment of Principal and Interest. *R. per Finch, The Bargain
being managed by an infamous Person, and the Father alledged to be then ill,
who died within eighteen Months. Conf. per North, hestanter. 2 Ver. 359.*

[If a Woman aged twenty-six, but her Father being alive, enters privately
into joint Bonds with a Man for Marriage, tho' there are no Marks of
Fraud, nor any great Inequality of Circumstances or Condition, yet on Appli-
cation of the Woman, the Court will (on public and general Considerations
chiefly, and for that it is a Fraud on the Parent) decree the Bond to be cancelled.
Woodhouse v. Shepley, H. 1742. 2 Atkyns 535.]

[The Court will direct an Inquiry before a Master into the Consideration of
a Bond, if there is a Suspicion of Fraud; as if two Bonds are given the same Day
for different Sums, and one of them just double the Penalty of the other. *Reed
v. Reed, M. 1739. 2 Atkyns 16.*]

[If a Woman about to marry, parts with some of her Property, or gives Secu-
rity or Assignment, the Court will relieve, unless for valuable Consideration; and
in that Case, Husband from whom it was concealed, tho' his Bill is dismissed, shall
not pay Costs, unless the Concealment was at his Wife's Request. *Blanchet v.
Foster, P. 1751. 2 Vezey 264.*]

[*S.* aged thirty, Father and Mother dead, married, in Possession of 7,500 *l. per
Annum*, naturally strong, but hurt by Debauchery, greatly indebted, and having
great Expectations from his Grandmother *M.* aged seventy-eight, but healthy,
applies to *J.* a Stranger for 5000 *l.* to pay his Debts, which he gives him, taking
a Bond conditioned for Payment of 10,000 *l.* at *M.*'s Death, if *S.* survives her,
but not otherwise. Six Years five Months after *M.* dies, and two Months after
J. delivers up Bond to be cancelled, and *S.* now in great Circumstances executes
new Bond for 20,000 *l.* conditioned for Payment of 10,000 *l.* and Interest in four
Months, and gives Warrant of Attorney to enter up Judgment, which is done;
a Year after giving the last Bond *S.* pays *J.* 1000 *l.* in Part, and three Months
after 1000 *l.* more, and three Months after, that is, twenty Months after *M.*'s
Death *S.* dies, having never sought Relief against the Bargain; his Executors shall
have Relief only against the Penalty, but shall pay the Principal and Interest on the
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the last Bond, with Costs at Law, and for acknowledging Satisfaction, (but not in Equity) for this first Bond is not usurious, nor contrary to Conscience, and relievable on any Principal of Equity; and if it had, yet the new Bond amounts to a Confirmation, and is sufficient to bar the Executors of Relief. *Earl Chesterfield, Executor of Spencer, v. Janssen Bart. T. and H. 1750.* on great Consideration, *per Hardwicke C. Lee C. J. Willes C. J. Strange M. R. and Burnet J.* unanimously. *1 Atkyns 301, 339. 2 Vezey 125. 1 Will. 286.]*

(4 D. 4.)
If the Con-
sideration be
not perform-
ed.
Vide Post,
(4 D. 7, 18.)

So, if a Bond be obtained, without a Consideration performed; as, in Consideration of a Debt assigned, which cannot be recovered.

But if the Bond be to pay 20*l.* *per Ann.* to *A.* for Life in Consideration that he has assigned two Leases to the Obligor; tho' the Leases were forfeited before Assignment, yet if the Lessor does not take Advantage of it, the Obligor shall not be relieved. *Ch. R. 49.*

(4 D. 5.)
If the Con-
sideration be
illegal.

So, if it be obtained for a Thing illegal; as upon a simoniacal Contract.

But a Bond to resign, upon Request, shall not be avoided. *Vide Eglish, (N. 3.)*

Yet, if an ill Use be made of a Bond to resign, as if he detains his Tithes, &c. an Injunction shall be granted upon it. *R. 2 Ca. Ch. 186. 1 Ver. 411, 412. Vide Eglish, (N. 3.)*

[If on Bond of Resignation, instead of requiring it it is agreed Incumbent shall pay 30*l.* *per Annum*, and he pays it for some Years; Injunction shall be granted to the Bond. *Peele v. Chapel, M. 9 G. Str. 534.]*

So, if the Consideration of the Bond was for procuring a Marriage, tho' there does not appear any Fraud or other Misdemeanour in obtaining it, *Chancery* will give Relief. *R. Ca. Parl. 77. R. 1 Ch. R. 87. R. 1 Ver. 412.*

[If a Man gives Bond to another, for using Influence over his Grandfather to make a Will in his Favour, and not alter it, it shall be delivered up, but without Costs. *Debenham v. Ox, T. 1749. 1 Vezey 276.]*

Or, for Money borrowed when the Obligor was engaged in Play by the Artifice of the Oblige. *1 Ch. R. 89.*

Or, for Payment, if he did not marry his Servant. *R. 2 Ver. 102.*

So, if a Bond be by a Son, upon the Settlement of a House upon him by his Brother, who had a Prejudice against their Mother, that he should never permit his Mother to come to his House. *1 Ver. 413, 4.*

If a Bond be to pay 100*l.* if she married a second Husband; tho' there be a Counter-Bond to pay as much to her Executors, if she did not marry. *R. 2 Ver. 215, 6.*

So a Recognizance, Bond, &c. by Tenant in Tail, that he will not suffer a Common Recovery, shall be cancelled. *Mo. 809.—Cont.* If given by a Son to a Father at the Time of the Settlement on him in Tail. *2 Ver. 233.*

So, a Bond by Tenant in Tail, that he will not commit Waste. *R. 2 Ver. 251.*

So, if a Bond was given by an Apprentice for Money won at Gaming by another Apprentice. *R. 2 Ver. 291.*

But if *A.* gives a Bond and Judgment for Money which he borrows to supply Persons, who game, and gives large Premiums; *Chancery* will not relieve, without Payment of Principal, Interest, and Costs. *R. 2 Ver. 171.*

[If a Bond is given for having procured the Office of a Supervisor of Excise, and for being to procure the Office of Collector, it is within *Stat. 5 & 6 Ed. 6.* and shall be cancelled. *Law v. Law, M. 9 G. 2. C. T. T. 140. 3 P. W. 391.]*

[If a Man on a Composition with his Creditors, gives a Bond to one to pay him the Residue of his Debt, over and above the Composition, in order to induce him to consent, it is void, as within the Equity of 5 G. 2. c. 30. §. 11. *Semb. Spurrett v. Spiller, M. 1740. 1 Atkyns 105.]*

[If a Man living separate from his Wife, marries a Woman who knows not his Wife is living, which she afterwards discovers, but the Man prevails with her to stay with him; and five Years after gives a Bond to a Trustee for her, to leave her 1000*l.* at his Death, and dies; this shall be postponed to all simple Contract Debts;

Debts; it is worse than a voluntary one, being on a wicked Consideration; had it been given immediately after the Discovery, and she had quitted him, it would have been good. *Lady Cox's Case, M. 1734. 3 P.W. 339.*

If a Man be bound as Surety, and the Principal has paid the Money, and afterwards the Surety is sued, he shall be relieved in Chancery. (4 D. 6.)

So, if the Surety is damnified, he shall be relieved against the Principal, tho' he has not a Counter-security: So by the Custom of London. 1 Ver. 456. Obligation by a Surety.

[But a Surety has no Right to have the Bond assigned to him on paying the Money; and if he tenders the Money on that Condition, which the Obligee refuses and brings Action, and Surety brings Bill, Surety shall pay Costs. *Gammell v. Stone, M. 1749. 1 Vezey 339.*]

[The Court will not order an Obligee to assign a Bond to the Surety on Payment, for the principal Co-obligor might then plead Payment, on an Action in the Name of the Obligee; but *Case*, or perhaps *Assumpsit*, lies. *Woffington v. Sparks, T. 1754. 2 Vezey 569.*]

[If A. Tenant in Tail to raise Money to pay Debts on his Estate, proposes to his Brother B. Tenant in Tail in Remainder to join in Mortgage for 1000 l. and in a Bond, which is done, and A. only receives the Money; the Personal Estate of A. shall be liable in the first Place. *Robinson v. Gee, T. 1749. 1 Vezey 251.*]

And if the Land of the Principal descends to his Heir, and is conveyed by him in Trust, the Surety shall compel a Sale of the Land for his Payment.

Or, if Debts are assigned by the Principal for Satisfaction of the Surety, he shall compel the Payment thereof to himself.

If A. makes a Mortgage and B. is Surety for him, and afterwards it appears that the Mortgage was upon a defective Title, but he, who had the Title, in Compassion to A. makes a Lease to D. in Trust for A. and then B. is sued by the Mortgagee; he shall compel D. to assign for his Security. R. 2 Ver. 12.

If there be a Judgment against A. and against his Bail, and afterwards the Sureties of A. being sued, pay the Money; they shall be aided against the Bail, and the Judgment against the Bail shall be assigned to secure to them Principal, Interest, and Costs, without Contribution. R. 2 Ver. 608.

Tho' the Sureties by their Bill alledge an Agreement to pay a Proportion, if the Bail deny the Agreement. 2 Ver. 609.

If one Surety pays the Whole, he shall have Contribution against the other Surety. *Semb. Cont. Godb. 243. Acc. Ch. R. 15. Vide Ante, (2 S.)*

[If two Persons are jointly bound, and one dies, Equity will decree his Representative to be charged *pari passu* with the Survivor. *Primrose v. Bromley, M. 1739. 1 Atkyns 89.*]

So, if three are bound in a Bond, Recognizance, &c. and one only is sued and pays the Whole, and another is insolvent, he who has paid shall have Contribution against the Third for a Moiety. R. Ca. Ch. 246. 1 Ch. R. 35, 120.

But R. that the third Surety shall pay only a Third. 1 Ch. R. 150.

So, by the Custom of London, one Surety paying the Whole shall make the other Sureties contribute. 1 Ver. 456.

If a Surety changes himself for another not sufficient, he shall not be charged in Equity, upon a Suggestion of Covin in such Exchange; for Equity will not charge a Surety further than he is bound by Law. 1 Ver. 196.

[If A. and B. Principals, and C. Surety, are jointly and severally bound to D. and on C.'s becoming uneasy, D. agrees with A. to take four Notes, and a Draft of A. and B. on a Banker, in Lieu of the Bond, but makes A. give him a Note signed in the Names of A. B. and C. (but without C.'s Knowledge, *Semb.*) to make good any Deficiency, and D. puts the Bond, with a Receipt for Principal and Interest, into C.'s Hands, and A. and B. become Bankrupt, C. shall not be liable. *Skip. v. Huey, P. 1744. 3 Atkyns 91.*]

[If a Bond is burnt or cancelled by Accident or Mistake, or procured by Fraud by the Principal to be delivered up, this Court will set it up against a Surety, tho' extinguished at Law. *Ibid.*]

So, if a Son is bound in a Recognizance with a Father to pay the Marriage-Portion of his Daughter, but the Recognizance is defective in Law; the Son shall not be charged in Equity. *2 Ver. 393.*

[If a Father gives Bond for Money advanced by his Daughter to his Son on his Marriage, the Son pays the Interest; yet it shall be a Debt on the Father's Estate, for it is an Advancement of the Son. *Hill v. Ballard, 1747. 1 Vezey 77.*]

[A Receiver shall not be removed at the Request of his Sureties only, nor the Sureties discharged that others may be appointed, unless it appears for the good of the Estate. *Griffith v. Griffith, T. 1751. 2 Vezey 400.*]

(4 D. 7.)
If there was
no Consider-
ation for it.
Vide Ante.
(4 D. 4.)

So the Obligor shall be relieved, where the Bond was given without a real Consideration; as, if the Lessee of Tenant for Life at the Rent of 100*l.* per Ann. gives a Bond for Part of the Rent due at Michaelmas, where the Tenant for Life died before Michaelmas, tho' his Death was known. *R. Ca. Ch. 239.*

If A. gives Bond to settle his Estate upon his Brother, and afterwards marries. *R. 2 Ver. 189.*

[The Expence a Man is at in standing for Member of Parliament at the Request of another, is not a valuable Consideration. *Stiles v. Attorney-general, H. 1740. 2 Atkyns 152.*]

(4 D. 8.)
If there would
be a double
Charge by the
Obligation.

So an Obligor shall be relieved, if there would otherwise be a double Charge upon him.

But if there be a Decree against A. to pay 400*l.* and he pays 100*l.* and gives a Bond for the Residue, and afterwards becomes bound with B. the Oblige, as Surety for 100*l.* That Bond, which is accumulative for the Money decreed, shall not be taken to be in Satisfaction of the 100*l.* for which A. was Surety with B. *R. Ch. R. 297.*

(4 D. 9.)
If there be
an artful Use
of strict
Words.

So, if the Obligee makes an ill Use of Words inserted in the Condition, the Obligor shall be aided in Equity; as, if a Mother gives a Bond for her Son, being an Apprentice, for his honest Behaviour, and that she will pay all that her Son by Note under his Hand acknowledges that he has embezzled; and the Master obtains a Note of the Son of his Embezzlement, and three Years afterwards informs his Mother thereof; the Obligor shall be aided, if she pays as much as is proved upon an Issue to try *Quantum damnificatus*, and the Note shall not be allowed in Evidence at the Trial. *Ch. R. 47.*

[If an unqualified Person taken poaching gives Bond for 100*l.* with his Father Surety, not to shoot, hunt or fish again, without Licence from the Gamekeeper, or in Company with qualified Person; and three Years after, invited by the Gamekeeper's Brother, he angles and catches two Flounders in his Company, and dies; and two Years after the Father is an Evidence against two of the Lord's Servants, and then the Bond is recovered against him, the Court will order the Penalty and Damages to be returned. *Roy v. D. of Beaufort, T. 1741. 2 Atkyns 190.*]

(4 D. 10.) So the Obligor shall be relieved;

(4 D. 10.)
Where the
Condition by
Accident be-
comes unrea-
sonable.

So the Condition of a Bond shall be qualified in Equity. *Vide Ante.*

(2 Q. 1.) As, if an Executor gives a Recognizance to the Chamberlain of London, for Payment of an Orphan's Portion absolutely, and afterwards the Affets fail; the Executor shall not be bound to pay beyond the Extent of the Affets. *R. Ca. Ch. 191.*

But a Bond given for Money to be paid upon a Purchase shall not be avoided, because the Purchase does not answer his Intent. *2 Ver. 243.*

So, if a Bond be to pay 40*l.* per Ann. out of the Profits of an Office, and afterwards the Office was taken away for several Years by the Usurper, and upon the Restoration of the King revived; he shall not pay during the Years in which the Office was suppressed. *R. Ca. Ch. 72.*

If a Bond be for Payment of Rent for a Wharf, which becomes furrounded by Water; he shall be relieved against the Penalty of the Bond, but not against the Rent. *R. Ca. Ch. 84.*

If a Bond be upon Bottomree, in Consideration of 400*l.* to perform a Voyage in six Months, and at the End of six Months to pay the 400*l.* with 40*l.* Premium; if the Ship is detained in the River, he shall pay only legal Interest. *R. 1 Ver. 263.*

[If *A.* borrows Money of *B.* on Bottomree, and agrees to pay 26 *l.* per Cent. the Principal to be discharged when the Remittances from the Ship and Produce are sold, after the Return of the Ship till the Sale only 5 *l.* per Cent. to be paid; Proviso, if the whole Goods lost, the Principal to sink; if Part, to abate proportionably; *B.* shall have 26 *l.* per Cent. for the Sums lent during the Voyages outward and homeward; as to the homeward, only in Proportion to the Value of the Goods remitted; and 5 *l.* per Cent. for the Rest of the Time. *Warner v. Watkins, P. 1737. 2 Atkyns 4.*]

If a Bond be by Mariners that they will not demand Wages till the Return of the Ship from the *East-Indies* to *London*, and the Ship in the Return is taken by an Enemy; the Mariners shall have Wages to the last Place of Delivery. *R. 2 Ver. 728.*

So, if the Condition of the Bond be performed by a Thing equivalent, the Obligor shall be relieved; as, if the Condition be to convey 50*l.* per Ann. for a Jointure, and he devises 50*l.* per Ann. to her; for it shall be intended in Discharge of the Bond. *R. 1 Ch. R. 46.* (4 D. 11.) Or, is satisfied by other Means. *Vide Ante,*

Or, to leave his Wife, if she survives, 500*l.* and the Husband by Devise gives her Lands for Life, and other Lands in Fee, and makes his Wife Executrix; if the Real and Personal Estate given to the Wife amount to 500*l.* the Heir shall have Relief against the Bond. *Ch. R. 43.* (4 D. 1)

So, if the Bond was given by Contrivance. *Vide Ante, (3 Z. 8.—4 D. 3.)*

So, if a Bond be obtained by Duress, it shall be decreed to be cancelled.

Or, by Force or Terror, tho' there be no actual Duress. *2 Ver. 497.*

But if a Bond, Note, &c. pretended to be given through Terror, be afterwards voluntarily confirmed by Judgment, Mortgage, &c. it shall not be cancelled by a Decree. *Eq. R. 9.* (4 D. 12.) If the Obligation was given by Contrivance, or by Force, or Terror.

[If *A.* under criminal Prosecution, unable to get Bail, employs *B.* an Attorney, who by *A.*'s Instructions in Writing, draws his Will; with a Legacy of 1000*l.* to *B.*, who afterwards procures Bail for *A.* and on the very Day *A.* gives Bond to *B.* to be void on leaving him a Legacy of 1000*l.* *A.* afterwards revokes this Will, and makes another, leaving no Legacy to *B.*; yet Equity will relieve against the Bond. *Walmsley v. Booth, T. 1739. and P. 1741. 2 Atkyns 25.*]

(4 D. 13.) So the Obligee shall be relieved;

So an Obligee shall be relieved, where the Deed, or Bond is lost.

Tho' the Deed, or Bond be voluntary. *Semb. Ca. Ch. 78.* (4 D. 13.) If the Obligation be lost.

So, if a Bond be lost and the Principal insolvent, the Obligee shall be relieved against the Surety. *R. Ca. Ch. 78. 2 Ca. Ch. 22, 3.*

So, if a Statute, Recognizance, &c. be lost.

So, if an Annuity be given to a Maid Servant, and the Bond for securing it is lost, it shall be decreed. *Eq. Abr. 24.*

[If *A.* and *B.* give a joint Bond, and the Condition is joint and several, the Representatives Real and Personal of one dying, are liable. *Bishop v. Church, M. 1750. 2 Vezey 106, 371.*]

An Obligee does not lose his Equity against a Joint-obligor or his Representatives, by refusing them Liberty to sue the other Joint-obligor in his Name; for he is not obliged to do it. *Ibid.*

But there shall be no Relief upon a Motion, without a Bill against all concerned. *Ca. Ch. 270.*

So,

(4 D. 14.)
If the Per-
formance was
not effectual.

So, if Husband gives a Bond after Marriage to make a Jointure upon his Wife, the Husband makes a Jointure and the Bond is cancelled, and afterwards the Jointure is evicted, the Wife shall be relieved out of the Personal Estate of the Husband to the Value of the Jointure. *1 Ver. 1427.*

If A. gives a Bond to a Lessee for his quiet Enjoyment, and he is evicted for Non-payment of Rent, upon which the Bond is sued and 20*l.* recovered, Chancery will compel the Lessee to re-pay the 20*l.* to A. *M. Ch. R. 95.*

So if A. lends 100*l.* to B. and C. and takes Bond for it, in the Name of a Trustee, from B. and C. and afterwards marries B. tho' the Bond be extinct at Law, A. shall have Relief in Equity. *2 Ver. 290.*

[If Money is lent to two Persons, and either thro' Fraud or Want of Skill the Bond is made joint only; the Court will decree as if it had been joint and several. *Simpson v. Vaughan, H. 1739. 2 Atkyns 31.*]

[If Husband previous to Marriage gives Bond to Wife, to secure her 1700*l.* if she survives; as there is Fraud in the Husband, Equity will carry the Agreement into Execution according to the Intention. *Watkins v. Watkins, M. 1740. 2 Atkyns 96.*]

If A. gives a Bond to B. a Merchant, as a Security for his Service in buying Goods Abroad, where he is to stay a limited Time, he buys very little, and returns before the Time; this Court cannot decree the Penalty, for it is a Bond for Service only, and not like a *Nomine Penae*, where it is considered as the stated Damages. In this Case the Remedy is Action *quantum damnificat*. *Benson v. Gibson, M. 1746. 3 Atkyns 395.*

(4 D. 15.) But the Obligee shall not be relieved;

(4 D. 15.)
If the Obligor
was a Surety,
for, and not
chargeable
by Law.

But, generally, an Obligee should not be relieved in Equity against a Surety, upon a Defect in the Bond, whereby the Surety is not chargeable by Law. *R. 2 Ca. Ch. 23.*

Tho' the Defect happens by the Act of the Court itself; as, if the Court orders a Recognizance with Surety to perform an Order upon the Hearing of a Cause, and to pay what shall appear due by the Report of such a Master, and the Master dies, and the Plaintiff dies insolvent, whereupon the Obligee procures A. to take out Administration and to revive the Suit, and obtains a Report of another Master that 300*l.* is due. *Ibid.*

So an Obligee shall not be decreed to cancel a prior Security, upon an Agreement to do it upon giving other Security to his Creditors, if the other Security be not effectually given. *Ca. Ch. 302.*

(4 D. 16.)
Nor shall he
be relieved
beyond the
Penalty of the
Obligation.

So an Obligee shall not be relieved beyond the Penalty of his Bond; as, if A. covenants with the East-India Company, to pay a Mulct for every Piece of Cloth exported, and takes B. for his Mate, who gives Bond of 50*l.* Penalty, that he will not export, but afterwards exports so much, that the Mulct amounts to 70*l.* A. shall not have Relief for the Residue beyond the Penalty of the Bond. *R. Ca. Ch. 226. Vide Ante, (4 D. 2.)*

If A. upon a Sale of Land, gives a Statute or Bond for quiet Enjoyment, and the Land was intailed, Chancery will not relieve the Purchaser, beyond the Penalty of the Bond or Statute. *R. 1 Ch. R. 94. Eq. Abr. 288.*

If A. gives a Bond of 1000*l.* Penalty to pay 77*l.* per Ann. till 1000*l.* be satisfied, and does not pay it; he shall be discharged on Payment of the Penalty of the Bond. *1 Ch. R. 201.*

So, tho' he has paid divers Sums before. *2 Ver. 509.*

But if the Obligee has Judgment, and does not take out Execution, he shall have Interest after the Judgment as well as before, tho' it exceeds the Penalty of the Bond, and it was his own Laches that he did not take out Execution. *Eq. Abr. 288.*

If a Bond recites an Agreement and is given for the Performance of it; the Obligor shall be decreed to perform, tho' it exceeds the Penalty. *R. 2 P. W. 192.*

[So if a Father, on Marriage of his Daughter, gives Bond to settle One-third of whatever Lands come to him on his Father's Death, the Court will decree a specific Performance. *Hopson v. Trevor, M. 9 G. Str. 533.*]

If a Son is bound with his Father to *A.* for 200*l.* and the Father gives a Statute to the Son for his Indemnity, and afterwards mortgages to *A.* for 200*l.* he shall not be allowed to make use of that Statute to defeat the Mortgage for the 200*l.* *R. 2 Ver. 40.*

If a Lessee agrees to pay 20*s.* an Acre Increase of Rent, if he plows Meadow, &c. he shall not be relieved against the Penalty. *2 Ver. 119.*

(4 D. 17.) An Obligation shall be delivered up;

So an Indenture of Apprenticeship, and a Bond for Performance, shall be delivered up after the Service is expired, if not sued within a reasonable Time. *(4 D. 17.)*
R. Ca. Ch. 70. If it be not sued within a reasonable Time.

So a Mortgage shall be delivered up to the Purchaser, if the Mortgagee be constant of the Purchase and does not give Notice, nor make demand for 17 Years; for it shall be presumed to have been discharged. *1 Ch. R. 60.*

So, if a Bond be to pay 30*l.* within nine Days, and it is put in Suit after two and twenty Years, where the Defendant was at all Times responsible. *1 Ch. R. 78, 88.*

So, tho' the Suit be by an Executor, where there had been no Demand of Principal or Interest, and the Testator died but 8 Years before. *1 Ch. R. 78.*

So a Statute, or Recognizance, after 40 or 50 Years shall be presumed to be discharged, where no Demand appears, and there have been several Purchases of the Estate. *1 Ch. R. 106, 137.*

But where Interest has been paid, the Antiquity of the Statute, Bond, &c. does not prejudice. *Ca. Ch. 304.*

[Where two Partners are Obligors, and on breaking up the Partnership agree that all Bonds shall be discharged by one only, and the Oblige agrees with him to leave the Money with him on a higher Interest, and receives such Interest accordingly, and leaves the Money in his Hands for many Years while solvent, and on a Commission of Bankrupt comes in and has his Dividend, yet the other Obligor shall pay the Remainder of the Principal and Interest at the first Rate. *Heath v. Percival, M. 7 G. Per Parker L. C. Str. 403.*]

If the other Party refuses Performance of the Agreement for which the Bond was given, *Chancery* will compel the Delivery of the Bond to the Obligor; as, if *A.* sells Land, a Ship, &c. and takes a Bond for the Money; if *A.* afterwards refuses to convey, the Vendee shall have his Bond delivered up, tho' the Vendor afterwards is willing to convey. *R. 2 Ca. Ch. 5. Vide Ante, (4 D. 4.)*
(2 C. 16.) (4 D. 18) If the Oblige refuses to perform his Part. Vide Ante, (4 D. 4.)

If *A.* puts his Son Apprentice to *B.* and gives a Bond for his Fidelity, and *B.* covenants, that he will settle the Cash-Book every Month; if *B.* neglects to do it, and the Son imbezils 800*l.* *A.* shall be relieved for so much as was imbeziled after the first Month. *R. 2 Ver. 518, 9.*

(4 D. 18.) When there shall be no Relief upon an Obligation;

An Obligor shall not be relieved against the Penalty of a Bond, where there is no Measure, which will shew the Penalty to be excessive; as, where a Man is bound in 20*l.* that he will not prejudice another in his Trade, and he says, that his Wares are not good, whereby he loses a Customer for a small Matter; the Obligor shall not be relieved, for the Costs at Law and Equity are equal to the Penalty. *R. Ca. Ch. 184.* (4 D. 19) If the Penalty does not appear excessive.

[If an unqualified Person is carried before a Justice for carrying a Gun enters into Bond with his Father for Surety of 100*l.* not to shoot, hunt, fish, &c. again, unless with the Gamekeeper's Licence, or in Company with a qualified Person; it shall not be set aside; for such Bonds are beneficial, even to the Obligor;

gori; and they are not *mahn in se* but similar to the Bonds directed to guard against Offences in the Customs, and against Deer-stealing. *Ray v. D. of Beaufort, T. 1741. 2 Atkys 190.*

[Such Bond shall not be deemed a bare Security that the Obligor shall not offend again, but is by Way of stated Damages between the Parties. *Ibid.*]

[If *A.* aged twenty-four, gives Bond for Payment of 500*l.* to *B.* six Months after his Father *C.*'s Death, then seventy, if he survives him, if not the Bond void; *B.* dies, two Years after his Executor assigns to *D.* *C.* dies, *D.* dies, Application to *A.* who does not deny the Bond, but knows nothing of *D.*'s Executor, *A.* dies, Application to his Widow, then Action brought and Verdict and Judgment, and before Judgment a Bill for Relief fifteen Years after *C.*'s Death, this Court will only relieve against the Penalty. *Hill v. Caillovel, M. 1748. 1 Vezcy 122.*]

(4 D. 20.)
If there was
no real Satisf-
faction.
Vide Ante,
(4 D. 1, &c.)

So he shall not be relieved upon Pretence of Payment, where there was no real Satisfaction; as, where *A.* was bound to *B.* being sequestred in the Time of *Oliver Cromwell*, and had an Order to retain the Debt due on the Bond for so much due to him by the State; this being a mere Retainer, and the Bond not cancelled or delivered up to *A.* Chancery would not relieve him against a Suit by *B.* tho' the Act of Oblivion discharged it upon Payment, &c. *Per Bridg. Ld. K. Ca. Ch. 59.*

So he shall not be relieved, upon the Presumption of Payment from the antient Date, when there is a reasonable Cause for the Delay. *1 Ch. R. 117. Vide Ante, (4 D. 17.)*

So, if *A.* and *B.* Partners, be bound to *C.* and afterwards the Partnership is determined, and the Share of *A.* paid to him, and *B.* undertakes the Payment of all the Debts, and upon Application by *C.* for Payment, it is agreed to be continued at 6*l.* per Cent. and afterwards *B.* becomes Bankrupt; the Executor of *A.* shall not have Relief against the Oblige, for Bonds are not discharged till Payment. *R. 1 P. W. 683.*

(4 D. 21.)
If it was *Præ-*
mium Pudoris.

[A Bond given to a kept Mistress for Maintenance of her and her Child, shall not be set aside in Favour of Obligor's legitimate Children, or Heir, (if not obtained by Fraud;) but shall not be paid out of Personal Estate till after simple Contracts, and if Personal falls short, then out of Real Estate. *Cray v. Rooke, M. 9 G. 2. C. T. T. 153.*]

So he shall not be relieved, for that the Bond was given to a Woman, whom the Plaintiff kept as his Mistress, where it was given with his free Consent, and not obtained by a common Strumpet. *R. 1 Ver. 483, 4. 2 Ver. 242.*

Tho' it is recited as given, for Money borrowed. *1 Ver. 483.*—Or, for secret Service. *2 Ver. 242.*

Tho' the Defendant was proved to be a common Strumpet, where that was not expressly charged by the Bill. *1 Ver. 484.*

[If *A.* becomes acquainted with an Orange-wench at the Playhouse, gives her a Bond for 1000*l.* to marry her in a twelvemonth, or pay her 500*l.* and afterwards gets the Bond from her and destroys it, but offers to execute a new one, which he afterwards refuses, and she brings Bill for the 500*l.* and dies, and her Mother and Administratrix revives; *A.* shall pay her the 500*l.* and Interest from filing the original Bill, and Costs. *Atkins v. Farr, H. 1738. 1 Atkys 287.*]

So, if the Bond cannot be recovered at Law, upon Proof that there was such a Bond, the Woman shall be aided. *2 P. W. 432.*

So a Bond or a Grant to a Woman debauched, defective through Fraud, shall be aided by the Court. *Eq. Abr. 31. 2 P. W. 432.*

So a Bond to a Maid-Servant shall not be presumed to be *ex turpi Causa*, if it be not proved. *Eq. Abr. 24.*

But a Bond obtained by a common Strumpet by Imposition shall be relieved against, at the Suit of the Executor of the Party. *R. 2 Ver. 188.*

[If a Bill be brought to have Satisfaction for a Bond alledged to be given as *premium pudicitie*, and a Cross-bill to be relieved against it, on a Suggestion that the Obligee was a lewd Woman of an infamous Character; under this general Charge, Evidence of particular Facts may be given, but it must be pointed and applied to the general Charge; and if it is proved that she was guilty of Acts of of Lewdness before her Acquaintance with the Obligor, the Court will order the Bond to be delivered up. *Clarke v. Periam*, T. 1742. 2 *Atkyns* 333, 337.]

[If a Bond is given by A. upon Articles importing a direct Assignment by a Husband of his Wife (who is also a Party) to the Use of A. with Covenant for quiet Enjoyment, and further Assurance, and an Assignment and Bill of Sale are given by A. in Trust, for the Benefit of the Wife, they shall both be set aside, as *pro turpi Causa*. *Robinson v. Gee*, T. 1749. 1 *Vezey* 25.]

[But if A. by Will devises the same Goods to the Wife—Q. Whether it shall be set aside? *Ibid*.]

[If a young Woman of good Character comes to live in a married Man's Family, is seduced by him, and is the Occasion of Separation between him and his Wife, the Court will not give Relief on a Bill for Payment of 100 l. and an Annuity granted by him to the Woman. *Priest v. Parrot*, H. 1750. 2 *Vezey* 160.]

Tho' not charged by the Bill to be given *ex turpi Causa*, if the Defendant by her Answer insists, that it was for a Debt. 2 *Ver.* 188.

So he shall not be relieved, because it was given without Consideration, where it was given of his free Will. 1 *Ch. R.* 157. *Semb.* 2 *Ver.* 497. (4 D. 22.)

So, if an Accountant, discharged by an Act of Indemnity of an Account, afterwards makes up his Account, and gives a Bond for the Balance; he shall not be relieved against his Bond to the King, without the King's Consent. *Semb. Hard.* 204. If it was voluntarily given without Imposition, or Surprize.

(4 E.) Partition.

SO Chancery will make Partition of Land by Commission. 2 *P. W.* 519. Tho' the Estate be in Trust for A. and B. in Tail, and A. be an Infant; but the Conveyance from the Trustees shall be respited, till the full Age of A. that he may join, and mutual Conveyances be executed. 2 *P. W.* 519.

So a Partition shall be made of a large Waste, tho' it may be inconvenient. 2 *Ca. Ch.* 237.

And it may be decreed, tho' either Party be an Infant, or *Feme Covert*. 1 *Ch. R.* 235.

So, if a Partition is agreed between Tenants in Tail, it shall be decreed against the Issue. 2 *Ver.* 233.

Tho' the Agreement was by *Parol*. 2 *Ver.* 233.

But if the Land lies in *Ireland*, the Court does not decree a Partition; for a Bill for Partition is in the Nature of a Writ of Partition, which lies not for Land in another Kingdom. 2 *Ca. Ch.* 189, 214. 1 *Ver.* 421. *Vide Ante*, (3 X.)

[A Commission to set out Lands shall not be granted, if Defendant denies Plaintiff's Title, and says he has no Lands in his Possession belonging to Plaintiff. *Bp. Ely v. Kenrick*, M. 1732. *Bunb.* 322.]

[If there is a Mistake (as if the Date of a Year when a Thing was done) in the Return of a Commission, it may be amended by the Commissioners, on Motion. *Rouse v. Barker*, P. 1728. *Bunb.* 251.]

(4 F.) Payment; What shall be.

IF a Man upon a Purchase gives Security for the Money, this amounts to Payment. *Ca. Ch.* 99.

So, if an Executor, &c. gives Security for a Legacy. *R. Ch. R.* 27.

If a Mortgage is proved, in which there is a Receipt for the Money, and a Condition to be void on Re-payment, with the Oath of the Party that it was paid

paid; after ten Years, it shall be sufficient Proof of the Payment against all Persons. *Semb. Ca. Ch. 119.*

If upon a Note or Bill by *A.* for 100*l.* to *B.* the Money is produced, and *B.* counts 50*l.* and puts it in a Bag, and throws it upon the Counter; it shall be Payment, and if the Money is taken away, *B.* shall lose it. *R. Sal. 507. R. 5 Mod. 398. 9.*

If a Man trusts a Scrivener, &c. with taking a Security for Money, and the Custody of the Security; Payment to the Scrivener is sufficient. *Ca. Ch. 93. 1 Sal. 157.*

So Payment, after a Decree, to the Solicitor in the Cause, shall be good against the Plaintiff. *2 Ca. Ch. 38.*

So, if the Security be only by Bond, and the Scrivener is intrusted with the Bond; Payment of the Principal to him, as well as of the Interest, upon Delivery of the Bond shall be good. *1 Sal. 157.*

So, if the Mortgagee agrees, that the Mortgager shall pay to the Scrivener, Payment of Interest to him, during the Life of the Mortgagee, shall be good tho' he has not the Custody of the Security. *1 Sal. 157.*

And if his Executor accepts of the Scrivener Money due on the Mortgage, after the Death of his Testator; this warrants the Payment by him to the Scrivener. *R. 1 Sal. 157.*

Otherwise, if a Man employ a Scrivener to put out his Money, but has the Security in his own Custody; Payment to the Scrivener, without cancelling the Security, does not discharge the Borrower. *R. Ca. Ch. 93, 111. 1 Ver. 150.*

So Payment of the Money to one, who usually receives the Obligee's Money, without taking up the Bond, does not discharge the Obligor. *R. Ca. Ch. 94.*

So, if a Scrivener be intrusted with a Mortgage, Payment of the Principal to him upon Delivery of the Mortgage Deed does not discharge the Mortgagor; for tho' the Custody of the Deed gives him Authority to receive the Interest, yet there ought to be an Assignment of the Mortgage to warrant the Payment of the Principal. *R. 1 Sal. 157.*

So a Composition for a Debt with a Scrivener, who usually received the Interest, and made the Loan of the Money, and declared that the Obligee would be guided by him in the Composition, binds the Scrivener, tho' not the Obligee, he not being privy. *R. 2 Ver. 128.*

So, if Payment be made to a Scrivener, where the Debt was secured by Bond and Judgment, and the Scrivener delivers up the Bond only. *Dub. 2 Ver. 265.*

If a Man be indebted to *A.* upon Bond and by Contract, and pays Money to him generally, *A.* may apply it to which Debt he pleases. *2 Ca. Ch. 84.*

If a Debtor pays generally a Sum, which does not exceed the Interest due, it shall be intended only for Interest. *Vide Ante, (3 S. 6.—4 D. 2.)*

If he be indebted upon a Judgment and Bond too, and the Purchaser of his Estate pays Part generally; it shall be applied to the Judgment, if the Creditor does not give Notice, that he takes it for the Bond Debt. *1 Ver. 468.*

So, if *A.* indebted upon Bond and simple Contract, pays generally, it shall be applied to the simple Contract Debt, which does not carry Interest; tho' *A.* in his Account places it to the Bond. *R. 2 Ver. 607.*

But if the Debtor expressly pays for Satisfaction of one Debt, it shall be Payment for that. *Ibid.*

So, if a Debtor has accounted with *A.* for both Debts, and so much remains for the Balance of the Account, and he afterwards pays to *A.* generally; it shall be applied to both Debts *pro rata.* *R. 2 Ca. Ch. 84. 1 Ver. 34.*

If *A.* pays generally a Sum, which may be for the Interest of a Bond, it shall be intended for that, tho' there was a Judgment in the same Term upon the Bond, if it was not actually entered up; and not a Payment upon the Judgment. *R. Ca. Ch. 24.*

If a Man pays Part to an Executor, and gives his Note, &c. for the Residue, it shall be Payment; and if the Debtor afterwards fails, it shall be a *De-vastavit.* *1 Ver. 474.*

If a Devisee be bound, by a Condition annexed to the Devise, to pay 300*l.* to *B.* and pays it into Court, *B.* may take it, and the Devisee shall be discharged of the Condition and Penalty. *R. Ch. R. 61.*

But if *A.* takes a Bond in the Name of *B.* and recovers against the Obligor, who, knowing *B.* to be only a Trustee, without Order pays the Money to him, and he fails; the Payment does not discharge the Obligor. *R. 2 Ver. 198.*

So, if Trustees for *A.* make a Loan, and a Bond is given to them, which takes Notice of the Trust, and the Bond is in the Custody of *A.* and afterwards an Account is settled with one of the Trustees, who gives a Receipt for so much received for *A.* the Payment does not discharge the Obligor. *R. 2 Ver. 539.*

So Payment by the Obligor to the Obligee, after Notice that he had assigned the Bond, is no Discharge to him. *2 Ver. 540.*

(4 G.) Perpetuity.

(4 G. 1.) In Chattels Personal.

CHANCERY will not allow a Perpetuity, viz. an Interest in Tail, which cannot be barred. *D. of Norf. 35. Vide 3 Ca. Ch.*

And therefore, if a Man gives 600*l.* to three Daughters, to be equally divided, and if one dies without Issue, her Part to go to the Survivors: If one marries, and afterwards dies without Issue, the Husband shall recover the Part of his Wife; for it cannot be intailed. *R. 2 Vent. 349.*

So, if a Man devises the Surplus of his Personal Estate to one in Trust for his Son, and if he dies during his Minority without Issue, in Trust for others, and makes *A.* Executor during the Minority of his Son, and afterwards his Son Executor, who at the Age of eighteen Years dies without Issue; *R.* that the Administrator of the Son shall have it; for it was vested in him when he attained the Age of 17 Years, and could not be devised over. *2 Vent. 368. 2 per me. R. 1 Ver. 327, 347.*

So, if a Man devises Money to *A.* for Life, and if he has Issue, to his Children, and if he has no Issue at the Time of his Death to *B.* the Limitation to *B.* is void. *R. Pol. 37.*

If he devises to *A.* his Daughter and Executrix the Surplus of his Personal Estate, but if she dies without Issue, then to go over to *B.* and directs that she shall give a Bond, that in such Case it shall go to *B.* the Limitation to *B.* shall be void. *1 Ver. 478.*

[If a Man devises Money to his Daughter, and the Heirs of her Body, and then to another Person, it has not been solemnly determined that the Whole shall go to the first Taker. *D. per Hardwicke C. Phipps v. Steward, H. 1737. 1 Atkyns 285.*]

[A Limitation over of Personal Estate after the Death of the first Taker, without Issue, generally, is void, as being too remote. *Beauclerk v. Dormer, T. 1742. 2 Atkyns 308.*]

[Equity admits like Limitations in Personal, as in Chattels Real; but will carry the Limitation of a Personal Chattel, or the Trust of it, no further than the Judges do legal Limitations of Terms for Years. *Ibid.*]

[The Court will not admit of a Distinction between Chattels Personal and Chattels Real, for it would introduce Confusion. *Ibid.*]

[If a Man makes his Will, and directs his Executors to intail his Personal Estate on his Daughter, and her Issue, and, on Failure thereof, to divide it moiety between his two Nephews; his Intention being it be made good to his Daughter for Life, and her lawful Heirs for ever, and on their Failure, to go to his said Nephews moiety; it is too remote, and the Nephews take nothing. *Q. as to the Issue. E. Stafford v. Bulkley, H. 1750. 2 Vezey 170.*]

So, if a Devise be of Household Stuff, Plate, &c. to *A.* for Life, and afterwards to his first, second, and other Children and the Heirs of their Bodies

as an Heir-loom, and afterwards to *B.* and his Children in the same Manner; *B.* shall not compel *A.* to give Security that they shall go accordingly. 1 *Ch. R.* 260.

So, if a Man devises his Real and Personal Estate to *A.* and the Children of his Body, and if he has no Issue, &c. this Devise giving an Estate-tail in the Lands to *A.* shall be an absolute Disposition of the Personal Estate to him. *F.g.* 320.

So, if it be to *A.* and the Heirs of his Body, and if he dies not having Heirs of his Body living, then as to that, which he does not dispose of in his Life, to *B.* for Charitable Uses; the Devise to *B.* is void, for *A.* had the absolute Power over the Whole. *R.* 5 *G. 2.* *F.g.* 315.

Or, one Moiety to *A.* and the Heirs of his Body, and after his Death to his Sister, for Default of such Heirs, and the other Moiety to the Sister for Life, and afterwards to the Heirs of her Body, and for Default of such Heirs, after her Death to *A.* tho' the Moiety to the Sister goes over after her Death, yet the Devise of the Moiety of the Personal Estate to *A.* shall be absolute. *R.* *F.g.* 321.

So a Chattel Personal, as a Horse, cannot be granted to *A.* during his Life, for the Grant is absolute. *D.* 2 *Roll.* 49. *l.* 30.

It cannot be devised to *A.* for Life, Remainder to another. *R.* 1 *Roll.* 610. *l.* 27.

So, if a Devise be to *A.* of Personal Estate, and if he die not having Heirs Male of his Body, then of so much as he shall be actually possessed of at his Death to a Charitable Use; the Devise over is void, for it was an absolute Devise, with a Power of disposing to *A.* *Per King,* 5 *Geo. 2.* 15.

But if Rarities are devised to his Wife for Life, and if she shall have a Son, to such Son, and if she has not a Son, or such Son dies without Issue, to *B.* for Life, and that he leave them to *C.* his Son; If the Wife has not a Son, and *B.* dies in the Life of the Testator, *C.* has an Interest after the Death of the Wife, and she shall be a Trustee for *C.* *R. Ca. Ch.* 130. 2 *Ver.* 60. *Vide Post,* (4 *W.* 5.)

So, if Interest be devised, a Moiety to *A.* a Moiety to *B.* and if *A.* dies, *B.* shall have the Whole for his Life, and *B.* dies without Issue of his Body, the Principal shall be divided between *C.* and *D.* the Devise of the Principal upon such Contingency shall be good. *R.* 2 *Ver.* 38, 60.

So, if Money be devised to *A.* and if she dies under the Age of 21 Years, without Issue, to *B.* it shall be a good Devise to *B.* if *A.* dies without Issue, before her Age of 21 Years. *R.* 2 *Ver.* 87.

Or, to *A.* for Life, and if he dies without Children to *B.* it shall be a Trust for *B.* *F.g.* 318.

Or, to his Niece, upon Trust that she shall take the Interest for her Use, and after her Death that the Interest shall be for the Maintenance of her Children till Age, and then the Money to be divided between the Children, and for Default of such Issue, to *A.* If the Niece has no Issue, it shall be a Trust for *A.* *R. and aff. in Parl.* *F.g.* 318.

And an Interest derived out of a Freehold may be limited otherwise than a Chattel merely Personal: And therefore, a next Avoidance may be granted to *A.* and his Assigns during the Life of *A.* in which Case the Assignee shall not present, if the Avoidance does not happen in the Life of *A.* *R.* 2 *Roll.* 49. *l.* 20.

(+ *G. 2.*) In Chattels Real.

* *Vide Post,*
(4 *W.* 19.)

So a Term for Years shall not be limited to create a Perpetuity.

And the Trust of a Term shall not be limited, nor the Limitation allowed in Equity, further than the Term may be limited by Law. *Per Ld. Nott.* 3 *Ca. Ch.* 28, 48.

And therefore, a Limitation of the Trust of a Term, after the Dying of any one without Issue, is void. *R. D. of Norf.* 3 *Ca. Ch.* 28. 2 *Ver.* 684. *R. Jon.* 15.

[If a Man devises Chattels Real to his Son *A.* and the Issue of his Body, then to his Son *B.* and the Issue, &c. then to *C.* &c.; the whole Interest vests in *A.* and the Limitations over are void. *Ferreyes v. Robertson*, P. 1731. *Bunb.* 301.]

[If *A.* devises his full and whole Estate, Bank-stock, &c. to his Nephew *B.* and his legitimate Heirs, and if he dies without them to *C.*; legitimate Heirs are Heirs of his Body lawfully begotten, and the contingent Limitation is too remote, and void, unless Something confines it to the Time of his Death. *Barret v. Beckford*, T. 1750. 1 *Vexey* 519.]

As, if the Limitation be to a Man till *B.* dies without Issue, and then to *C.* the Limitation to *C.* is void. *Agr.* 3 *Ca. Ch.* 32.

Or, to *A.* and the Heirs of his Body, and afterwards to *B.* *R. per two J. Dy.* 7.

So, if a Term be limited to one and his Issue, and if the Issue die without Issue, Remainder to *B.* Tho' the Limitation to the Issue is void, yet the Remainder is also void, being after the Limitation of a Dying without Issue.

Agr. 3 *Ca. Ch.* 29.

So, if a Term be limited in Trust for him for Life, and afterwards for the 1st, 2d and 3d Sons successively in Tail, and if he has no Son, then to the Daughter; the Limitation to the Daughter is void, tho' he never had a Son; for it depends upon a remote Contingency, the Death of the Son without Issue.

R. 1 *Mod.* 115. *Agr.* 3 *Ca. Ch.* 29.

[If a Man seized and possessed of Real and Personal Estate, devises to Trustees to pay the Profits to *A.* for Life, and if she marries *B.* then after her Death to *B.* for Life, after both their Deaths to their first and other Sons in Tail-male, then to their Daughters, to be equally divided, for Want of such Issue, to the Issue Male or Female of the Survivor, if neither leave Issue then to *C.* for Life, and then to the Children *D.* should at his Death leave living, or his Wife be *ensent* with, that shall attain Twenty-one, their Heirs, Executors, &c.; this Limitation of the Personal Estate of Testator to the Children of *D.* cannot be maintained; for *A.* and *B.* were made Tenants in Tail, and the Limitations after that are void. *Sabbarton v. Sabbarton*, M. 8 G. 2. C. T. T. 55. N. B. This Decision is contrary to the Opinion of *B. R.* on a Case stated for their Opinion in this Cause by the Chancellor; where it is determined by the four Judges, that if a Term for Years had been bequeathed in the same Manner, the Limitation had been good. And a Decree was made accordingly, *per Hardwicke C.* in M. 1739. *B. R. H.* 413. *Andr.* 333. C. T. T. 245. 2 *P. W.* 699.]

So a Limitation of the Trust of a Term to *A.* for Life, then to such Person as *A.* by Deed or Will shall nominate, and after the Death of the Nominee, to the right Heirs of *A.* the Limitation to the right Heirs is void; for no Limitation can be after a Life not *in esse*. *R. Ca. Ch.* 8.

Or, if it be to *A.* for Life, Remainder to his first Son for Life, and if he dies without Issue, to his second Son; the Remainder is void. *R.* 1 *Lev.* 290. 1 *Sid.* 450.

But the Limitation of the Trust of a Term to one, and if he dies during the Term, then to another, is a good Limitation of the Remainder. *Dy.* 277. *b.*

So a Limitation to one for Life, and afterwards to twenty others for Life successively, when all are *in esse* at the same Time, is good for all the Remainders; tho' there be a Possibility after a Possibility. *Agr.* 3 *Ca. Ch.* 29. *Ca. Ch.* 8.

So a Limitation to one for Years, and afterwards to his Son for Life, and afterwards to the first Issue Male of the Son for Life, tho' the Son had not then any Issue, is good; for the Limitation depends only upon the Contingency of one Life *in esse*. *R.* 3 *Ca. Ch.* 29.

So, if a Limitation be to *B.* and the Heirs of his Body, *quandiu Tho.* has Issue of his Body, and if *Tho.* dies without Issue (his Wife not being *privement ensent*) in the Life of *B.* then to *C.* The Limitation to *C.* is good upon such a Contingency, which expires within the Space of one Life. *R. per Finch*, 3 *J. cont. Cont. per North*, but affirmed in *Parl.* *Duke of Norfolk's Case*, 3 *Ca. Ch.* 32, &c. *R. Cont.* 2 *Cro.* 459. *Jon.* 15.

So,

So, if a Limitation be for Life, and afterwards to *A.* if he be living at the Time of the Death of the Tenant for Life, but if he be dead, then to the eldest Son of *A.* then living, and if *A.* die without Issue in the Life of the Tenant for Life, then to *B.* the Remainder to *B.* is good. *R. Ca. Ch. 132.*

[If a Man devises a Term to *A.* for Life, Remainder to the Children *A.* shall leave at his Death, and if they die without Issue, then to *B.*; this is a good Devise over to *B.* *Atkinson v. Hutchinson, P. 1734. 3 P. W. 258.*]

[If a Lease for Years is settled in Trust, to permit *A.* to receive for Life, then *B.* for Life, then to Trustees to assign to the eldest Son of *A.* on *B.* and for Want of such Issue of such Son, to their Daughters equally; if no Issue, to *A.* his Heirs, Executors, &c.; this shall be construed as dying without such Son living at the Time of his Death, and the Remainder over to the Daughters is good. *Exel v. Wallace, H. 1750. 2 Vezey 117.* Affirmed by *Ld. Hardwicke*, on Appeal. *T. 1751. 2 Vezey 318.*]

So a Limitation to *A.* his Executors, Administrators and Assigns for ever, but if he die without Issue before 21, to *B.* shall be good to *B.* *2 Ver. 151, 2.*

So, if a Limitation be to *A.* for Life, and afterwards to his first Son for the Residue of the Term, and in Default of his Issue, to the second and other Sons, and in Default of Issue Male to his Daughter; if there never be a Son, the Limitation to the Daughter shall take Effect. *R. 2 Ver. 600. 1 Sal. 156. F.g. 320. R. 2 P. W. 618.*

[If a Man by his Will gives his (Leasehold) House, Pictures and Statues, to his Wife for Life, and if she marry again to his eldest Son, and his Issue, &c. and if Testator leave no lawful Issue then to *A.* and his Issue; and by another Clause declares that his eldest Son and his Issue, and if he leave none, his eldest Daughter, and her Issue, shall have his whole Estate Real and Personal, except what he has given to his Wife, or to other Uses; and by another Clause, that if no Son or Daughter shall leave a Child behind them, then the said *A.* and his Issue shall have all his Estate, Real and Personal, just in the same Manner, and with the same Restrictions and Exceptions, as to his Wife; the Limitation to *A.* is not too remote, and he shall have the House, Pictures and Statues. *Sheffield v. E. Orrery, M. 1745. 3 Atkyns 282.*]

If a Limitation be of the Trust of a Term, to one and the Heirs of his Body, this gives the whole Term to him, his Executors and Administrators.

So, if the Remainder of a Term be limited to such Person as *A.* shall nominate, the Nominee has the whole Term to him, his Executors and Administrators, tho' his Executors are not named. *Ca. Ch. 8.*

(4 G. 3.) In an Estate of Inheritance.

So an Estate of Inheritance cannot be limited in such Manner as may introduce a Perpetuity.

And therefore, if a Man by Deed or Will limits his Estate in Use, or by way of Trust to *A.* in Tail, and afterwards to *B.* in Tail, with divers Remainders over, and annexes a Condition or Proviso, that if *A.* attempts to alien, his Estate shall cease, as if he was dead, &c. such Condition is void. *Co. Lit. 377. R. 1 Co. 85, Corbet. D. 1 Co. 130. R. Mo. 470, 601. R. 6 Co. 40. R. 10 Co. 41. R. 2 Cro. 697. R. Mo. 592. Cro. El. 378, 9.*

So, if he obliges every *Cestuy que Use* to give a Statute, that he will not alien, *Chancery* will decree such Statutes to be cancelled; for by such Means a Perpetuity would be introduced. *R. Mo. 810.*

So, in any Case, if the Limitation be in such a Manner, that all, who have Interest, by joining in a Conveyance cannot pass or bar their Interest, it will be a Perpetuity. *Ca. Ch. 213.*

If a Devise be to *A.* for Life, and afterwards to his Son for Life only, and in Default of such Issue, to *B.* for Life, and so to twenty others for Life, without disposing of the Inheritance; after all the Lives *in esse*, the Limitation shall be to the first Son of *A.* and the Heirs of his Body, &c. otherwise a Perpetuity would be introduced. *R. Eq. Ca. 128.*

[If a Man makes his Will, "I make *A.* my sole Heir and Executrix, if she dies without Issue, then to *B.* he to pay *C.* 5000 *l.* and to *D.* and her Daughter 100 *l.* each, and *A.* to keep *D.*;" and *A.* levies Fine, and suffers Recovery; the Limitation over is void, and cannot be confined to *A.*'s dying without leaving Issue at her decease. *Beaulekerk v. Dormer*, T. 1742. 2 *Atkyns* 308.]

[If by Marriage-articles *A.* covenants to settle 200 *l.* on his Wife for Life, then to Trustees to preserve, &c. for his first Son, then to the first Son of such first Son, with Remainders over; the first Son takes an Estate-tail, for one not in being cannot take less. *Hucks v. Hucks*, T. 1754. 2 *Vezey* 568.]

[Whether a Settlement, empowering Trustees from Time to Time, at the Request of Tenant for Life in Possession on the Birth of a Son, to reduce the Estate-Tail of such Son to an Estate for Life, was agitated on the Duke of *Marlborough's* Will, but never determined. *Ibid.*]

(4 G. 4.) Or Freehold.

So, if a Man covenants to stand seised to the Use of *A.* for Life, and afterwards to the first Son of *A.* for Life, and afterwards to the first Son of the Body of such first Son for Life, then to several others for Life successively; all the Remainders, which are not settled in some Person during the Life of *A.* are void. *Semb. Mo.* 371.

So a Devise to *A.* and his eldest Heir Male, and so from Heir Male to Heir Male for Life for ever, shall be void to all who do not come *in esse* during the Continuance of the Estate in Possession. *R. Mo.* 371.

So a Devise to *A.* and afterwards to every one who shall be his Heir, is good to the next Heir in Remainder only. *R. Mo.* 372.

But an Estate may be limited to cease upon a Contingency, which expires within the Compass of a Life, tho' such Contingency cannot be barred; as, if an Estate be devised to *A.* and his Heirs, with a Proviso that if *A.* dies without Issue, in the Life of *B.* the Estate shall go to *B.* and his Heirs; the contingent Devise to *B.* is good, tho' it cannot be barred by a common Recovery. *R. Cro.* 592. *Pell and Brown.*

So, if Land be limited in Trust for *A.* for Life, and afterwards for *B.* for Life, and afterwards for their Issue, and afterwards for the Heirs of *A.* with a Proviso, that if *A.* and *B.* die, not having Issue living at the Time of the Death of the Survivor, and the Heirs of *B.* pay 4000 *l.* to the Heirs of *A.* within a Year after the Death of the Survivor not having Issue living, then the Estate in Fee to *A.* shall cease, and the Fee shall be to the Heirs of *B.* the Limitation shall be good; for it does not make a Perpetuity. *R. Cont. in Chanc. by Lord Chanc. Somers, between Sir Evan Lloyd and Godolphin and Wife against Sir Richard Carew and Tremain, and the Bill dismissed; but the Dismissal was reversed upon an Appeal in Parliament, 13 Jan. 1697. (Reported Comyns's Reports 20. Ca. Parl. 137.)*

(4 G. 5.) A Term that attends an Inheritance.

A Term for Years may be intailed, if it be limited to attend the Inheritance. *1 Vent.* 194. *Vide Post*, (4 W. 19, 20, 22.)

Tho' it be by several Deeds, and executed at several Times. *R. 1 Vent.* 195.

So, if a Term be created for a particular Purpose, when that Purpose is answered, the Term shall be decreed to attend the Inheritance: As, if the Term be for raising Portions; when they are raised the Term shall attend the Inheritance.

1 Sal. 154.

So, if a Termor purchase the Inheritance, his Term shall be attendant. *1*

Sal. 154.

If a Term be created by a Woman seised in Fee, for a Provision for the Children of a first Marriage, and afterwards in Trust for her, her Executors or Administrators, and her Husband dies without Issue, and she takes a second Husband; he shall not have the Term, but it shall be attendant upon the Inheritance.

R. 1 Sal. 154. *Vide Ante*, (2 M. 9.)

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If a Woman recovers Dower, and a Purchaser with Notice has a Term prior to the Marriage assigned to attend the Inheritance, she shall not have Relief in Equity. *R. and aff. in Parliament, 1 Ver. 357. Co. Parl. 69. Eq. Abr. 219.*

If a Purchaser of the Inheritance of *Cestuy que Trust* in Tail, has a Recovery by *Cestuy que Trust* in Tail, and a prior Term assigned for his Protection, the Term shall be a Security to the Purchaser against him in Remainder after the Estate-tail. *1 Ch. R. 245.*

(4 H) Power.

(4 H. 1.) When aided, tho' not pursued.

(4 H. 1.)
If it be for
Payment of
Debts.
Vide Poier,
(A. 1.)

IF a Man has a Power to make Leases, and he for valuable Consideration makes a Lease, but not pursuant to his Power, *Chancery* will relieve. *1 Ch. R. 185.*

So, where a Man having a Power to make a Lease in Possession, made a Lease to commence at a future Day (which is void by Law) for Payment of Debts, for which the Lessee was engaged with the Lessor, which was enjoyed by the Lessee for many Years, and then the Lessee died without other Assets, the Lessor was decreed to make the Lease good to a Creditor of the Lessee, for Money which came to the Use of the Lessor; tho' the Lessor pleaded, that the Lessee was also indebted to him. *R. Ca. Ch. 10. 1 Ch. R. 185.*

So, if a Man has a Power to make a Jointure, but the Execution thereof is deficient in any Circumstances, it shall be aided in *Chancery*. *2 Ca. Ch. 30.*

So, if a Man has a Power to make a Lease for ten Years, and makes it for twenty, it shall be good in Equity for ten Years. *Ca. Ch. 23. 3 Ch. R. 11.*

So, if a Man, in any Case, has a Power to create an Estate, &c. and does it for Payment of Debts, but the Power is not pursued, it shall be aided in Equity. *Per Treby, 3 Ca. Ch. 89.*

(4 H. 2.)
For Provision
for younger
Children.
Vide Ante,
(3 Z. 4)

So, if a Man for Provision for younger Children (having a Power to charge Land with 500*l.* gives Instructions for a Conveyance of other Land to raise Portions, and, if this was not sufficient, to raise the Residue upon that Land, but dies before the Conveyance made; that Land shall be charged with the Residue, under 500*l.* against the Heir, tho' the Circumstances of the Power were not pursued. *R. Ca. Ch. 264.*

So, if a Man who has a Power to charge Land, &c. charges it for a Provision of younger Children; tho' the Power be not pursued, it shall be helped in Equity. *Per Treby, 3 Ca. Ch. 89, 91, 92. 2 P. W. 490.*

So, if a Termor limits the Term to Trustees for such Persons as he shall nominate, and he names *A.* to receive the Profits for Payment of Legacies; if his Power does not extend to give an Interest to the Executor or Administrator of *A.* it shall be supplied out of his Estate, otherwise the Legatees, &c. upon the Death of *A.* would be defeated. *R. Ca. Ch. 9.*

So, if a Term to raise Portions for younger Sons by way of Use be void, it shall be aided. *3 Ca. Ch. 91. R. Cont. Ca. Ch. 160.*

So a Power for the Benefit of younger Children shall be aided, tho' the Settlement was voluntary. *Ca. Ch. 263. Cont. Ca. Ch. 160.*

[If *A.* has a Power to dispose of an Interest in such Shares as he thinks fit among his Children, and for want of Appointment, to his right Heirs, and he by Will delegates it to his Wife, to dispose in such Shares as she thinks fit, between his Son and Daughter, and for want of Appointment, in equal Shares to them; this is a good Appointment to the two Children, in equal Shares; for *A.* could not delegate his Power. *Ingram v. Ingram, M. 1740. 2 Atkyns 88.*]

[Where there is a Power to charge an Estate with a gross Sum, it implies a Power to charge it with Interest. *Boycot v. Cotton, M. 1738. 1 Atkyns 552.*]

(4 H. 3.)
For the Aid
of a Purchaser

So, if a Power be not pursued, there shall be Relief in Equity, in Behalf of a Purchaser. *Per Treby, 3 Ca. Ch. 89.*

Or, in Aid of the Wife upon Marriage Articles. *Semb. 2 Ca. Ch. 28.*

So there shall be Relief in Equity, when the Power is not pursued by reason of any Fraud, or Accident; as, if a Man be prevented from pursuing some Circumstances by Sicknefs, &c. *Per Treby, 3 Ca. Ch. 89. Per Holt ibidem 109.* (4 H. 4.) If it be not pursued by Reason of Fraud, or Accident.

(4 H. 5.) When the Execution of a Power shall be made by the Court.

So, if a Man covenants to make a Jointure on his Marriage, and has not any Estate, which can be settled, but only a Power, before the Execution whereof he dies; the Settlement shall be decreed out of his Power, if the Bill be proper. *Semb. 2 Ca. Ch. 28, 30. Per Master of the Rolls, Earl of Cov. Case 12.*

So, if Land be devised to an Executor, to sell for Payment of Portions to younger Children, and the Executor dies before Sale; the Heir shall be decreed to sell. *R. upon Demurrer, Ca. Ch. 35. Vide Ante, (3 A. 6, 7.)*

So, if A. has a Power to make a Jointure, and by Articles on his Marriage, and on Payment of a Portion, covenants to make a Settlement of 500*l.* per Ann. for a Jointure pursuant to his Power, and dies before the Settlement made; he in Remainder shall be decreed to execute his Power. *R. 1724. Earl of Coventry's Case, Fra. 20. Eq. Ca. 160. Vide Eq. Abr. 348.*

So, if a Trustee covenants to execute his Power and does not do it; it shall be decreed. *2 Ver. 465.*

So, if a Father, after Marriage, settles his Estate, Part for a Jointure, and the Residue upon his Issue Male, with a Power to charge 500*l.* for younger Children, and covenants to do it, but dies before he has charged it; it shall be decreed by the Court; for the Covenant amounts to an Execution of the Power. *Per Ld. Somers, Eq. Ca. 167.*

So, if an Infant having a Power to settle a Moiety of his Estate for a Jointure, and upon his Marriage, he and his Mother covenant by Articles to settle 100*l.* per Ann. for a Jointure; it shall be decreed. *Per Cowper, Eq. Ca. 167.*

So, if B. in Remainder, after the Death of A. without Issue, has such a Power, and covenants, upon his Marriage, to execute it, and A. afterwards dies without Issue, and B. survives and does not do it. *R. Eq. Ca. 167.*

(4 H. 6.) When a defective Execution shall be aided.

So, if an Intent to make Execution of a Power be evident, tho' all Circumstances are not observed, it shall be aided; as, if a Man has a Power to charge Land with 500*l.* by Deed or Will under his Hand and Seal, and he by his Will under his Hand devises 500*l.* but there is no Seal, it shall be aided. *R. Ca. Ch. 263. Earl of Cov. Case 5.* *Vide Post, (4 H. 7.)*

If a Man has a Power to limit an Estate to his Children, by Writing before two Witnesses, and by Will, executed before two Witnesses, devises a Rent to his Children; tho' it is not a good Devise for want of three Witnesses, it shall be a good Execution of the Power in Equity. *3 Ca. Ch. 69.*

So, if he has a Power to raise Portions by Deed, or Will, executed in the Presence of three Witnesses, and he does it by a Will, to which there are only two Witnesses. *Eq. Ca. 168.*

[If Father Tenant for Life, and his Son in Tail agree to charge Land with a Sum for younger Children after Father's Death, as he by Will duly executed shall appoint, and he appoints by Will, executed before two Witnesses, it is good, for nothing passed from him; otherwise had it been the Owner of the Estate. *Jones v. Clough, T. 1751. 2 Vexey 365.*]

So, if he has a Power to make a Jointure by Deed under his Hand and Seal, and he by his Will under his Hand and Seal gives the Estate to his Wife for Life. *R. 2 P. W. 490.*

If, having a Power to make a Jointure to the Amount of 1200*l.* per Ann. he covenants to do it, and afterwards makes a Jointure of Lands supposed to be of that Value, but which are not; it shall be supplied. *R. Eq. Ca. 167.*

[If one has a Power to settle a Jointure of 4000*l.* per Annum, without Deduction or Abatement for any Taxes, Charges or Impositions, imposed or to be imposed,

imposed, parliamentary or otherwise; and Articles are made, that he will settle 3000 *l. per Annum* over and above Reprizes, pursuant to the Power, and a Settlement is made of Lands, with Covenant that the Lands shall produce 3000 *l. clear* of all Taxes and Prizes, and there appears afterwards a Deficiency; the Jointress shall have the Deficiency made good, and is intitled to such a Jointure as at executing the Articles was worth 3000 *l. per Annum*, free from all Incumbrances, Rent-charges, Rents-seck, Fee-farms, Quit-rents, Annuities, Stipends to Ministers, Pensions and Procurations, and from all parliamentary Taxes or Impositions, of such Nature and Kind as were in being at the Time of executing the said Power, and particularly from the Land-tax then in being. *Marchioness Blandford v. Dutches Marlborough, P. 1743. 2 Atkyns 542.*

[If *A.* has a Power to settle a Jointure, (*i. e.* to convey a legal Estate) on any after Wife during her Life, not exceeding 600 *l. per Annum*, and he in Execution of it conveys the Lands to Trustees, (not to the Wife) to raise clear 300 *l.* and by another Deed 300 *l.* more clear of Taxes, &c. this Execution is void in Law and Equity; but the Court will decree the Trustees to convey to the Wife a Jointure not exceeding 600 *l. per Annum*, liable to Taxes, &c. *Hervey v. Hervey, M. 1739. 1 Atkyns 561.*

[Equity will supply a defective Execution of Powers, in Case of younger Children, and Provision for a Wife, as well as in Favour of Purchasers or Creditors. *Ibid.*]

[And it will aid, if intended for Provision, whether voluntary or not. *Ibid.*]

[It is not necessary that the Wife or Child applying be totally unprovided for. *Ibid.*]

[A Person who has not the Provision stipulated for, must be considered as absolutely unprovided for, *Ibid.*]

So, if *A.* has Power to charge a Term with Portions, and he raises a new Term for those Portions, which is void in Law; the prior Term shall be charged against a Purchaser, tho' the Portions were voluntary. *R. Ca. Ch. 290.*

If he has a Power to charge 2000 *l.* upon Land, and makes a Mortgage for 2000 *l.* generally; it shall be taken as an Execution of the Power. *Semb. Ca. Ch. 104.*

If a Settlement be with a Power, that, if there be a Daughter, and he in Remainder does not pay 2000 *l.* to the Daughter, at her Age of sixteen Years, at one Payment, the Trustees may distrain for the Portion with Damages; the Trustees shall be decreed to sell, tho' no Power of Entry, or Sale is given. *R. 2 Ver. 2.*

[If a Man sufficiently describes the Estate he has a Power to charge, it is bound, tho' he does not refer to the Deed out of which the Power rises. *Probert v. Morgan, P. 1739. 1 Atkyns 440.*]

(4 H. 7.) When it shall not be aided.

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If the Intent
of the Power
is not pursued.

But when the Intent of the Power is not pursued, it shall not be aided in Equity; as, if a *Feme Sole* makes a Settlement upon herself for Life, Remainder over, with Power to make Leases for three Lives, while she is *Sole*; if she marries, and the Husband and Wife make a Lease for three Lives, it shall not be aided in Equity. *R. Ca. Ch. 18.*

[If for providing for such younger Children as Father and Mother shall leave unmarried or unprovided for, Trustees are to raise 1000 *l.* to be paid such younger Children, in such Manner and Proportion as they shall appoint, and in Default to said younger Children, or some of them as Survivor shall appoint, and in Default, equally; and Father surviving, and very old, appoints 50 *l.* to *A.* to pay a Debt which he owes, 125 *l.* to *B.* 825 *l.* to *C.* and nothing to *D.* it is void; as contrary to the Intent of the Power, which is to provide for all unprovided for, and annexing a Condition he had no Power to annex. *Burliegh v. Pearson, T. 1749. 1 Vezey 281.*]

If *A.* has a Power to make a Limitation of Lands to such a Purpose by his Will, a Draught of a Will not executed, since the Statute of 29 Car. 2. 3. shall not be aided. *Per Gilbert, E. of Cov. Case, Fra. 5.*

If a Man gives the Residue of his Estate to his Wife, with Power to dispose thereof with the Concurrence of his Trustees; if she by her Will makes a Disposition without his Trustees, it shall not be decreed. *R. 2 Ver. 723.*

[If a Widow by her Husband's Will has Power to appoint 6000 *l.* among her Children, she cannot give to Grandchildren, nor give a discretionary Power to another to appoint. *Alexander v. Alexander, T. 1755. 2 Vezey 640.*]

[If she gives Part to *C.* for Life, and then to her Children; *C.* has it for Life, and then it falls into the Residue. *Ibid.*]

[If she gives Part to Trustees to apply it as they think fit, for the Support of her Son *F.* his Wife and Children, but not to pay his Debts; *F.* is intitled to the Whole, and it must be subject to his Debts. *Ibid.*]

If the Power be to dispose by Deed or Will, it must be an effectual Will, signed by three Witnesses, &c. *R. 1 P. W. 741. 2 P. W. 259.*

Tho' the Devise be of an Estate to a Charity. *2 P. W. 260.*

Or, of the Trust, or Equity of Redemption of a Copyhold Estate. *2 P. W. 261. **

* *Vid- the Note ibid. Cont.*

So, if Tenant in Tail, with a Power to make a Charge upon Land for 2000 *l.* by Deed or by his Will, makes a Mortgage for 2000 *l.* by Lease and Release and dies; the Issue in Tail, who claims by Marriage Settlement, shall not be compelled in Equity to confirm the Mortgage, or to execute such an Estate to the Mortgagee, as might have been executed by his Ancestor, according to his Power. *R. Ca. Ch. 104. 1 Ch. R. 275.*

(4 H. 8.)
Nor, where it was not the Party's Purpose to execute his Power.

If a Man, having a Power of Revocation, in a Passion breaks the Seal, but afterwards delivers the Deed to the Trustees to be preserved to the same Uses; it is no Revocation. *R. 3 Ca. Ch. 69, 70.*

So a Non-execution of his Power shall never be aided. *2 P. W. 490.*

So, if the Power be, that *A.* may raise so much Money, &c. and *A.* does nothing towards executing it; the Court will not execute it, tho' it seems reasonable in Aid of Creditors. *2 Ver. 465.*

Nor, if he directs a Deed to be prepared for such Purpose, but does nothing more, and neither signs, or executes it; for his Intention does not appear to be compleat, and it was at his Election to raise it or not. *E. of Cov. Case 16.*

So, if a Power, created by a voluntary Conveyance, be not well pursued, it shall not be aided in Equity; as, if a Man by a voluntary Settlement gives an Estate to his Son for Life, with a Power to make an Appointment to a younger Son, so that it commence after the Death of his Wife, and he makes an Appointment to commence after the Death of himself and Wife. *R. upon Dummer, Ca. Ch. 160.*

(4 H. 9.)
If the Power was created by a voluntary Settlement, and executed voluntarily. *Vide Post, (40. 7.)*

Yet a Power to raise Portions for younger Children has been aided in Equity, when the Circumstances were not pursued, tho' the Settlement was voluntary. *Ca. Ch. 161, 263. Vide Ante, (4 H. 2.)*

So a Power, created by a voluntary Settlement, has been aided, (when it was not pursued) against a Person, who claimed under the same Settlement. *Ca. Ch. 263, 4.*

Prerogative.

Vide Title Prærogative.

Presentation to a Church.

Vide Esglise, (H. 1, &c.)

Privilege.*Vide Title Privilege.***Process.***[Vide Ante, (D. 1.)—Vide Title Process.]***(4 I.) Purchase.****(4 I. 1.) What shall be a Purchase.***Vide Ante,
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2 T. 5, &c.)*** 2d Part of
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IF there are Articles for a Purchase, the Vendor stands seised in Trust for the Purchaser, before a Conveyance executed. *Ca. Ch. 39. 2 P. W. (629.)*

And if the Purchaser devises the Land, it shall be decreed in Equity. *R. Ca. Ch. 39. D. Fra. Earl of Cov. 4. 2 Ver. 680. Eq. Ca. 78. * 2 P. W. (631.)*

So, if a Man purchases a Copyhold and has a Surrender, but the Vendor dies before the Admittance of the Surrenderee. *Ca. Ch. 39. 3 Ch. R. 4.*

So, if a Man agrees to sell or make a Mortgage for Money; he stands seised in Trust for the Vendee. *Ca. Ch. 171.*

If a Man agrees to pay 800*l.* for four Houses in *A.* which before a Conveyance are destroyed by an Earthquake; Payment shall be decreed. *R. 2 Ver. 280.*

Tho' *A.* covenants for *B.* to pay, and has not Assets of *B.* in his Hands. *2 Ver. 280.*

So, if by Marriage-Articles, Money is agreed to be vested in the Purchase of Lands; it shall be considered as a Purchase, and decreed to him who will be intitled to the Land. *R. 2 Ver. 101. R. Eq. Abr. 175.*

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So, if *A.* gives a Bond to surrender a Copyhold to *B.* he shall be deemed a Trustee for *B.* *R. Eq. Ca. 62. **

If *A.* agrees for a Purchase with *B.* it shall be decreed, if *B.* can make a Title at the Time of the Decree or the Report, tho' he had not a Title at the Time of the Contract. *2 P. W. (630.)*

[If *A.* mortgages an Estate to *B.* who mortgages it to *C.* for 200*l.* Charity-money, directed to be laid out in Purchase of Lands in Fee, and *C.* leases the Estate to *A.*'s Heir for 5000 Years, for 12*l.* per Annum the three first Years, and 10*l.* per Annum for the Remainder of the Term, and if the 200*l.* repaid in the three first Years, the Premises to be re-conveyed; if it is not so paid, it shall be deemed an absolute Purchase. *Miller v. Lee, H. 1742. 2 Atkyns 494.*]

(4 I. 2.) Who shall be a Purchaser.

Every one, who comes to an Estate in Land for a valuable Consideration *bona fide* paid, shall be a Purchaser; as, if Land is settled upon a Person, for Money paid, in Fee, in Tail, for Life, or for Years.

Or, in Consideration of a Marriage to be had.

So, if a Lease be, rendring full Rent, without Fine; the Lessee shall be a Purchaser, and shall avoid a voluntary Settlement. *2 Ver. 327.*

So a Woman, who has an Agreement for a Jointure, shall be a Purchaser, if the Portion is paid. *R. Ca. Ch. 100.*

So, if the Father covenants to pay it, tho' it does not appear to be paid; for Security is Payment. *R. Ca. Ch. 99. Vide Ante, (3 Z. 3.)*

So, upon an Agreement for a Jointure, the Issue of the Marriage, claiming Lands by such Agreement, shall be Purchasers. *R. Ca. Ch. 255.*

So, if a Tenant in Fee agrees with *A.* and *B.* to take them Partners for 21 Years in Mines, which they are to search for and work, and he to have a Tenth

of the Profit; *A.* and *B.* having laid out 120*l.* in the Search of a Mine, are in the Nature of Purchasers, and shall avoid a voluntary Settlement. 2 *Ver.* 327.

If the Husband makes a Jointure, and it is agreed, that he shall have the Portion of his Wife, but he dies before any Assignment, &c. to him; it shall be decreed to the Representative of the Husband; for he is in the Nature of a Purchaser. *F.g.* 211.

So, if Tenant for Life, with Power to make a Jointure, marries and dies before the Jointure is compleated; the Wife shall have the Privilege of a Purchaser. *Ibid.*

But if a Woman, having Land conveyed to her, takes a Husband, who makes a Jointure, but no Settlement is made or agreed to be made of the Wife's Land; the Husband shall not be relieved, as a Purchaser of those Lands. *F.g.* 212, 217.

(4 I. 3.) When a Purchaser shall be relieved against Incumbrances.

A Purchaser *bonâ fide* may by an old Mortgage, Statute or Judgment, &c. *Vide Cowin*, protect himself against a mesne Incumbrance. *R. Ca. Ch.* 36. *Vide Ante*, (B. 3.)

(I. 5.)—(4 A. 4, 10.) *Ca. Ch.* 267. *Vide Post*, (4 I. 11.)

And if he is a Purchaser without Notice, he may plead that to a Bill for Discovery of his Title. *Vide Ante*, (I. 1.)

And if he has Deeds in his Hands, which shew a Title in another, he need not discover them. *R. Ca. Ch.* 69.

Tho' obtained by Artifice. 2 *Ver.* 159.

So he need not discover where his Land lies, or who is the Tenant, in order to have Execution of a Judgment, Statute, &c. *R. 2 Ca. Ch.* 47, 48.

So a Purchaser shall have the Benefit of an old Mortgage, &c. assigned for him, tho' nothing is due upon it. *R. 2 Ver.* 159.

If the Vendor was seised in Trust for another; a Purchaser for a valuable Consideration, without Notice of the Trust, shall not be subject to it. 3 *Ca. Ch.* 123. *Vide Uses*, (D. 2.)

So, if a Trustee, in Consideration of a Marriage with his Daughter, covenants to stand seised to the Husband for his Life, and afterwards to his Daughter, not having Notice of the Trust: Neither the Husband, nor the Wife shall be subject to the Trust. *Semb.* 2 *Rol.* 781. l. 15.

If a Man articles for making a Marriage-Settlement, and afterwards mortgages the Estate to *B.* The Mortgagee without Notice shall enjoy against a Settlement subsequent. *Semb.* 2 *Vent.* 343.

If a Settlement is for Payment of Debts, where no Debt is expressed, nor Creditor a Party; a Purchaser without Notice shall not be subject, nor shall a Creditor have Relief against him. *Ca. Ch.* 249.

If *A.* purchases, having Notice of an Incumbrance, and afterwards sells to *B.* without Notice; *B.* shall have Relief, but *A.* shall make Satisfaction out of his Purchase-Money. *R. 2 Ver.* 384.

If a Purchaser of a Term erects new Buildings, he shall have Relief against a dormant Title, of which he had no Notice, *pro tanto* as he expended. *R. 2 Lev.* 152.

If a Bill is for the Examination of Witnesses to a Will *in perpetuam rei Memoriam*; it shall not be decreed against a Purchaser without Notice. *Eq. Abr.* 333.

So, if a Purchaser gives Security for the Purchase-Money, and before Payment the Land is evicted; the Purchaser shall be relieved from his Security for the Payment. *R. 2 Ca. Ch.* 19.

Tho' the Covenant in the Deed of Purchase was only against all claiming under the Vendor, and the Eviction was by a Title *Paramount*. *R. 2 Ca. Ch.* 19.

So a Purchaser shall be aided against him, who, having Notice of his own Title, suffers the Purchase to proceed, without giving Notice to the Purchaser. *R. Eq. Ca.* 37. * *Vide Post*, (4 W. 28.)

[If a Mortgagee present at a Treaty for Marriage of Mortgagor's Son, conceals his Mortgage, and assures the Father that he will trust his personal Security, the Son,

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Son, Wife and Issue, shall hold the Lands against the Mortgagee. *Berrisford v. Milward, T. 1740. 2 Atkyns 49.*

[A Purchaser for a full Consideration shall not be prejudiced by the Mistake or Ignorance of some of the Parties to the Conveyance, of their Claim under a Marriage-settlement. *Malden v. Menil, P. 1737. 2 Atkyns 8.*]

(4 I. 4.) When not.

But if a Purchaser has Notice of a Trust, he shall be charged with it in Equity. *R. 2 Ver. 384. Vide Uses, (D. 2.)*

So, if *A.* articles for the granting of a Lease, and afterwards sells the Land to *B.* for a valuable Consideration, who has Notice of the Agreement; *B.* shall be decreed to grant the Lease. *R. 2 Rol. 781. l. 10. Lane 60.*

[If Tenant for Life covenants to renew a Lease, and his Son Tenant in Tail, and intitled to his Estate, afterwards covenants also, and then sells the Estate to *A.* who has Notice of such Covenant, and an Allowance for it in the Purchase; *A.* is bound to renew. *E. Brook v. Bulkeley, T. 1754. 2 Vexey 498.*]

So, if Land is devised to be sold for Payment of Debts; a Purchaser, with Notice that the Debts were before paid, or that the Personal Estate was sufficient for the Payment, ought to re-convey to the Heir. *R. 2 Ca. Ch. 116. 1 Ver. 487.*

If *A.* has a Debt due to him by Statute from *B.* and upon a Mortgage by *B.* engrosses the Mortgage-Deed, without discovering his Statute; he shall not extend his Statute against the Mortgagee. *3 Ca. Ch. 85.*

If the Devisee of a College Lease, in Trust for his Son, renews in his own Name, and afterwards mortgages to *B.* who had Notice of the Will; *B.* shall take it, subject to the Trust. *1 Ver. 486.*

If the Lord of a Manor leases a Tenement to his Daughter for 99 Years, and afterwards sells the Manor to *B.* who has Notice and takes a Bond that the Daughter shall surrender at her full Age; *B.* shall take, subject to the Lease, which was an Advancement for the Daughter. *1 Ver. 467.*

If, to a Bill, the Defendant pleads, that he is a Purchaser for a valuable Consideration; the Plaintiff may by a new Bill charge, that he was a Purchaser with Notice, and require an Answer of the Defendant, to that. *Ca. Ch. 252.*

[A Man cannot defend himself in Equity as a Purchaser for a valuable Consideration, under Articles only: but if injured, must sue at Law on the Covenants. *Brandlyn v. Ord, M. 1738. 1 Atkyns 571.*]

[The Court will not decree a voluntary Conveyance to be delivered up to a Purchaser on valuable Consideration, unless Fraud appears. *Oxley v. Lee, H. 1736. 1 Atkyns 625.*]

[If the Purchaser of Lands in *Middlesex* knows they are charged with an Annuity, he shall pay it, tho' the Grant was not registered according to 7 *An. c. 20.* *Cheval v. Nichols, in Sc. M. 1 G. Str. 664.*]

[If a Man after Marriage, in Consideration of 100 *l.* paid by his Wife's Mother, settles 100 *l.* per Annum on himself for Life, Remainder to his Son, &c. and his Mother joins in the Conveyance, and thirteen Years after he mortgages; Mortgagee shall not foreclose. *Jones v. Marsh, H. 8 G. 2. C. T. T. 64.*]

What shall be sufficient Notice, *Vide Ante, (I. 1.—4 C. 2.)*

(4 I. 5.) When a Purchaser may take in prior Incumbrances.

So, if a Purchaser of Lands incumbered takes an Assignment of the Incumbrances paid with his Money; it will be well, tho' all the Incumbrances are not discharged. *R. 2 Ca. Ch. 205.*

So, if a Purchaser of a Reversion upon an Estate for Life, under a Decree of Chancery, pays his Money, and then the Life falls; he shall not be compelled to take his Money back again with Interest. *1 Ch. R. 75, 76.*

(4 I. 6.) When he ought to discharge prior Incumbrances out of the Purchase Money.

If there is a Trust for Payment of Debts, generally; a Purchaser shall not be affected, tho' he has Notice. 1 Ver. 260.

Tho' more is sold than is sufficient to pay the Debts. 1 Ver. 303. *Semb. Cont. 1 Ver. 487. Vide Ante, (4 I. 4.)*

But, if the Trust is for Payment of Debts mentioned in a Schedule; a Purchaser ought to apply the whole Money paid by him to the Debts, otherwise he shall be affected by the Debts not discharged. 1 Ver. 303, 260, 1. *Lloyd v. Baldwin, M. 1748. 1 Vezey 173.*

So, if an Act of Parliament enables a Tenant for Life to raise Money for re-building and stocking a Printing-Office, burnt down by Fire; the Mortgagee, who advances Money upon this Security, shall be affected, if the Monies advanced are not applied to this particular Purpose. R. 2 Ver. 6.

So, if a Termor devises 2000*l.* for his Daughters Portions out of the Profits, and his Executor mortgages to A. who has Notice of the Devise; A. shall take, subject to the Devise, tho' the Executor had full Power to sell the Term. R. in Parliament, 2 Ver. 445.

So, if an Executor sells a Term to A. who has Notice of a Bond Debt due from the Testator to B. and pays the Purchase-Money to the Executor, who commits a *Devastavit*; A. shall be subject to the Demand of B. for the Term was Assets, and A. a Party to the *Devastavit*. R. 2 Ver. 616.

If a Man surrenders a Copyhold to the Use of himself for Life, and afterwards to A. (a Relation of his Wife's) in Fee, who is admitted, and afterwards, upon a second Marriage, surrenders the same Copyhold to the Use of the second Wife and her Children; she shall not be relieved against A. R. 1 Ver. 365.

If Tenant in Tail of Lands by Devise, charged with 500*l.* to a Charity, levies a Fine to the Use of himself in Fee, and afterwards makes a Mortgage, or Sale; a Purchaser by Fine and Nonclaim shall not be excused from paying the 500*l.* for the Title of the Vendor has the same Commencement with the Charity; and therefore, all Purchasers, having Notice of the Will, ought to contribute in Proportion. R. 2 Ver. 662.

(4 I. 7.) Incumbrances are to be discharged in Proportion.

If, upon a Purchase, Land is settled upon A. for Life, and afterwards to B. in Fee; prior Incumbrances ought to be discharged in Proportion. *Vide Ante, (2 I.)*

So, if a Settlement is made upon a Wife for Jointure, and afterwards to the Issues of the Marriage; Incumbrances afterwards discovered shall be divided in Proportion; for the Wife ought not to be excused *in toto*. 1 Ver. 440.

(4 I. 8.) The Purchaser of a Reversion shall not controvert the Title of the particular Estate.

If a Man purchases a Reversion after the Death of B. who claims an Estate for Life; B. shall be established for his Life in his Possession against the Purchaser, without an Examination, whether he had a good Title. 2 Ver. 279.

(4 I. 9.) What Estates are within the Consideration of a Purchase.

If a Father, or other Ancestor Lineal, makes a Settlement upon the Marriage of his Son, Grandchild, &c. all Limitations to his Children or their Posterity are within the Consideration of the Settlement. *Per Gowper, Eq. Ca. 132. **

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(4 L. 10.) What not.

But all Limitations, after Failure of such Issue, to Collateral Kindred, are voluntary, and out of the Consideration of the Marriage Settlement. *Eq. Ca.* 132.*
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Otherwise, if the Father and Son, who make the Settlement, have both any Interest. 2 *P. W.* 256.

(4 I. 11.) Purchaser without Notice.

A Purchaser, without Notice of a prior Incumbrance, shall not be impeached, or prejudiced by it in Equity. *Eq. Abr.* 333. *Vide Ante*, (4 I. 3.) *Vide Notice, Ante*, (4 C. 1, &c.)

Nor discover his Title, nor lose any Advantage which he has by Law. *Eq. Abr.* 333.

(4 K) Recovery, Common.

(4 K. 1.) Of what Effect it is in Equity.

A Common Recovery by a *Cestuy que Trust* shall have the same Operation upon the Trust, as it shall have by Law, being suffered of an Estate at Law. *Ca. Ch.* 49. *Vide Ante*, (3 N. 8.)—*Post*, (4 S. 3, 4.)

[If *A.* devises Lands to *B.* and his Heirs, to the Use of *B.* and his Heirs, in Trust for *C.* and the Heirs of her Body, Remainder to *B.* in Fee, on Condition that he marry *C.* which he offers, and she refuses and marries another, and at full Age suffers a Recovery with her Husband; this bars the Remainder, tho' without a Fine, and tho' the Bargain and Sale to make a Tenant to the *Præcipe*, is not inrolled till after the Recovery compleated. *Robinson v. Comyns*, H. 9 G. 2. *C. T. T.* 164.]

[If there is a Limitation in a Will to *C.* and his Heirs, to the Use of him and his Heirs, in Trust to pay Debts, and then in Trust for *D.* and the Heirs of his Body, and in Default, Remainder to *C.* and his Heirs, provided he marries *M.* and *D.* suffers Recovery, it bars the Remainder to *C.* which was of an Interest distinct, either from the legal Estate or the Use. *Robinson v. Cuming*, P. 1739. 1 *Atkyns* 473.]

[A Recovery in *C. B.* is not good of Copyhold Lands; but of customary Freeholds, which pass by Surrender in a Borough-court, it may. *Oliver v. Taylor*, T. 1740. 1 *Atkyns* 474.]

(4 K. 2.) When a Defect of it shall be aided.

If a Common Recovery is suffered pursuant to an Agreement with him, who had Power to suffer a Recovery, it shall be aided in *Chancery*, tho' it was suffered by a Tenant for Life, the Agreement being with Tenant in Tail, who was dead at the Time of suffering the Recovery. *R. Ca. Ch.* 49.

Tho' the Agreement was voluntary, without a valuable Consideration. *Ca. Ch.* 49.

(4 L) Release.

(4 L. 1.) When it shall be avoided.

CHANCERY will relieve against a Release obtained by Fraud; as, if it be upon a Suggestion of a Falsity, or a Suppression of the Truth; as, if a Man obtains a Release, upon a Suggestion that a Will was revoked. 1 *Ver.* 20.
 If a Man releases the Arrears of a Legacy (being 100*l.*) upon a Suggestion that he will pay Costs, if he joins with the other Legatees in a Suit. 1 *Ver.* 32.
 (4 L. 1.)
 If it be obtained by Fraud.
Vide Ante,
 (2 C. 12.)—
 2 T. 11.—
 3 M. 1, &c.)

If a Man gets a Bond for 200*l.* to be delivered up, and a Release of all Demands upon Payment of 20*l.* where the Obligee was superannuated, tho' the Obligor insists that he was a Relation, but does not prove any Mention thereof at the Time of Payment. *R. Eq. Ca. 119.* *

If *A.* pays 200*l.* to the Wife Executrix of *B.* in Satisfaction of 300*l.* and the Wife releases the 300*l.* and the Children of *B.* for whom the 300*l.* were assigned in Trust, do not consent; *A.* shall pay the other 100*l.* *R. Eq. R. 89.* * 2d Part of 2 Mod. Ca.

[A Release procured from a Person immediately on his coming of Age, always gives a Suspicion of Fraud; especially if no Accounts are settled; or Account in Writing produced. *Steadman v. Palling, H. 1746. 3 Atkyns 423.*]

[But after a long Acquiescence, the Court will not set it aside against the Representative, against whom no Fraud is charged; till, on an Account taken before the Master, it shall appear to have been unfair. *Ibid.*]

So, if a Release extends beyond the Intent of the Parties, it shall be avoided in Equity; as, if a Widow, who had a Settlement of an Estate for her Jointure, releases all Demands to the Executor of her Husband, and then the Inheritance of the Husband is evicted, and he appears to have had only a Term for Years; she shall not be barred of the Term by this Release. *R. Ca. Ch. (4 L. 2.)* Or extends beyond the Intent. *Vide Ante. (2 T. 3.)*

47. If *A.* releases all Demands to *B.* upon an Award made upon a Submission concerning Legacies, or other different Matter; it does not bar him as to a Trust of the Land. *R. 2 Ca. Ch. 126.*

So a General Release does not bar, when made upon another Occasion. *2 Ca. Ch. 126.*

So a Release by Will to *A.* of all Debts, Accounts and Demands against him, does not discharge *A.* of a Chest of Jewels of the Testator, in his Custody. *Dub. 2 Ver. 114.*

So, if a Release is clandestinely obtained to defeat a prior Agreement, it shall be avoided in Equity; as, if *B.* agrees by Articles on the Marriage of *C.* to settle 100*l.* per ann. after his Death upon *C.* and his Heirs, and afterwards *B.* upon Pretence of a greater Advantage, obtains a Release from *C.* The Release shall be avoided, tho' the Estate was to be settled in Fee; and not upon the Issue of the Marriage. *R. 1 Ver. 241.* (4 L. 3.) Or obtained with Intent to defeat a prior Agreement.

If *A.* agrees to sell an Estate to *B.* which was mortgaged to *D.* and afterwards releases his Equity of Redemption to *D.* without a new Consideration. *R. Hard. 320.*

A fortiori, if he releases to *D.* pending a Bill for a Performance of the Purchase. *Hard. 320.*

[If there is an Assignment of a Bond in Trust for the Benefit of others, whether with or without Consideration, precedent to a Release, the Obligee cannot release; nor can it operate to the Releasee, as he must be presumed to have Notice of the Assignment, being a Trustee in it. *Bower v. Swadlin, M. 1738. 1 Atkyns 294.*]

(4 L. 4.) When it shall not be avoided.

But a Release shall not be avoided, upon Pretence that it was Fraudulent, where there is a subsequent Release to the same Intent, which is not prayed to be avoided by the Bill. *1 Ver. 86.*

So, if there be a Bill by *A.* and *B.* for an Account of the Profits of an Office in which they are Joint-tenants, and one releases to the Defendant *pendente lite*, the Release shall not be avoided; and if *A.* brings a new Bill against *B.* and the other Defendant, which suggests Combination between them, the prior Defendant may plead the Release to the second Bill; for, being a Bar in Law, it shall not be avoided by a bare Suggestion. *R. Hard. 168.*

[A Release to one Obligor, is a Release to both, in Equity as in Law. *Bower v. Swadlin, M. 1738. 1 Atkyns 294.*]

(4 N.)

(4 M) Restitution.

IF a Person is tortiously ousted of his Office, without Process at Law, Equity will direct that he be restored to his Office, and that the Wrong-doer shall account to him for the Profits, till the Title can be tried or determined by Law. *Ch. R. 50.*

(4 N) Rent.

(4 N. 1.) When recovered in Equity, tho' there is no Remedy by Law.

RENT shall be recovered in Equity, when there is no Remedy for it at Law; as, a Rent-sock shall be decreed, tho' the Grantee never had Seisin. *Ca. Ch. 79, 147.*

So, if Rent was constantly paid, till the last twelve Years; the Arrears and the accruing Rent shall be decreed, tho' the Deed by which it was created be lost. *R. Ca. Ch. 120. 1 Ver. 359.*

[If thro' Process of Time the Remedy at Law is lost, or become difficult, Equity will give Relief on the Foundation only of the Payment of the Rent for a long Time, or where the Nature of the Rent is not known, so as to be set forth, but then all the Terretenants must be brought before the Court. *Benson v. Baldwin, P. 1739. 1 Atkyns 598.*]

So, if there be no Attornment to the Grant, the Rent shall be decreed. *Ca. Ch. 147.*

So, if a Fine for raising of a Rent is defective, it shall be aided. *3 Ca. Ch. 92.*

So, if *A.* grants several Annuities out of a Term, and then assigns the Term to *B.* tho' the Grants are void for Uncertainty in the *Habendum*, they shall be decreed against all claiming through *B.* *1 Ch. R. 8.*

So, if *A.* grants an Annuity in Trust for *B.* and afterwards sells to *C.* having Notice, who afterwards obtains a Release from the Trustees, without the Consent of *B.* Tho' the Term for which the Annuity was granted be expired, *B.* shall be aided against the Release, and the Land shall be charged with all Arrears, tho' the Term be expired. *R. Ch. R. 411, 2.*

If *A.* surrenders a Copyhold to *B.* in Fee, rendering a Rent of *5l. per Ann.* to *A.* and his Heirs, and assigns the Rent to *D.* who is admitted to it; Equity will enforce the Payment of the Rent to *D.* tho' an Admittance is not a proper Title to the Rent. *R. 2 Ver. 16.*

If a Lessor, in Consideration of an Improvement, covenants to grant a subsequent Lease at the prior Rent; an Assignee of the Reversion shall be decreed to do it. *R. 2 Ver. 447.*

So, if a Rent is devised out of a Rectory to *B.* for which he cannot have any Remedy by Distress; a Court of Equity will decree not only the Rent *in futuro*, but all Arrears, tho' there was no Remedy for them at Law. *R. Ca. Ch. 79.*

So, if there is a Lease for Years, rendering *40l. per Ann.* Rent, and the Lessor settles the Land upon *B.* and his Heirs Male upon his Marriage with *A.* and it is agreed that *A.* shall have the *40l. per Ann.* for Life; it shall be decreed, tho' *A.* has no Remedy by Distress. *R. 1 Ch. R. 5.*

So, if the Lands, out of which the Rent issues, are mixt with others, whereby no Distress can be taken for it. *1 Ch. R. 61, 67.*

If a Lease of an Incorporeal Thing is assigned, and the Assignee enjoys, he shall be decreed to pay the Rent, tho' not bound by Law. *R. 2 Ver. 423.*

[A mere Grantee of the Crown, without Aid of Parliament, of Rents of a Manor where there are no Demesne Lands to distrain on, may have Relief in Equity. *D. Leeds v. Powell, M. 1748 1 Vezey 171.*]

So,

So, if there be a Devise to *A.* paying a Rent-charge to *B.* who dies; his Executor shall have Relief in Equity for the Arrears, tho' he does not alledge Want of a Distress. *R. per Mast. of the Rolls, 2 Ver. 386. Semb. Cont. per Ld. K. Wright, 2 Ver. 382.*

So, if the Assignee of a Term rendering Rent assigns over, the Lessor shall have Remedy against him in Equity for the Rent, for so long as he held the Land. *R. 1 Ver. 165. [Valliant v. Dodemede, P. 1743. 2 Atkyns 546.]*

[But the Assignee is not liable to the Rent incurred after the Assignment by him to another. *Ibid.*]

[If *A.* makes a Lease of a Coal-mine, reserving Rent, to *B.* who declares a Trust of this Lease, that he is Trustee for five Persons, they enter and take the Benefit, then *B.* becomes insolvent, the Mine unprofitable, and the Partners abandon it; the *Cestuique* Trusts shall pay the Arrears during the Time they concerned themselves in taking the Profits. *Per Talbot C. on Appeal from the Rolls. Clavering v. Westley, T. 1736. 3 P. W. 402.*]

So, if the Lessee assigns to *B.* Equity will oblige him to admit an Attornment. *R. 2 Ver. 113. Vide Post, (4 N. 4.)*

So a Pension may be recovered in Equity as well as in the Spiritual Court, or in a Writ of Annuity. *R. Hard. 230.*

Tho' payable out of a Vicarage, which has only casual Profits. *R. Hard. 230.*

(4 N. 2.) Or, the Remedy by Law is not sufficient.

So, if the Remedy at Law be not sufficient; as, if a Man devises a Rent out of a Rectory, and there is not Glebe sufficient for a Distress; the Devisee shall be decreed to be paid out of the whole Rectory. *R. Ca. Ch. 79.*

So an Executor shall be decreed to pay the Arrears due in the Time of the Testator Terre-tenant. *Vide Ante, (3 G. 2.)*

So, if a Terre-tenant assigns his Estate to prevent a Distress for Rent, the Grantee shall be aided. *3 Ca. Ch. 91.*

Or, permits the Land to lie fresh, or to be depastured in the Night only, to avoid a Distress. *2 Ver. 382.*

(4 N. 3.) When it shall not be recovered in Equity.

But Equity does not extend Relief to the Owner of a Rent, when he has a Remedy by Law, tho' it be not so beneficial; as, if Land subject to a Rent be under Sequestration, the Court will not oblige the Sequestrators to pay it out of the Money received by them. *2 Ver. 713. Vide infra.*

So, if Land subject to a Rent be aliened by Parcels to several Persons, Equity will not allow the Recovery of the Whole against one. *Eq. Abr. 33.*

The Grantee of a Rent shall not have a Remedy in Equity for the Rent, merely for the Want of a Distress, if the Want of a Distress be not caused by Fraud or other Default in the Terre-tenant. *R. Ca. Ch. 147. R. 2 Ver. 382.*

So, where the Lessee was ousted by the Usurpers and the Estate sold, the Lessee was relieved against the Lessor, after the Restoration. *R. 3 Ch. R. 16.*

So, if Rent be recoverable by Distress at Law, the Party shall not have Aid in Equity to have Possession, or a Receiver appointed. *2 Ver. 613, 382.*

So Rent shall not be decreed in Equity, where it has not been paid for 30 Years. *Ca. Ch. 184.*

So Rent shall not be decreed to the Executor, where the Lessor dies on the last Day of Payment before Sun-set. *R. Sal. 578.*

So Equity will not charge Land with Payment of Rent to such a Manor. *R. Ray. 221.*

So, generally, the Person shall not be subject to the Rent, where the Land only was charged. *Ca. Ch. 145, 185.*

So, if *Blackacre* and *Whiteacre* are subject to a Rent, and *Blackacre* is purchased by *A.* and the Vendor covenants that it shall be discharged of the Rent, it shall not be decreed that *Whiteacre*, afterwards purchased by another Person, shall stand charged with the Whole; for *A.* has Remedy upon the Covenant only. *R. Hard. 87.*

(4 N. 4.)
Against an
Assignee.

So a Rent shall not be decreed against the Assignee of a Wine-Licence Lease, who purchased without Notice of the Rent; for the Rent does not run with the Licence, but is due upon the Contract only. *R. Hard. 88.*

So an Assignee shall not be prevented of a Benefit, allowed by Law, for the avoiding of a Rent. *2 Ver. 423.*

An Assignee shall not be relieved against a Rent, or Covenants, recovered against him at Law, tho' he took the Assignment by Way of Mortgage, and never was in Possession; for it was his Folly to take an Assignment of the whole Term, and not an Under-Lease. *R. 2 Ver. 275, 374.*

So a Lessee shall not be compelled to surrender to the Lessor, to enable him to renew a College Lease, if there be no Agreement for it, tho' the Lessor offers to grant a Lease *de novo*, to the same Effect. *R. 2 Ver. 383.*

(4 N. 5.) When apportioned in Equity.

Vide Ante,
(2 E.)

A Rent may be apportioned by a Decree in Equity, where it shall not be apportioned at Law. *Ca. Ch. 32.*

As, if a Right of Common is evicted; tho' it be not an Eviction of the Land. *Ca. Ch. 32. 3 Ch. R. 11.*

So, if by antient Composition between two Abbies, the Lands of one are discharged of Tithes, by Payment of *26l. per Ann.* and the Lands come into the Hands of divers Patentees; the Composition shall be apportioned. *R. in Excheq. Sav. 5.*

But if, for Non-payment of Rent, the Lease is avoided in Law, and an Assignee of Part prays to be relieved, he ought to pay all Arrears, and repair; for the Rent shall not be apportioned.

So, if a Common be evicted, but the Land is still equal in Value to the Rent; the Rent shall not be apportioned. *3 Ch. R. 12.*

[Where Money is settled to be laid out in Land, and in the mean Time invested in Government-securities, and Tenant for Life dies in the Middle of the Half-year, the Dividend shall not be apportioned, but paid to the Reversioner; in Case of a Mortgage it is otherwise. *Sherrard v. Sherrard, P. 1747. 3 Atkyns 502.*]

(4 N. 6.) When an Extinguishment prevented.

So an Extinguishment, or Suspension of a Rent, contrary to the Intent of the Parties, may be prevented in Equity; as, if the Purchaser of Lands prevails with him, who had a Rent excepted out of the Purchase, to join in a Fine, in which two or three Acres, out of which the Rent issued, are contained; there shall be Relief in Equity. *R. Ca. Ch. 273.*

What will be an Extinguishment, or a Suspension in Law, *Vide Suspension.*

What in Equity, *Vide Post, (4 N. 8, 9.)*

So, if a Rent-charge be issuing out of Lands devised for Payment of Debts, of which Part are sold for such Intent; the whole Rent shall issue out of the Residue of the Lands. *Ca. Ch. 295.*

So, if a Rent is augmented by Encroachment, Equity does not aid against the Encroacher. *1 Ver. 517.*

(4 N. 7.)

(4 N. 7.) When a Stranger shall be aided against a Distress for Rent.

If the Cattle of B. escape into Land adjacent, whereupon the Grantee of a Rent-charge, out of the same Land, which was in Arrear for twenty Years, distrains, B. shall be aided in Equity. *R. Pr. Ch. 8.*

So, if Cattle are lodged at an Inn, for which Rent is due, with the Privity of the Lessor; in case he distrains them for Rent in Arrear, the Owner of the Cattle shall be aided in Equity. *R. Pr. Ch. 7.*

(4 N. 8.) When Rent, or other Charge upon Land shall be extinguished.

If a Rent, or other Charge would be extinguished, or suspended by Law, it shall be also in Equity; if there be no Fraud or Covin. *Vide Ante, (4 N. 6.)*
Vide Suspension.

As, if 100*l.* be charged by Will upon Land, payable to B. and the Land afterwards descends to B. in Fee; the 100*l.* shall be merged. *2 P. W. (604.)*

So, if 100*l.* or other Legacy be secured by a Term, and the Reversion descends or comes to B. in Fee, or in Tail, to whom it was payable, and B. levies a Fine or suffers a Recovery, before Assignment of the 100*l.* to another, it shall be extinct. *2 P. W. (605.)*

(4 N. 9.) When not.

But there shall be no Merger, if only an Estate-tail comes to B.

So, if an Estate in Fee, or for Years be vested in Trustees for securing 100*l.* Legacy, and the Estate afterwards comes to B. to whom it is payable. *R. 2 P. W. (604.)*

(4 O.) Revocation.

(4 O. 1.) When good, tho' all Circumstances are not pursued.

W H E N a Power of Revocation is good, and when extinguished, and when pursued, *Vide Usus, (L. 2, &c.)* *Vide Ante, (4 H. 1, &c.)*

If a Man makes a Settlement, with Power of Revocation in the Presence of three Witnesses; and he revokes by a Will subscribed only by two Witnesses; this shall be sufficient in Chancery. *R. 2 Vent. 350.*

So, if a Power of Revocation be reserved upon Tender of 12*d.* in one Place, and the 12*d.* is tendered and accepted of in another Place. *R. 3 Ca. Ch. 68.*

In all Cases, where a Man has a Power of Revocation, and he makes a Revocation, but by the Fraud of any one is prevented from pursuing all the Circumstances in the Power; it shall be allowed in Equity. *3 Ca. Ch. 89, 108, 122.* *(4 O. 2.)* Where prevented by Fraud.

So, if he be prevented by Accident, or the Act of God; as, if a Deed is directed by the Party to make a Revocation, and ingrossed, and he dies, before Execution. *3 Ca. Ch. 69, 93.* *(4 O. 3.)* Or Accident.

If a Man by Sickness, or other Accident, be disabled to make a Tender in Person, he shall be aided, if the Tender is made by another. *3 Ca. Ch. 89, 109, 126.*

So, if he be prevented by Necessity; as, if a Man has Power to revoke by Deed executed before six Witnesses of whom three are to be Peers, and he executes his Power in a foreign Kingdom before six Witnesses; it shall be aided, tho' *(4 O. 4.)* Or Necessity.

tho' neither of them was a Peer, for it was not in his Power. *R. 3 Ca. Ch. 68,*

* 2d Part of
2 Mod. Ca.

90. *Eq. Ca. 14.**

If there be a Power to revoke with the Assent of three Subsidy-Men, it shall be aided, if it be done by the Assent of three substantial Men, who were of Ability to be assessed to a Subsidy, if there had been such a Manner of Taxation. *3 Ca. Ch. 90.*

(4 O. 5.)
Or Default of
the Party.

So, if he be prevented by the Default of him who has a Benefit by the Settlement to which the Power is annexed; As, if *A.* makes a Settlement upon *B.* and his Children, with a Power of Revocation, and suffers the Deed to remain in his Custody, and, being inclined to revoke, sends to *B.* who refuses Delivery of the Deed, by which Means the Circumstances of the Power are mistaken. *3 Ca. Ch. 67, 84.*

So, if *B.* does any Thing to prevent the Knowledge of the Circumstances of his Power. *3 Ca. Ch. 84.*

(4 O. 6.)
Defective Execution of a
Power of Revocation aided.

So a defective Execution of a Power shall be aided in Equity, for the Relief of a Purchaser, &c. as, if the Power be to revoke upon Tender of 12*d.* to *A.* in *Westminster*, and he tenders, and it is accepted by *A.* in another Place. *3 Ca. Ch. 68. Ch. R. 38.*

Tho' he be a Purchaser with Notice. *Per Treby, 3 Ca. Ch. 89.*

Or, where the Settlement is for Payment of Debts. *Ibid.*

Or, for Provision for younger Children. *Ibid.*

If the Power be to revoke by Writing under Hand and Seal for a Provision for younger Children, and the Party, being sick, gives Instructions to Counsel under his Hand to be drawn up in Form, which is drawn and ingrossed, but before Execution the Party dies; it will be a good Revocation in Equity. *3 Ca. Ch. 69.*

If a Power be given to *A.* to make a Jointure, and *A.* by Articles covenants upon his Marriage to make a Jointure of such Value, and afterwards directs a Jointure to be made of such Lands to that Value, and after the Deed is drawn, dies before Execution; it shall be decreed in Equity. *Eq. Ca. 20.**

* 2 Part of
2 Mod. Ca.

If there be a Power of Revocation, and a subsequent Settlement is made with all the Circumstances required; it shall be a Revocation, tho' there is no Reference to the Power. *R. F. g. 218. Vide Pojar. Vide Ante, (4 H. 1, &c.)*

(4 O. 7.) When not good.

(4 O. 7.)
In Aid of a
voluntary
Settlement.
Vide Ante,
(2 C. 8.—
2 T. 9.—
4 H. 9.)

But a voluntary Settlement by him, who has a Power of Revocation shall never be aided in Equity, if it be not made pursuant to all the Circumstances of the Power. *R. 3 Ca. Ch. 107.*

And therefore, if there be a voluntary Settlement with a Power to revoke by Writing with six Witnesses; a Will, by which the same Estate is devised to others, executed in the Presence of three Witnesses, shall not be a Revocation, *R. inter Bath and Montague, 3 Ca. Ch. 86, 93, 107, 127.*

Tho' the prior Settlement does not appear to have been in the Custody, or Memory of the Testator. *3 Ca. Ch. 64, 86.*

Tho' the prior Settlement was for Confirmation of a prior Will, which is revocable in its Nature. *R. 3 Ca. Ch. 64, 86, 99.*

So, if the Power be to revoke upon Tender of a Guinea, and the Party executes a Deed to other Uses, without any Tender; it shall not be aided in Equity. *Adm. 3 Ca. Ch. 70, 108. R. If the Intent to revoke is not proved, 2 Ver. 69.*

* 2d Part of
2 Mod. Ca.

If a Wife has Power to revoke in Favour of her Husband, and she sends several Letters to Counsel, to make a Deed of Revocation, but nothing is done, it shall not be aided. *R. Eq. Ca. 15.**

(4 O. 8.)

(4 O. 8.) Who may make a Revocation.

The Revocation ought to be made by those, who have Ability to make it by the Settlement.

If two Husbands and their Wives make a Conveyance, with Power to revoke with the Consent of their Wives, to wit, *if they or either of them be living then to revoke*, if one of the Wives dies, the Husband surviving and the other Wife may revoke. R. 2 Rol. 178.

(4 P.) Satisfaction.

IF a Covenant Bond, &c, be satisfied, tho' not cancelled, Equity will relieve the Covenantor, Obligor, &c. *Vide Ante*, (2 X. 3, &c.)

Tho' satisfied by Matter collateral. *Vide Ante*, (2 X. 5.)

[If a Man leaves 520 *l.* to five Granddaughters, and makes their Mother Executrix, and her Husband possesses himself of the personal Estate, and prefers all his Daughters in Marriage, giving them greater Portions than their Shares amounted to, and they acquiesce therein, they shall not come after his Death to demand such Shares. *Seed v. Bradford*, T. 1750. 1 *Vezey* 501.]

[If A. who by the Will of B. to whom he is Executor is to pay his Aunt C. 300 *l. per Annum*, devises the Residue of his Estate to his Mother and his Aunt C.; this is not a Satisfaction of the 300 *l.* Annuity, tho' the Moiety of the Residue is of greater Value, for the Value was uncertain. *Barret v. Beckford*, T. 1750. 1 *Vezey* 519.]

[Devise of Residue of Real and Personal Estate for Life is not a Satisfaction for a Sum to be laid out in Lands in Fee by Articles. *Alleyn v. Alleyn*, M. 1750. 2 *Vezey* 37.]

[If A. by Marriage-articles covenants that Lands settled on his Wife are of 1600 *l.* Value, and makes his Will. ratifying the Articles, and leaving his Wife Lands in B. for Life, this Devise is not a Satisfaction of the Articles. *Prime v. Stebbing*, T. 1752. 2 *Vezey* 409.]

[If A. has an Estate in strict Settlement, his first Son Tenant in Tail, and afterwards on Son's Marriage they agree, that A. shall have 800 *l.* of Wife's Portion, and convey to Trustees Lands to secure 50 *l. per Annum* to the Son, and 800 *l.* to his younger Children; and A. afterwards makes his Will, and leaves 700 *l. per Annum* to his Son, provided he settles the whole Family Estate to secure to B. 100 *l. per Annum* out of said Lands, and makes great Provision for the Son's Children at twenty-five or Marriage, and afterwards by Deed, Fine and Recovery, A. and Son settle the Estate strictly, making Son Tenant for Life; the Condition in the Will being thus impossible, the 700 *l.* Annuity is a Satisfaction for the 50 *l.*; had it not been for the last Deed it would not have been a Satisfaction, and the Provision for the Children being on a Contingency, is not Satisfaction for the 800 *l.* *Matthews v. Matthews*, T. 1755. 2 *Vezey* 635.]

Statute.

Vide Statute-Staple, (D. 2. &c.)

(4 Q.) Superfedeas.

When granted by Chancery.

IN Vacation, a *Superfedeas* may be sued in Chancery to Process out of another Court; as to a *Capias* or *Exigent* out of C. B. directed to the Sheriff to take Surety for the Appearance of the Party. F. N. B. 236. A.

Or, if he finds Surety in Chancery, there shall be a *Superfedeas* to the Sheriff to set him at large, if he has taken him; if he has not taken him, to arrest him. F. N. B. 236. A. 237. A.

So, upon an *Audita Querela* upon a Statute Merchant, &c. which is forged, &c. there shall be a *Supersedeas* to the Sheriff, that, upon Surety to appear and to pay the Debt if he be condemned, he do not molest him. *F. N. B. 236. B. 246. A.*

So, it shall be granted to discharge one out of Execution, where the Execution is sued by an Executor, upon a Judgment by his Testator, without a *Scire Facias*. *R. 1 Ch. R. 90.*

Or, to prevent Execution, where the Party has sued an Attaint. *F. N. B. 237. F.*

Or a Writ of Error, or an Appeal. *F. N. B. 239. B. E.*

So, if a Man be taken upon the Statutes of Provisors, for suing a Citation of Appeal to Rome. *F. N. B. 236. C.*

Or, upon the Statute of Labourers, for retaining the Servant of another. *F. N. B. 236. D.*

Or, if a Servant be sued for departing without Licence. *F. N. B. 236. E.*

Or, an Action be brought against Sureties. *F. N. B. 237. B.*

Or, in any Personal Action. *F. N. B. 237. D.*

[If Plaintiff in an Action on the Calico Act, 7 G. 1. c. 7. §. 4. serves Defendant with a Copy of a Writ, instead of Summons and *Pone*, or special *Capias*, and afterwards gets the Cursitor to alter the Return of the Original; the Alteration is erroneous, and the Writ shall be superseded. *Weavers Company v. Hayward, T. 1746. 3 Atkyns 362.*]

So, if Surety be found in Chancery, a *Supersedeas* goes to Process upon an Indictment before Justices of the Peace. *F. N. B. 237. C.*

So it goes to a *Capias pro Fine*; if the Plaintiff sues an *Elegit*, or the Defendant sues an Attaint. *F. N. B. 238. A. C.*

In an Appeal of Rape. *F. N. B. 238. D.*

Upon an Attachment, *Supplicavit* of the Peace, &c. out of Chancery. *F. N. B. 238. E. Vide Post, (4 R.)*

If an Inferior Court entertain a Suit where it has not Jurisdiction. *F. N. B. 239. D. H.*

Or, if an Ecclesiastical Court proceeds after a Prohibition. *F. N. B. 239. B.*

But a *Supersedeas* shall not be allowed in Chancery upon an *Exigent* after a *Capias ad satisfaciendum*. *F. N. B. 237. A. B.*

Nor shall it be allowed to a Prohibition to an Inferior Court, for that it was granted after Plea there, (tho' in such Case it ought not to be granted,) without an *Affidavit* that the Cause arises within the Jurisdiction. *1 Ver. 301.*

[The Court will not on Motion supersede a Writ of Replevin out of this Court, unless a fraudulent Use is made of it. *Anon. M. 1741. 2 Atkyns 237.*]

[This Court cannot grant a *Supersedeas*, nor quash a Writ *de excommunicato capiendo*, after the Return, but it can before; the Application after, must be to the King's Bench. *Ex parte Little, P. 1747. 3 Atkyns 479.*]

[The Court will not supersede special Original, because it has been altered and amended by Plaintiff's Attorney with Leave of the Cursitor, and afterwards resealed; for it is the Course of the Office, and even if it be after Oyer, and Copies delivered. *Smith v. Wilmer, M. 1747. 3 Atkyns 595.*]

(4 R.) *Supplicavit*.

Vide Forcible Entry, (D 16, 17.) ON Surety of the Peace or good Behaviour demanded, the Chancery or B. R. will award a *Supplicavit* to the Sheriff, or Justices of the Peace, or both, or to one Justice of the Peace, commanding him to take of such a one Surety for the Peace, &c. *F. N. B. 79. G.*

And upon that he shall have an *Alias* and *Pluries*, and afterwards an Attachment against the Sheriff, if there be any Default in him. *F. N. B. 79. G.*

But, before a *Supplicavit* granted, the Party, who demands it, must make an *Affidavit* before a Master in Chancery, that he does not pray it out of Malice. *F. N. B. 79. H.*

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And upon such *Affidavit*, the Master will make his Warrant, upon which one of the Clerks of the Office may immediately have a *Supplicavit*.

[The Court will not grant it on a Quaker's Affirmation; for if the Party complained of is not in Court on exhibiting Articles of the Peace, an Attachment goes on the Oath of the Complainant. *Ex parte Gumbleton, M. 1740. 2 Atkyns 70.*]

Or, upon Information to the Court of ill Behaviour, the Court will grant a *Supplicavit*. *2 Vent. 345.*

[*Supplicavit* (and so a Rule for Surety of the Peace in *B. R.*) is never discharged, but on a strong Case to shew Falstity or Contrivance. *King v. King, T. 1754. 2 Vezey 578.*]

[If one taken on a *Supplicavit* continues in Prison a Year and a Day, without fresh Threatning or Misbehaviour, he shall be discharged on small Bail. *Grosvenor's Case, P. 1731. 3 P. W. 103.*]

(4 S.) Tenant in Tail.

(4 S. 1.) When his Estate is bound by his Agreement.

IF Tenant in Tail agrees to make a Settlement of Lands intailed, he shall be bound by his Agreement. *R. 22 Car. 2. Ca. Ch. 171.*

So, if the Issue in Tail accepts of the Recompence agreed to be paid to his Father for such Settlement, he shall be bound by it; for that makes it his own Agreement. *R. Ca. Ch. 172.*

So, if Tenant in Tail covenants, upon valuable Consideration, to levy a Fine, and is decreed so to do, but dies before the Fine is levied; the Issue in Tail shall be bound by it. *Per Lord Chanc. 28 Car. 2. Ca. Ch. 294.*

So, if Tenant for Life, with Power to make a Jointure to the Value of 1000*l.* *per Ann.* settles Lands, which are only 600*l.* and covenants to make it up 1000*l.* his Son, being Tenant in Tail in Remainder, shall be decreed to make the Jointure up 1000*l.* *per Ann. R. 2 Ver. 379.*

But generally, the Issue in Tail is not bound by the Agreement of his Father, to make a Conveyance of the Estate intailed. *R. Ca. Ch. 172. D. Ca. Ch. 236. Fra. E. of Cov. 4, 5, 13.*

Nor by his Covenant to suffer a Recovery, where the Tenant in Tail was decreed to do it, and died in Execution for not performing the Decree. *2 Ver. 306. R. Eq. Abr. 265, 6.*

So, if Tenant in Tail, with Power to make a Jointure, by Articles before Marriage agrees to settle a Jointure upon the Wife, without saying, of what Lands in particular, and dies before the Jointure made, without Issue; the Jointure shall not be decreed against the Wife of him in Remainder, who had settled the same Lands upon his Wife for her Jointure after Notice. *1 Ver. 406, 7.*

So, where a Father settled Lands for Jointure of a second Wife by Lease and Release, and covenanted for further Assurance, and a Fine was taken of the Father, but he died before the Fine was perfected; the Master of the Rolls would not decree, that the Heir by the first Marriage, who claimed by Virtue of an Intail, should perfect the Fine. *2 Ver. 3.*

So, if Land be settled, or devised to Trustees in Trust for *A.* for his Life, afterwards to *B.* in Tail, &c. a Recovery by *B.* without the Trustees, does not bar the Remainder. *Eq. Abr. 256.*

(4 S. 2.) When his defective Conveyance shall be aided.

If Tenant in Tail makes a defective Conveyance, it shall be supplied in *Chancery*; as, if upon Marriage he makes a Settlement by Feoffment, and afterwards levies a Fine, and devises to his younger Son; the elder Son of the Marriage shall be aided against the Younger. *Semb. Ca. Ch. 240.* *Vide Ante, (2 T. 8.— 3 N. 2.— 4 O. 6.)*

If he makes a Devise to Charitable Uses, it will be good. *Ray 249. Vide Uses, (N. 11, &c.)*

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If Tenant in Tail of an Equity of Redemption devises for Payment of Debts, it will be good. *1 Ver. 41.*

So, if a Copyholder in Tail purchases the Freehold of his Copyhold, to him and his Heirs, and afterwards for Money sells to *A.* and his Heirs, and conveys to him by a Conveyance at Common Law; *A.* shall be aided against the Issue in Tail; for it being severed from the Manor, there can be no Recovery there. *Semb. 2 Ca. Ch. 174.*

(4 S. 3.) *Cestuy que Trust* in Tail.

A Trust is a Creature of Chancery, and cannot be intailed within the *St. W. 2. 13. De Donis Cond. 2 Ca. Ch. 64.*

And therefore, an Estate to Trustees in Trust for another in Tail is not favoured. *2 Ca. Ch. 30.*

(4 S. 4.)
How his Estate shall be barred.

If *Cestuy que Trust* in Tail suffers a Common Recovery, this bars the Remainders over, tho' there was no legal Tenant to the *Precipe*; for a Conveyance by *Cestuy que Trust* shall have the same Operation upon the Trust, as his Conveyance at Common Law, if the Trust had been executed. *R. 2 Ca. Ch. 64, 78. Dub. Ca. Ch. 68, 213. R. 1 Ver. 13, 440. R. where it was upon a Consideration. Ca. Ch. 49. 2 Ver. 132. Eq. Ca. 144. * Eq. Abr. 255, 258.*

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So, if Tenant in Tail in Equity levies a Fine, it shall be a Bar to his Estate, as a Fine at Law, if his Estate was executed. *Ca. Ch. 49, 213.*

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If he levies a Fine, and five Years pass after his Death without Issue, it shall be a Bar to him in Remainder. *1 Ver. 226. Eq. Ca. 144. * Eq. Abr. 256.*

So his Feoffment, or Bargain and Sale bars the Issue in Tail. *Dist. 2 Ca. Ch. 64. 1 Ver. 440. 2 Ver. 133. Cont. per Cowper, 2 Ver. 552.*

If the Trustees join in a Feoffment, which will not be a Breach of Trust. *R. 2 Ver. 345.*

So a Devise by *Cestuy que Trust* in Tail, in Trust for a good Use, bars the Intail. *Pr. Ch. 228.*

So his Agreement, upon Marriage, to make a Settlement binds the Issue. *Semb. Ca. Ch. 236. Fra. E. of Cov. 5.*

So, if a voluntary Agreement be made with a Son Tenant for Life, to make him Tenant in Tail, and then the Father dies, and Tenant for Life suffers a Recovery; it shall be aided in Equity. *R. Ca. Ch. 49.*

So, if *A.* upon his Marriage covenants to surrender a Copyhold Estate to the Use of him and his Wife, and the Heirs Male of their Bodies, and afterwards to the Use of the Heirs Female of their Bodies, and afterwards dies before a Surrender, having a Son and a Daughter; a Surrender by the Son bars the Intail to the Daughter, where a Custom to bar by Recovery does not appear, and then a Surrender is sufficient. *R. 2 Ver. 704.*

So, if a Surrender be refused by the Lord of the Manor, a Devise without a Surrender shall be a Bar to the Trust in Tail. *R. 2 Ver. 585.*

But, if an Estate be in Trust for *A.* for Life, and afterwards in Trust for *B.* in Tail, Remainder over; a Recovery by *B.* is not a Bar; for it would not be a Bar, if the Estate had been executed. *D. 2 Ca. Ch. 64. Eq. Abr. 256.*

So, if a Fine be decreed for a particular Purpose, it does not operate in Equity to another Intent. *R. Ca. Ch. 49. 2 Ver. 56.*

So, if a Father covenants to levy a Fine to the Use of himself in Tail Male, and afterwards to the Use of the Heirs Female by the Wife, whom he intends to marry, and dies before a Fine levied, having a Son and a Daughter by his Wife, and the Son covenants to levy a Fine for Payment of Debts; the Daughter shall not be barred of the Equity of the Estate-tail by the Covenant of the Son, without a Fine levied by him. *R. per Cowper, 2 Ver. 704.*

So, if Tenant in Tail, for a valuable Consideration, covenants to suffer a Common Recovery, and dies in Execution for Non-performance of a Decree to do it; the Issue in Tail shall not be bound to do it. *1 Ver. 306.*

A Decree

A Decree against a Tenant in Tail to foreclose his Equity of Redemption, binds the Issue in Tail; for it being a Right only in Equity, may be there extinguished. *Ca. Ch. 220. Vide Ante, (Y. 2.)*

If Tenant in Tail covenants, that he will not dock the Intail, but afterwards suffers a Recovery; a specifick Performance of the Covenant shall not be decreed, but the Party shall be left to Law for Damages. *R. 2 Ver. 635.*

(4 T.) Taxes.

If a Copyhold be surrendered to A. provided, that if B. pays him 20*l.* per Annum without Deduction, A. shall re-surrender; B. shall not deduct Taxes. *Dub. 2 Ver. 306.*

(4 V.) Trial by Common Law.

When it shall be directed.

[THIS Court will grant a new Trial, where a Court of Law will not; tho' the Judge certifies he is satisfied with the Verdict: It will grant it *(X.)* to introduce new Evidence, or answers to Evidence; in Matters of Inheritance, in personal Demands of Value, in Forgeries; wherever the Conscience of the Court is not satisfied with the Grounds on which the Determination is made at Law, or an Objection is made and supported by Proof. *Stace v. Mabbot, 2 Vezey 552.*]

Chancery will direct a new Trial, after a Verdict, when it could not be by the Rule of Law: As, after a Verdict for an Avowant in *Replevin*, (which is conclusive) upon the Seisin of the Grantor of a Rent-charge, the Court will direct another Trial. *R. upon an original Bill. 2 Vent. 351, 2.*

If Evidence was concealed at a former Trial. *Ch. R. 41.*

If a Verdict, upon a *Non est Factum*, is obtained by Surprize, when the Witnesses are dead. *2 Ver. 240.*

Or a Discovery is afterwards made of an Alteration in a Register, &c. *2 Ver. 285.*

So, where a Question remains at Law, it shall be sent to a Trial: As, where a Settlement is by Way of Use, and not a Trust, and a Question arises, whether the Condition be broken, without Notice. *2 Ca. Ch. 109.*

[The Court will not determine a Fraud in procuring a Will, without directing a Trial at Law. *Webb v. Claverden. M. 1742. 2 Atkyns 424.*]

So, where D. has Deeds in his Custody, and will not restore them. *Ch. R. 41, 42.*

And D. shall be obliged to produce such Deeds. *Ch. R. 42.*

If former Trials upon the same Issue have gone a contrary Way. *2 Ver. 378, 419.*

[After Trial in Ejectment, neither Party ought to bring a new Ejectment without Leave of the Court; yet if there have been two Trials by Order and Leave of the Court, and Verdict against Verdict, and the Cause set down to be heard, and one Party brings new Ejectment, the Court will excuse the Irregularity, as it will not occasion Delay. *Sands v. Sands, T. 1750. 1 Vezey 495.*]

[The Court for the more solemn Determination, will sometimes direct a new Trial, without setting aside the first Verdict, and then the first Verdict may be given in Evidence. *Baker v. Hart, T. 1747. 3 Atkyns 542. 1 Vezey 28.*]

So a Court of Equity may direct the Trial, in what County it pleases. *R. 2 Lev. 33.*

If a Trial be directed, the Parties must admit all that by the Decree is directed to be admitted, otherwise they may be committed. *Ca. Ch. 267.*

But after a Trial at Law, no Cause shall be allowed for a new Trial, which would not be sufficient for a Bill of Review; as, Neglect of having his Witnesses. *R. Ca. Ch. 43.*

Want of Evidence known at the Time. *Ibid.*

[The Court will not grant a new Trial, on a Suggestion that the Party was not apprized of a particular Evidence, and therefore not prepared to give an Answer; as if one swears that a material Witness was not in *England* at the Time he swears to a Fact. *Richards v. Symes*, T. 1742. 2 *Atkyns* 319.]

That the Defendant himself knew of a Matter written by him in a Letter before the Trial, which if it had been proved, the Verdict ought to have been for Plaintiff. *R. Ca. Ch.* 65.

That the Trial was not in an indifferent County. 2 *Ver.* 437..

So, if a Trial be upon a Point directed by the Court, which was not directly in Issue, there shall not be a new Trial for that Cause. 2 *Ca. Ch.* 41.

[The Court will not direct a new Trial after a Verdict found for a *Modus*, because the Judge would not admit as Evidence an old Deed in the Chapter-house at *Westminster*, said to be the Record of a Cause determined before the Pope's Delegate. *Colegave v. Juson*, M. 1744. 3 *Atkyns* 197.]

Or, if a Trial was, whether a Conveyance was fraudulent against *A.* who claimed by Articles, and by Order was to be admitted a Purchaser; tho' a Settlement pursuant to the Articles was not ordered to be admitted, without which *A.* could not be a Purchaser by Law. *Ca. Ch.* 217.

(4 W.) Trust.

(4 W. 1.) The Nature of it.

CHANCERY only will compel the Performance of a Trust.

A Trust is a meer Confidence, collateral to the Land, and distinct from it. To which there are two Incidents inseparable; viz. Privity in Estate, and Confidence in the Person. *Hard.* 469, 488.

An Use at *Common Law* was a Trust, and executed only by the *Chancery*.

So now, all Uses, which are not executed by the *St.* 27 H. 8. 10.

A Trust may be assigned or transferred by Grant, &c.

There shall be *Possessio Fratris* of a Trust. *Hard.* 488, 491.

Cestuy que Trust shall be impanelled upon a Jury.

So a Trust shall be forfeited. *Vide Forfeiture*, (B. 1, 2.) *Utlagary*, (D. 2.)

[If *A.* being in Possession of Office of Clerk of the Crown in *B. R.* procures *B.* who has also a Life in it to Surrender, and solicits a Patent for himself and *C.* and takes a Note from *C.* promising to declare a Trust for *A.* and the Patent is afterwards obtained, and *A.* dies without calling for a Declaration of Trust, and refusing to have any Thing concerning it inserted in his Will, of which he makes *C.* one of the Executors, yet the Note shall be a sufficient Declaration of Trust. *Per Talbot C.* reversing a Decree of *Jekyll M. R.* *Bellamy v. Burrow*, T. 9 G. 2. *C. T. T.* 97.]

(4 W. 2.) Trust of Land; What shall be.

(4 W. 2.)
Express.

If a Man articles with another for the Sale of Land, the Vendor stands seised in Trust for the Purchaser. *Vide Ante*, (4 I. 1.)

So a Devise to *A.* to be given to his Children as he shall think convenient, I solely trusting to his Honour and Discretion to give what will be necessary for them, shall be a Trust for his Children. *Mod. Ca.* 111.

So, if the Devise be to dispose and employ upon himself and his Son, it shall be a Trust to dispose to his Son, and not to a Stranger. *Per 2 J. Mo.* 57. *Dal.* 58.

Or, To dispose of at his Pleasure, and give to one of his Sons. *R. Jon.* 137. *Lat.* 9, 39.

If a Man devise to his Executor, during the Minority of his Heir, for Payment of Portions and Legacies, and to be accountable to the Heir for the Surplus; it shall be a Trust as to the Surplus for the Heir. 1 *Ch. R.* 251.

So, if Land be devised to the Heir, on Condition to be sold; tho' the Condition be void, yet it shall be a Trust in the Heir to sell. *Ca. Ch.* 177.

If

If a Devise be to *A.* and *B.* in Trust for a *Feme Covert*, and her Heirs, and that *A.* and *B.* dispose of the Rents and also of the Inheritance, as she shall appoint; this shall be a Trust, and not an Use executed by the *St. 27 H. 8.*

10. 1 *Ver.* 415.

[If *A.* devises to Trustees and their Heirs, on Trust by Rents or Sale to pay Debts, and then to *B.* for Life without Waste, to Trustees, to support, &c. to the Heirs of his Body, to *A.*'s right Heirs; this is a Trust in Equity, and not an Use executed by the Statute. *Bagshaw v. Spencer, M. 1748. 1 Vezey 142.*]

If *A.* purchases a Copyhold for himself, his Wife and Daughter; it shall be a Trust for them, and the Husband cannot surrender. *R. Pr. Ch. 1.*

So, if a Conveyance be void, being upon a Trust, it shall be supported in Equity: As, if Tenant *pur auter Vie*, conveys to *A.* and *B.* and their Heirs, *Habend.* for Years, upon Trust for Payment of Debts. *Ca. Ch. 249.*

If a Bargain and Sale be to *A.* and his Heirs to the Use of *B.* &c. tho' there cannot be an Use upon an Use, yet it shall be a Trust for *B.* *Dub. Ca. Ch.*

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If *A.* devises Tithes to all, who serve the Cure in the Parish; it shall be a Trust for them. *2 Vent. 349.*

Trust in Tail how barred, *Vide Ante*, (4 S. 4.)

So, if a Testator devises to *A.* who confesses that the Testator said, *that he might do so and so to his Heir*, and explains, that by those Words the Testator intended, that he should pay him 40*l.* if he behaved well; it shall be a Trust to pay it. *R. 2 Ver. 559.* (4 W. 3.) Implied.

So, if a Mortgage be assigned to *A.* without any Trust declared, and *A.* confesses that the Trust was for *B.* it shall be in Trust for him, and not result to *A.* *2 Ver. 294.*

If Money be delivered to *A.* and at the Time the Deliverer says, *I give you this to be a Father to my Child, paying her the Interest during her Life, and after to her Children, and if she have none, the Principal and Interest to your Wife*; and after the Death of the Donor, *A.* makes a Writing declaring the Trust to the same Effect; it shall be a good Declaration of the Trust since the *St. 29 Car. 2. 3. R. in the Exch. Mich. 6 Geo. 2.*

So, if *A.* articles for a Purchase and to pay the Purchase Money, but the Conveyance is made to *B.* who borrows and pays the Purchase Money, and gives a Mortgage for it, but afterwards the Mortgage is discharged by *C.* and then *A.* agrees to indemnify him, and afterwards *B.* devises this Land for Payment of Debts; it shall be a Trust for *A.* tho' the Creditors of *B.* are thereby defeated, and there was no express Declaration of the Trust for *A.* *R. 2 Ver. 167.*

If a Rent-charge or Annuity is granted out of the Estate of *B.* to *A.* to be paid in the first Place, and *A.* never demands it for forty Years; it shall be presumed to be in Trust for *B.* *2 Ch. R. 220.*

If a Debtor to the King purchases in the Name of his Son, and enjoys during his Life; it shall be a Trust for the Father. *R. Hard. 126.*

So, if a Man purchases Land in the Name of another, the other shall be a Trustee for the Purchaser.

[If a Man purchases Lands in the Name of another, it is a resulting Trust. *Lade v. Lade, T. 16 G. 2. Wilf. 21.*]

[Tho there is no express Trust in a Deed, yet if it can be collected from Circumstances arising out of the Assignment itself, the Court will permit Parol Evidence to explain it; for tho' there can be no Parol Declaration of a Trust, yet Parol Evidence may be admitted in Avoidance of a Fraud. *Hutchins v. Lee, H. 1737. 1 Atkyns 447.*]

[He who pays the Purchase-money, clearly proving it, has a resulting Trust; or if it can be shewn by Parol Evidence, that the pretended Owner was in such Circumstances that it was impossible he should be the Purchaser. *Willis v. Willis, M. 1740. 2 Atkyns 71.*]

And

And that, since the *St. 29 Car. 2. 3. R. 2 Vent. 361. R. in Scac. Mich. 4 Ann. inter Freeman and Allen. Semb. 1 Ver. 366, 7.*

Tho' the Purchase be in the Name of his Son, if he was before advanced by his Father. *R. 2 Ca. Ch. 232.*

[A Father advances his Son in Marriage, has other Children unprovided, sells an Estate, receives Part, takes Security for the Rest in his own and Son's Name, receives Interest and Part of Principal without Son's opposing, dies, Executor receives Interest, the Son writing Receipts for it; the Son is a Trustee for the Father. *Pole v. Pole, H. 1747. 1 Vezey 76*]

So, if Money is lent by *A.* and a Bond taken in the Name of his Son an Infant, to whom *A.* devised a Moiety of his Estate; the Bond shall be taken as his Personal Estate. *1 Ch. R. 86.*

If the Trustee of a College Lease renews the Term in his own Name; this shall be for the Benefit of the *Cestuy que Trust.* *Ca. Ch. 191. Mod. Ca. 67. 1 Ver. 276, 484.*

[*A.* the last Life in a Bishop's Lease, agrees with *B.* to surrender it to take another for the Lives of *A. B.* and *C.* *B.*'s Son to be in Trust for *C.* the Consideration is all paid by *B.* the Lease made to *A.* and his Heirs, and *A.* one Day after executes Deed-poll declaring the Trust to be after his Death to *B. C.* and their Heirs; here is no resulting Trust for *B.* but after *A.*'s Death *B.* shall have it for Life, and then *C.* *Crop v. Norton, M. 1740. 2 Atkyns 74.*]

So, if an Executor in Trust renews a Lease with his own Money, it shall be for the Benefit of the *Cestuy que Trust*, subject to the Payment of the Fine and Charges upon the Renewal. *Ca. Ch. 191.*

If *A.* takes a Mortgage in the Name of *B.* and by Parol says, *that he intends B. shall have it*; if it be not paid in his Life, but afterwards by his Will he devises another Estate to *B.* and the Residue of his Estate to his Executor, the Mortgage shall be in Trust for the Executor. *R. 1 Ch. R. 216.*

[The Court would consider the next Remainder-man as Trustee for a posthumous Son, for the intermediate Rents of settled Lands between the Father's Death and his Birth, as they would Trustees to preserve Contingent Remainders over, even supposing that by Law he had not a Right to such Rents. *Basset v. Basset, M. 1744. 3 Atkyns 203.*]

But by the *St. 29 Car. 2. 3.* All Declarations, or Creations of Trust shall be manifested by some Writing signed by the Party enabled to declare such Trust, or by his Will, or else shall be void; provided, where a Conveyance shall be made of Land, by which a Trust may arise or result by Implication, or Construction of Law, or be transferred or extinguished by Act, or Operation of Law, such Trust shall be of like Effect as if the said Act had not been made.

And by the *St. 4 Ann. 16.* A Declaration of Uses by Deed, after a Fine or Recovery, shall be as good as if this Act had not been made.

And therefore, a Lease for Years to *A.* shall not be averred to be in Trust for him and *B.* *Semb. 1 Ver. 108.*

Yet, if a Son prevails on his Mother, made Executrix by the Will of his Father, to get a new Will executed, and himself to be made Executor, and he acts for his Mother; it shall be a Trust for the Mother, tho' there be no Writing. *R. 1 Ver. 296.*

If *A.* devises to *B.* and *C.* 1500*l.* upon secret Trusts to them declared, and *B.* by Letter to *C.* mentions the Trusts; it shall be a sufficient Declaration. *R. 2 Ver. 107.*

If a Man devises to his Nephew, and afterwards purchases Land, and says to his Heir, *that he will have his Nephew take it*; tho' he has not declared it by Writing, and the Heir permits it for eleven Years, it shall be a good Execution of the Trust. *R. Eq. R. 11.*

What shall be a Trust for Payment of Debts, or Legacies, *Vide Ante, (3 A. 3.) Post, (4 W. 14.)*

What, for making a Charge upon Land, *Vide Appointment, Ante, (2 F. 1.)*

What, for Charitable Uses, *Vide Ante, (2 N. 1, &c.)*

What shall be a Trust for a Wife, *Vide Ante, (2 M. 9, 10.)*

(4 W. 4.) What not.

But if a Father sells his antient Estate, which would have descended to his Son, and with the Money purchases other Land, and the Conveyance is made to him and his eldest Son, and their Heirs, without any Trust expressed; this shall not be construed to be a Trust for the Father, but an Advancement for the Son, who shall hold by Survivorship against the Devisee of the Father. *R. 15 Car. 2. Ca. Ch. 28.*

So, if a Father purchases in the Name of his Son and Heir apparent (who has no other Estate) and afterwards manages the Land as his own, and sometimes it is said to be the Land of the Father, sometimes of the Son, but the Son devises it to the Father, who proves the Will; this is not a Trust, but an Advancement to the Son. *R. Ca. Ch. 296. 3 Ch. R. 9.*

So, if he purchases in the Name of his Son, not advanced, and afterwards takes the Profits, and makes Leases, without any Trust expressed, before or at the Time of the Purchase. *2 Ca. Ch. 231.*

So, if the Father, Lord of a Manor, grants a Copyhold to his Son, tho' the Father afterwards takes the Profits, always with the Consent of the Son, it shall not be a Trust for the Father. *R. Ca. Ch. 261. 1 Ver. 467.*

Or, purchases a Copyhold in the Name of his Son, who is admitted. *R. Ca. Ch. 310. R. 2 Ver. 19.*

So, if a Father purchases in the Name of his Son and Heir, without declaring a Trust before or at the Time of the Purchase, tho' afterwards he declares a Trust for himself. *2 Ca. Ch. 231.*

Tho' he takes a Declaration of Trust from the Son, when sick, if the Son afterwards continues the Possession; for the Declaration was a Fraud. *R. 2 Ver. 436.*

So, if the Grandfather, after the Death of the Father, takes a Bond in the Name of his Grandson, an Infant; it shall not be a Trust for the Grandfather, but a Provision for the Grandson; for he was then under the immediate Care of the Grandfather. *2 Ca. Ch. 26.*

So, if he makes a Lease to the Grandson: *Ibid.*

So, if a Father by Lease and Release settles an Estate to the Use of himself for Life, then to his Wife for Life, then to his Son in Fee; the Remainder to the Son shall not be a Trust for the Father, tho' the Father on the same Day devised the Estate by his Will, subject to the Payment of his Debts. *R. 2 Ver. 28.*

If *A.* purchases a Copyhold, and takes a Surrender to himself, his Wife and Daughter, and afterwards mortgages; the Mortgagee shall have no Relief against the Wife, or Daughter; for the Wife takes with her Husband a Moiety by Intireties, and the Daughter the other Moiety. *R. 2 Ver. 120.*

So, if *A.* takes a Copyhold to himself, his Wife and *B. successive*; *B.* shall not be a Trustee for *A.* without a Custom that *A.* shall dispose of it. *R. 2 Ver. 252, 264.*

If a Conveyance be to an Use, it shall not be averred to be upon a secret Trust, if the Trust be not expressed. *R. 4 Inst. 86.*

If a Settlement be in Confirmation of a Will, whereby the Land becomes subject to the Legacies given by the Will, it shall not be a general Trust for the Testator. *R. 3 Ca. Ch. 65, 127.*

If a Trust be expressed by a Deed, Proof shall not be allowed to shew a different Trust. *1 Ch. R. 110.*

If Money, found after the Death of an Intestate, who leaves a Wife and two Daughters, be by the Wife vested in a Purchase of Lands, settled to the Use of herself for Life, and afterwards to the two Daughters in Tail, Remainder to the Heirs of the Wife; if the Daughters die without Issue, the Executor or Administrator of the Survivor shall not have a Decree for two Thirds of the Money; tho' he would have had it, if it had not been vested in a Purchase; for Money shall not be followed after it is vested in a Purchase. *R. 2 Ver. 440.*

So, if *A.* borrows Money to discharge the Estate of an Infant, the Estate of the Infant shall not be charged with it. *R. 2 Ver. 480.*

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If *A.* enjoys a Term for 27 Years, and by his Will declares, that the Term was taken by him in Trust for *B.* who is a Papist, and therefore devises the Remainder to him: The Protestant next of Kin shall not have an Account of the Profits in the Life of *A.* for a Trust shall not be intended without other Proof. *R. Eq. Ca. 146.* *

So, if a Man devises Land to his Wife, in Hope she will leave it to his Son; this shall not be a Trust for the Son. *Cb. Ca. 310.*

If he devises Money to *A.* for such Uses, as he shall direct by Note, and makes no Note; it shall not be a Trust for the Executor or Legatees. *R. Ca. Cb. 198.*

* 2d Part of
2 Mod. Ca.

If he devises his Personal Estate to his Wife, not doubting she will be kind to his Children; it shall not be a Trust for them. *R. Eq. Ca. 122.* *

If *A.* by his Answer denies the Trust of a Settlement, a Bill brought by the Executors or Legatees of *A.* afterwards for an Execution of the Trust shall be dismissed. *1 Cb. R. 270.*

But if the Defendant by his Answer confesses a Trust, after such a Sum paid; it shall be decreed, tho' it be not proved, nor charged by the Bill. *R. 2 Ver. 288.*

(4 W. 5.) Trust of Goods; What shall be.

So, if a Man gives Goods or Chattels to another, upon Trust, to deliver them to a Stranger, *Chancery* will oblige him to do it.

So, if a Wife lends Money to another, and the Note for it expresses, that it shall be disposed of at her Pleasure; it is a Trust, and shall be decreed accordingly. *R. 2 Vent. 345.*

If a Wife saves Money out of her separate Maintenance, and puts it to Interest, without the Assent of her Husband, upon Bond in the Name of *B.* in Trust for her Niece; the Money shall be in Trust for her, tho' the Husband was not privy. *1 Cb. R. 126.*

[If a Solicitor makes an absolute Conveyance from a Woman parted from her Husband, and having a Child, of 1000*l.* (all she has) to himself for Services done, and Favours shewn, and she says afterwards she has given it him, but he will take Care of her Daughter, then, that she has given all to her Daughter; and the Solicitor denies he has any Deed when the Husband pays his Bill, (in which is a Charge for perusing the Draft of it) and says in a Letter to the Husband, that the Wife having a Confidence in his Honour towards the Child, and being sensible of Services done, &c. did execute, &c.; it shall stand as a Security for any Sums still due to him, and as to the Surplus as a Trust for the Child, or if dead, for the Father her Representative. *Saunderson v. Glasf, P. 1742. 2 Atkyns 296.*]

So, if a Man devises Goods and Chattels to *A.* for Life, and afterwards to *B.* this shall be a Trust for *B.* *R.* where the Chattels were Rarities, which he intended should go as Heir-looms, and were devised to the Use of *A.* for his Life. *Ca. Cb. 130. 1 Cb. R. 110. R. 2 Ver. 245, 331. Vide Ante, (4 G. 1.)*

* 2d Part of
2 Mod. Ca.

If a Man gives his Personal Estate to *A.* in his Life-time, and afterwards directs him to take Care of his Funeral, and to pay two Legacies to his Nephew; *A.* has it only as a Trustee. *R. Eq. Ca. 115.* *

If a Man devises his Personal Estate to the Son, with which his Wife is *enseint*, and if such Son dies before Twenty-one or Marriage, to his Brother; if the Son dies, the Brother shall have it. *1 P. W. 502.*

If a Man levies more than he ought for his Debt, he stands a Trustee for the Surplus to the Debtor. *Semb. 2 Ca. Cb. 184.*

So, if a Bond be given to *A.* as a Trustee for *B.* and *A.* by Practice induces *B.* to answer upon Oath in *Chancery*, that it was for the Use of *A.* and not in Trust; yet, upon Proof of the Fraud, the Trust shall be decreed. *R. Ca. Cb. 134.*

So, if *A.* by a former Answer, acknowledged a Bond to be satisfied with Intent to avoid a Sequestration; yet in Equity he shall be relieved. *R. Ca. Cb. 154.*

If *A.* to whom a Bond is given in Trust for *B.* becomes *Felo de se*, *B.* shall be relieved by the *St. 33 H. 8. 39. Hard. 176. Vide Uses, (F.)*

[If *A.* by Will leaves a Bond to *B.* and by a subsequent Will leaves it to *C.* on a Promise that *C.* will at her Death leave it to *B.*; and after *A.*'s Death, *C.* makes a Deed of Gift of it to *B.* to take place at her Death, and declares she would not cheat *B.* and that she did it in regard to her Promise, and then dies, and makes *D.* (the Obligor) her Executor, the Court will decree *D.* to pay the Bond to *B.* *Drakeford v. Wilks, T. 1747. 3 Atkyns 539.*]

A Trust of a Personal Estate may be averred by *Parol.* *1 Ver. 31.*

If a Man has only an Equity in Land, it may by *Parol* be subjected to the Payment of Debts. *1 Ver. 45.*

(4 W. 6.) Assignment of a Trust.

So, a Trustee, with the Assent of his *Cestuy que Trust*, or by the Direction of the Court, may assign his Trust to others.

Or, may release to his Co-Trustees.

And shall be decreed so to do, if he refuses the Trust. *Ch. R. 258.*

So, if a Devise be to several Trustees, and, when they are reduced to three, that they shall assign to others; the Court will oblige them, when reduced, to assign to others.

And if they do it not till all, except one, are dead, the Survivor alone may assign to others, and the Trust shall not result to the Grantor, for Want of an Assignment. *R. 2 Ver. 749.*

But if a Trustee assigns without the Assent of the *Cestuy que Trust*, or of the Court, to one, who becomes insolvent, he shall answer for his Default. *R. Bridg. 38.*

So, if a Trust devolves to the Heir, he may transfer it, or accept it upon Terms, viz. that he shall be reimbursed his Charges out of the Trust Estate, and shall not answer for more than he receives, nor for the Loss of Money put out at Interest pursuant to the Will, and shall account yearly. *Ch. R. 32, 258.*

If an Administrator assigns a Term, in Trust for himself, and the Administration is afterwards revoked, upon a Citation, or Appeal; the Assignment shall be avoided by a Decree in *Chancery* at the Suit of the new Administrator. *2 Ca. Ch. 129.*

(4 W. 7.) Removal of a Trustee.

So a Trustee may be removed from the Trust, if the others will not join with him, tho' he does not consent to it. *R. 2 Ca. Ch. 131.*

(4 W. 8.) Security required of him.

So a Trustee shall be bound to perform his Trust.

If Goods are devised to *A.* for his Life, and afterwards to *B.* *A.* being a Trustee, shall be obliged to give Security to deliver them to *B.* *1 Ch. R. 110.*

(4 W. 9.) Trust; How it shall be executed.

If a Man devises an Estate to his Wife, to be distributed during her Widowhood amongst his Daughters by a former Wife, and she marries, and afterwards distributes most to one Daughter; it is not good; for a Trust ought to be precisely pursued according to the Intent of the Maker, and therefore the Distribution must be before her second Marriage. *Ca. Ch. 310.* (4 W. 9) Pursuant to the Intent. *Vide Post, (4 W. 13.)*

If Land be devised in Trust for *A.* and *B.* rateably, and that it shall be conveyed to them *in like Sort*, it shall be conveyed to them in Common. *R. Lev. 232.*

If a Trust be to pay 200 *l.* to two of the Daughters of *B.* born or to be born; *A.* then born shall have 100 *l.* tho' *B.* has two Daughters afterwards born. *R. Ch. R. 189.*

If

If a Man devises 1500 *l.* in Trust for *A.* for Life, and if she survives her Husband to be disposed of to *A.* but if her Husband survives, to go among the Children of *B.* as *A.* directs: *A.* makes no Direction but survives; *B.* had five Children at the Time of the Devise, but four die having Issue; the whole 1500 *l.* goes to the Child who survives, for Grandchildren cannot take by a Devise to Children, if any Child is living; otherwise if all the Children are dead. *R. Cont. per Jefferies, but per Commissioners Acc. 2 Ver. 108.*

If a Devise be of 300 *l.* a-piece to two Daughters, and to the third Daughter as much as his Executor pleases; she shall have 300 *l.*

[When there is a general Trust of Money for a Society, a particular Member cannot set off his private Debt against the Share he may be intitled to on a Contingency. *Lee v. Carter, M. 1740. 2 Atkyns 84.*]

(4 W. 10.)
When Money
shall be de-
creed in Spe-
cie.
Vide Post,
(4 W. 16.)

If a Man devises Money to be vested in Land, to be settled to *A.* for Life, and afterwards to *B.* in Tail, and afterwards to *C.* in Tail; if *A.* dies and *B.* is under Age, the Money shall not be decreed to *B.*

So, if *B.* be of full Age, tho' he might by Recovery bar him in Remainder; for perhaps he will not suffer a Recovery, or may die before he does. *R. Cont. but per Gower Acc. 2 Ver. 552.*

[If Money is articted to be laid out in Land, to be settled on *A.* for Life, Remainder to his first, &c. Sons, Remainder to his right Heirs, and *A.* dies, leaving only Son; the Court will not order him the Money on Petition. *Per King C. Eyre's Case, T. 1726, and Onslow's Case, H. 1732. Cont. per Parker C. Short v. Wood, and many other Cases, 3 P. W. 13.*]

So a Conveyance shall be decreed to *Cestuy que Trust* in Tail only for an Estate-tail, and not in Fee. *R. 2 Ver. 428.*

So, if Money is to be vested in a Purchase to the Use of Husband and Wife and the Survivor for Life, and afterwards to the Heirs of their Bodies, and for Default, to the Heirs of the Body of the Wife, and afterwards to *B.* the Brother of the Wife and his Heirs; the Wife dies without Issue, and then the Husband dies before the Purchase made; the Money shall be decreed to *B.* who was also Administrator *de bonis non, &c.* to the Wife, and not to the Administrator of the Husband, tho' he survived. *Cont. per Trevor and Rawlinson, but Hutchins Acc. 2 Ver. 227.*

If *A.* devises 500 *l.* a-piece to his two Daughters, to be laid out in a Purchase and settled upon his Daughters, and if either of them die before Marriage, 150 *l.* or Land to that Value, to go to the Survivor; one of them marries and survives; her Husband shall have the Whole given to his Wife, and the Survivorship; for it shall be regarded as Money. *R. 2 Ver. 284.*

[If 3000 *l.* is vested in Trustees, 2000 *l.* for the eldest Son, and 1000 *l.* for the younger Children, and there is a Proviso in the Article, that the 3000 *l.* shall be laid out in Land, to be to the same Uses, and subject to the same Conditions as are declared concerning the Money, and Part of the 3000 *l.* is accordingly laid out; this shall be considered as Money, and not as Land. *Combe v. Combe, T. 1741. 2 Atkyns 185.*]

So, if Money be agreed to be vested in a Purchase to such and such Uses; every Party shall be decreed to have a like Interest in the Money as he would have had in the Land, if it was purchased. *2 Ch. R. 409.*

But where Money is decreed to one, who would be Tenant in Tail of the Land when purchased, it shall not, after ten Years are elapsed, be restored him in Remainder. *2 Ver. 552.*

If Money be devised for a Purchase, to be settled on a Daughter in Tail, her Husband shall have the Benefit for his Life, tho' the Wife died without Issue before the Purchase made, if there was Issue born; for the Husband would be intitled to be Tenant by the Curtesy. *R. 2 Ver. 536.*

So, if Money be devised for a Purchase to be settled upon *A.* for Life, afterwards to Trustees for his Life, afterwards to the Heirs of the Body of *A.* Remainder to others; it shall be decreed to be settled on the first and other Sons of *A.* *Per King, 5 Geo. 2. 33, 34.*

[If by Marriage-articles Money is to be laid out in Lands to Husband for Life, Trustees to preserve, &c. Wife for Life, their Children, as they or Survivor shall appoint, in Default, equally, if but one, to that and the Heirs of the Body, in Default, to Husband in Fee; and they have Issue only one Daughter, who marries *A.* and the Money is paid to them, she not being *sui juris*, nor seperately examined, and she dies; the Money shall notwithstanding be considered as Land, and the Sister of the Half-blood shall claim it under her Father. *Cunningham v. Moody, M. 1748. 2 Vezey 174.*]

So a Trust of Land shall be decreed pursuant to the Nature of the Land; as, if Land be of the Nature of *Gavelkind*, or *Borough English*, it shall be decreed to all, or to the Youngest Son. *Vide Uses, (D. 2.)*

If a Trust be of a Copyhold, where by Custom the Eldest Daughter takes the Whole, it shall all be decreed to the Eldest Daughter. *R. 2 Rot. 780. l. 40.*

So Trusts are to be construed by the same Rules, as legal Estates. *1 P. W.*

143. How a Trustee shall account for Money, or the Profits of the Trust Estate,

Vide Ante, (2 A. 1, &c.)

How he ought to pay Legacies, or other Money, *Vide Ante, (3 G. 3, &c.)*

When a Trustee may sell for Performance of the Trust, *Vide Ante, (3 A. 6, 7.)*

But where a Trustee has Power at his Discretion, *Chancery* will not controul his Judgment; as, if a Man devises his Lands, Goods and Chattels to *A.* upon Trust that he gives them to his Children and Grandchildren according to the Demerits, and he gives all to one; the others shall not be relieved, for the Testator submitted the Whole to his Judgment. *R. Ca. Ch. 309. 1 Ver. 356.*

(4 W. 11.)
When, at the Discretion of the Trustee.

[If Trustees having an absolute *discretionary* Power will not act, the Court cannot act for them, unless in Case of a Charity. *Semb. Gower v. Mainwaring, M. 1750. 2 Vezey 87.*]

[Otherwise, if a Rule is laid down for their Conduct. *Ibid.*]

If *A.* settles his Lands to the Use of such Child or Children, and in such Proportion as he shall appoint by Will, &c. If *A.* gives an Annuity to the Youngest Son and Portions to the Daughters, it will be well, tho' he does not distribute the Land itself among them. *Semb. 2 Ver. 80.*

If he gives 100*l.* to each of his Children, and if one dies his Portion to go to one or more of the Survivors as his Executor thinks proper; the Executor may give the Whole to one. *R. 2 Ver. 513.*

But if a Devise be to an Executor of Land to be sold for Payment of Debts, when the Executor thinks proper; he cannot sell, if there are Personal Assets sufficient. *Ca. Ch. 281.*

Nor more than is necessary; for their Discretion ought to be regulated by Equity. *Semb. Ca. Ch. 281.*

If a Devise be to a Wife, upon Trust that she shall dispose of it only for the Benefit of her Children, she ought to make an equal Distribution. *R. 1 Ver. 67, 355, 414.*

[If Testator leaves his Personal Estate to be disposed of among his Family, as this Court shall think fit, it will do it according to the Statute of Distributions. *Gower v. Mainwaring, M. 1750. 2 Vezey 110.*]

[Yet where Testator has left his Estate to Trustees, to give the Residue among his Friends and Relations, where they shall see most Necessity, and as they shall think equitable, and the Trustees refuse to act, the Court will refer it to a Master to see in what Proportions it shall be distributed to the next of Kin. *Ibid.*]

If a Man devises to his Wife, to be distributed between his Daughters as she shall judge meet, having a Daughter by his Wife and another by a former *Venter*, and the Wife gives 1000*l.* to her own Daughter, and only 100*l.* to the other Daughter; the latter shall be aided in Equity. *1 Ver. 355. R. Ch. R.*

If Land be devised to *A.* upon Trust to sell the Whole or Part for Payment of Debts; if he pays Debts to the Value of the Land, it is a Performance of the Trust, and *A.* himself becomes the Purchaser. *R. Ca. Ch. 199.*

So, if he pays to the Value of Part with his own Money, he shall be a Purchaser *pro tanto*; for he had Power to sell the Whole, or Part. *Ca. Ch. 199.*

If a Devise be of Land to be settled upon such Son of *B.* as the Trustees shall think proper; the Court will give a Day to the Trustees to make a Nomination; otherwise the Court will name which Son they please. *Ch. R. 56.*

If 400*l.* be devised to Executors, to be distributed among them and their Brothers, according to their Necessity, as the Executors please; a double Share shall be given to the Heir, he having a smaller Provision. *R. and aff. in Parl. 2 Ver. 421.*

If a Lease be upon Trust, that an indefeasible Estate be settled to *A.* for Life, and afterwards to his Wife for Life, with Remainders over, and the Land of a Delinquent is settled in 1657, and accepted of by *A.* and Proof made that this Land was intended to be settled; the Trust is performed, tho' after the Restoration the Land is evicted. *R. Ca. Ch. 298.*

And the Acceptance by the Husband also binds his Wife. *Ca. Ch. 298.*

(4 W. 12.)
When Equity
with a legal
Interest shall
be preferred
to meer
Equity.

If *A.* has an equal Equity with *B.* and afterwards obtains the legal Interest also, he shall be preferred in Equity to *B.* As, if a Mortgage, Statute, Recognizance, or Judgment be made by *C.* to *D.* and afterwards *C.* makes a second Mortgage to *B.* and a subsequent Mortgage to *A.* If *A.* afterwards purchases the prior Mortgage, Statute, Recognizance, or Judgment, he shall hold the Estate, till he is satisfied his last Mortgage, before *B.* can redeem him. *Vide Ante, (4 A. 10.)*

But if there be Collusion in *A. B.* shall be preferred; as, if *A.* had Notice of the prior Incumbrance, before the Mortgage to him.

So, if an Husband, having a Term for Years, makes a Mortgage thereof to *D.* and afterwards, in Consideration of the Cancelling a Bond made for the Benefit of his Wife, by Lease and Release settles the Lands upon the Wife and her Heirs, and she devises to *B.* (who also obtained a Release thereof from her Heir at Law) in the Life-time of her Husband, who afterwards, in Consideration of a Marriage settles the Lands upon *A.* who obtains the prior Mortgage, but denies Notice; yet *B.* who took out Administration to the Wife shall be preferred. *R. Eq. Ca. 144.*

(4 W. 13.) Trust; How it shall be decreed.

(4 W. 13.)
According to
the Intent of
the Maker.
Vide Ante.
(4 W. 9.)

A Trust shall be decreed as near to the Intention of the Maker as may be; and therefore, if it be agreed that Land shall be settled upon the Wife for her Jointure, and afterwards to the Issue of the Wife; it shall be decreed to the Husband for his Life, and afterwards to the Wife, &c. for a Jointure imports an Estate to the Wife, after the Death of her Husband. *R. Ca. Ch. 125.*

If Articles upon Marriage are, That Land shall be settled upon the Heirs of the Body of the Husband by his Wife; it shall be decreed, that the Settlement be, To the Husband for Life, Remainder to Trustees to preserve, &c. Remainder to the first and other Sons in Tail. *R. 2 Ver. 13, 670, 702.*

[If a Man leaves Money to be laid out in Land to be settled under several Limitations to different Branches of his Family, and there are no Trustees to preserve Contingent Remainders, the Court will order such Trustees to be inserted in the Settlement. *Baskerville v. Baskerville, H. 1741. 2 Atkyns 279.*]

Otherwise, if there be a Devise upon such Trust; for the Devisee shall take according to the Words of the Will. *Cont. per Cowper, but upon a Rehearing per Harcourt Acc. 2 Ver. 670. (Vide 1 P. W. 142.)*

[If by Marriage-settlement of *A.* and *B.* Money is assigned to Trustees, to be laid out in Land with the Consent of *A.* and *B.* or the Survivor, to the Use of *A.* and *B.* and the Survivor for Life, Remainder to Trustees, to preserve, &c. Remainder to the first and other Sons in Tail-male, Remainder to the Daughters in

in Tail-general, Remainder to the Survivor of *A.* and *B.* in Fee; and there are several Children, and on the Marriage of the Eldest son *C.* he covenants to convey this Money (if he survives his Father) to Trustees, to purchase Land for particular Purposes; and *A.* by his Will devises this Money to *C.* and requires him to give a Discharge of all Demands on his Estate, which he does, and the Money is paid to him with the Consent of his Brothers; this Money is not liable to any Intail, nor to be laid out in Land, nor considered as a Debt upon *C.*'s Estate, but he shall have it as his absolute Property. *Trafford v. Boehm, H. 1746. 3 Atkyns 440.*]

[If a Trust in Equity is devised to *A.* for Life, without Waste, to Trustees for *A.*'s Life, to support, &c. and to the Heirs of *A.*'s Body, and then to Testator's right Heirs; this is a Trust *executory*, as to the Heirs of *A.*'s Body, and these Words shall be taken as Words of Purchase to fulfil Testator's Intention; and *A.* takes only an Estate for Life, with contingent Remainders to his Issue successively. *Bagshaw v. Spencer, M. 1748. 1 Vezey 142. 1 Wils. 238.*]

So, if a Devise be to Trustees for Payment of Debts, and that they settle the Remainder on his Son and the Heirs of his Body, but take Care that he may not dock the Intail during his Life; it shall be decreed to the Son for his Life only, not in Tail. *R. 2 Ver. 526.*

If a Settlement be pursuant to Articles, To the Husband for Life, to the Wife for Life, to the first and other Sons of the Marriage in Tail, and afterwards to the Sons of the Husband by a second Wife in Tail, and then to the Heirs of the Body of the Husband, where the Articles were to the Heirs Female of the Body of the Husband; it shall be rectified by Decree. *2 P. W. 349.*

Tho' the Articles were made in the Year 1685, and the Settlement afterwards in the same Year, and there was an Acquiescence for 40 Years, and a Recovery suffered, and a Devise made by the Husband. *R. Cont. per Excheq. but reversed, 2 P. W. 349.*

If after Articles a Settlement be made, with a Provision of Portions for the Daughters of a former Marriage, the Settlement shall be good. *2 P. W. 540.*

So a Trust shall be decreed according to the Intention of the Party, tho' the Words import a different Construction; as, if a Man devises Lands in Trust for *K.* in Tail, and if she dies without Issue, to *B.* for Life; and in another Clause says, if *K.* dies without Issue and *B.* is then dead, *then and not otherwise* to *A.* in Fee: *K.* dies without Issue, *B.* survives her and dies; the Land shall be decreed to *A.* and not to the Heir of the Devisor; for his Intent was, that *A.* should take, and the Words (*then and not otherwise*) mean only, that he shall not take till *B.* is dead. *R. 2 Vent. 363.*

[The Court may decree Trust-money in Marriage-articles, against the Words, to fulfil the Intent; thus, if it is agreed that 1250*l.* the Wife's Fortune, and 1250*l.* of the Husband's shall be settled in Trustees, to permit Husband to receive during their joint Lives, if he dies first without Children, the Wife to have the 2500*l.* transferred to her, if he leaves Children, she to have it for Life only, if they die, her Right to the Whole to revive; if she dies before Husband, she to dispose of 500*l.* as she shall appoint, in Default, to her Mother if alive, if not, to her Sister; the Rest to be at the Husband's Disposal; and she dies before her Husband, leaving Son and Daughter, her Sister (who had an equal Fortune with her) shall not have it, but the Court will supply the Words (without Issue) and it shall go to the Son and Daughter. *Targus v. Puget, H. 1750. 2 Vezey 194.*]

[If Money is given in Trust for the Child of *A.* if he leaves any at his Death, Remainder to *B.* with Power to Trustees to apply the Produce for Maintenance and Advancement, and *A.* is Sixty, and his Wife Forty, and have no Child, the Court will not order all the growing Produce to be paid to *B.* but may order some Annual Maintenance. *Kirby v. Clayton, H. 1750. 2 Vezey 241.*]

[If Money devised in Trust, to be laid out in Lands in England for the Benefit of *A.* Remainders over, is by Act of Parliament secured on *A.*'s Estate in Scotland during his Minority; *A.* comes of Age, and becomes lunatic, it may be called in, and laid out pursuant to the Trust. *Marquis Annandale v. Marchioness Annandale, T. 1751. 2 Vezey 381.*]

If

If Husband and Wife settle the Land of the Wife, to them for Life, and afterwards to their Issue, Remainder to the Husband in Fee, provided, that if the Wife survives, (they not having Issue) she may revoke; the Husband leaves Issue, the Wife survives, and the Issue dies without Issue in her Life-time; the Wife may revoke. *R. 2 Ver. 651.*

So a Thing for the publick Good shall be liberally expounded; as, if by Act of Parliament, the New-River Water is to be brought to the North Parts of the Town; if it be brought to the South or South-west, it shall be within the Benefit of the Act. *Per Ld. Somers, 2 Ver. 432.*

If Liberty be given, to serve the City, they may serve the Parts adjacent. *1 Ver. 432.*

If they may dig in *alieno solo* a Trench of 10 Feet wide, Pipes within the same Compass may be laid. *R. 2 Ver. 431, 2.*

[If *A.* by Will gives his Real Estate to his Son, &c. failing which to Trustees, for such charitable Uses as he shall direct; and as to his Personal, to the same Trustees, to pay Legacies, to allow Maintenance to his Son, and to pay it to him at Age or Marriage; or, if he dies, to be disposed of among the Widows and Orphans of Dissenters, and his poor Relations, as Trustees (whom he makes Executors) think fit; and by Codicil directs, that in Case of his Son's Death, the Lands shall be sold or not, as Trustees please; and the Purchase-money or Rents disposed of as he shall appoint, or, in Default, as Trustees please: He leaves no Direction, Son dies without Issue; there is no resulting Trust for the Heir at Law, nor beneficial Interest given to the Trustees, the Real Estate is subject to the same Trust as the Personal, whether sold or not; the Trustees are considered as Trustees throughout for both, and shall lay a Scheme before the Master for applying it to charitable Uses, pursuant to Testator's Intention, having particular Regard to his poor Relations, and their Circumstances. *Cook v. Duckenfield, P. 1743. and H. 1743. 2 Atkyns 562, 567.*

[If by Articles, previous to Marriage of *A.* and *B.* Money is to be laid out in Purchase of Lands, or renewable Leases, to be settled, &c. the last Limitation to *A.* and his Heirs, and till Purchase made, the Trustees to put out the Money and apply the Produce to the same Uses; and *A.* dies before any Purchase is made, and by his Will devises all his Freehold, Leasehold and Copyhold in *I.* and *E.* or elsewhere, to *B.* for Life, and then to *C.* and his Heirs, and gives his Personal to *B.* paying Debts and Legacies, and makes *B.* and *C.* Executors; the Money shall be laid out in Lands or Leaseholds. *Guidot v. Guidot, T. 1745. 3 Atkyns 254.*

[If a Man conveys 1000 *l.* to Trustees, to lay it out in Lands within twenty-two Miles of *C.* and the first Tenant in Tail suggesting no such Purchase can be found, prays it may be laid out elsewhere; the Court will order the Trustee to look out for a Purchase within the Deed, and if in convenient Time it cannot be found, will deviate from the strict Terms of the Trust. *Maynwaring v. Maynwaring, H. 1746. 3 Atkyns 413.*

[A Trust must take effect according to the whole Intent, or not at all; therefore, if Money is directed to be laid out in Land for a Charity, and is void as to that, it shall not be laid out in Land, and descend to the Heir. *Mogg v. Hodge, M. 1750. 2 Vezey 52.*

[If *A.* possessed of a Term, conveys it to Trustees to permit *B.* his Wife to receive during the Term, if she so long live, then to permit *A.* if he so long live, then for the Heirs of the Body of *B.* by *A.* their Executors, &c. and for Default to *C.* if she so long live, and then to her two Sons; *A.* dies, having never had Issue; the whole Term is not in *B.* for if she so long live is the same as for Life; the Heirs of the Body are Words of Purchase, not of Limitation. *Hodgeson v. Buffey, M. 1740. 2 Atkyns 89.*

(4 W. 14.)
Trust for Pay-
ment of Debts.
Vide Ante,
(3 A. 6) —
3 P. 1, &c.)

[If a Man devises his Freehold Estate to Trustees, to be sold for Payment of his Debts, and after other Legacies gives his Personal Estate to his Nephew; yet the Personal Estate shall be first applied to the Payment of his Debts, if there are no negative Words. *Fereyes v. Robertson, P. 1731. Bunb. 301.*

[The Personal Estate shall be first liable to Debts and Legacies, and Testator cannot discharge it, as against Creditors; but as between Heir and Executor he may

may give his Real Estate to Trustees, or charge it in Equity, or direct it to be sold for Payment, &c. ; but in either Way there must be direct Words, or manifest Intention to discharge the Personal Estate, or it will be first liable. *Walker v. Jackson, T. 1743. per Lord Hardwicke. Bumb. 302.*

If a Trust be for Payment of Debts, it shall be decreed against the Heir tho' there be no Covenant for Payment, and no Creditor be a Party, nor any Debt expressed particularly in the Deed. *Ca. Ch. 249. Vide Ante, (3 A. 6.)*

But not against a Purchaser. *Ca. Ch. 249.*

So it shall be decreed, tho' the Conveyance be defective in Law. *R. Ca. Ch. 249. Vide Ante, 2 T. 5.)*

So, if *A.* marries, and it is agreed that the Portion shall be laid out in the Purchase of Lands to be settled upon *A.* and his Wife and the Heirs of their Bodies, Remainder to the right Heirs of *A.* and a Bond is given to *A.* for Payment of the Money, when a Purchase shall be provided; *A.* and his Wife die, and *A.* directs Payment to his Executor to discharge Debts and Legacies, he not having Issue; the Bond shall be decreed to the Executor, not to the Heir. *R. 1 Ch. R. 31.*

If Land be conveyed to *A.* for Payment of such and such Debts, and other Land be conveyed to him by the same Person for other Debts; the Heir shall not have an Account against *A.* for one Trust only, but the Account shall be taken of both together. *R. 1 Ver. 29.*

If a Trust be for Payment of Debts, which are claimed within a Year; a Creditor shall not be excluded after the Year, if there be not a Decree for it, upon a Bill against him, to compel him to come in for his Debt, or renounce the Benefit of the Trust. *R. 1 Ver. 260, 319.*

If a Trust be for Payment of Debts in a Schedule; a Purchaser ought to apply his Money to the Payment. *1 Ver. 260, 319. Vide Ante, (4 I. 6.)*

If Lands are settled, for Payment of the Party's Debts in a Schedule for the Term of 1000 Years, and afterwards to him and his Heirs; his Personal Estate shall go in Aid of the Real, for the Benefit of the Heir. *Ch. R. 480. Vide Ante, (3 A. 3.)*

If an Act of Parliament directs Payment of Mortgages in the first Place; they shall be paid before a prior Statute or Recognizance, tho' there be a General Saving. *2 Ver. 712.*

If a Devise be for Payment of Debts, and Debts upon Bond are in Part satisfied out of the Personal Estate, the Residue shall be paid out of the Land devised. *Per Harcourt, 1 P. W. 228. Vide Ante, (3 A. 3.) (Vide 2 P. W. 416.)*

So Debts, which the Devisor contracted for Necessaries during his Infancy. *1 P. W. 558.*

Or Money, borrowed in his Infancy, to pay for meer Necessaries, not for Extravagances. *1 P. W. 559.*

So Debts, which the Wife of the Devisor had contracted to pay for Necessaries. *1 P. W. 483.*

If Lands in Mortgage are devised to an Infant in Fee, subject to the Incumbrances thereupon, and other Lands are devised to *B.* for Payment of Debts; the latter shall be liable to the Payment of the Mortgage. *2 P. W. 386.*

[If one indebted by Note, after the six Years elapsed, makes his Will, and charges his Lands with Payment of his Debts, such Will revives the Debt. *Jones v. Stafford, M. 1730. 3 P. W. 79.*]

But a Trust for Payment of Debts shall not be applied for any Debt not due at the Time, without an express Provision. *R. 1 Ver. 29.*

Nor, for a Debt arising by the Party's Misfeasance; as, an Escape, Breach of Trust, &c. *1 Ver. 431, 2. Eq. Abr. 138.*

Nor, for a Debt which was contracted *malâ fide.* *1 Ver. 432.*

So, if by Marriage-Articles, a Man agrees to purchase 400*l.* *per Annum*, to be settled on the Husband for Life, then on the Wife for Life, and afterwards to the Heirs of their Bodies, and if he dies before the Purchase, that the Wife shall have 3000*l.* or 400*l.* *per Ann.* at her Election; the Husband dies before

the Purchase, having several Children, the Wife chooses the 3000*l.* whereby there are no Assets for Creditors; she shall be compelled to take the 400*l.* per *Ann. R. 2 Ver. 605.*

[If an Estate is devised in Trust to raise by Rents, Mortgage, or Sale, enough to pay, &c. and subject thereto, to a Daughter in strict Settlement, Remainder over; the Estate is not sufficient, during the Life of a Jointress, to keep down the Interest, and Arrear accrues, afterwards it is more than sufficient; the Surplus now shall be applied to pay the former Arrear, but the Daughter unprovided for shall first have a Maintenance. *Revel v. Watkinson, T. 1748. 1 Vezey 93.*]

[Trustees to pay Debts, may sell or mortgage without a Decree. *E. Bath v. E. Bradford, T. 1754. 2 Vezey 587.*]

(4 W. 15.)
A Trust shall
be decreed to
him, who
would take,
if the Settle-
ment were
completed.

If there be a Trust, that Money be laid out in a Purchase of Land to be settled to such and such Uses, every one shall have the same Benefit, if the Parties die without a Settlement, as he would have had, if Land had been settled. *2 P. W. 174.*

As, if the Land was to be settled upon a Woman and the Heirs of her Body; if she marries, and has Issue, and dies before any Settlement, her Husband shall be allowed to have the Interest for his Life; for he would have been Tenant by the Curtesy, if the Settlement had been made. *2 Ver. 585.*

So, if the Trust of Land be for a Woman and the Heirs of her Body; her Husband, if he has Issue, shall be Tenant by the Curtesy. *2 Ver. 585, 681.*

But if the Settlement directed will make a Perpetuity, the Settlement shall not be decreed for such Intent; but to all in effect it shall be only for Life, and upon a Limitation to such as are not in effect it shall be in Tail. *2 Ver. 738.*

(4 W. 16.)
So Money for
a Purchase
may be de-
creed in Spe-
cie.
Vide Ante,
(4 W. 10.)

[If a Man brings a Bill, to have Money in Specie devised to be laid out in Lands to be settled on him In-tail, Remainder to another in Fee; the Remainder-man, though of Age must be a Party, or he cannot have it. *Talbot v. Whitfield, M. 1725. Bunb. 204.*]

If 1000*l.* be devised for the Purchase of Land for *A. B. and C.* and their Heirs, equally to be divided; each may pray his Share in Money, if he be not an Infant. *Per Cowper, 1 P. W. 389.*

So, if there be a Devise, that the Land purchased shall be to Husband and Wife for Life, afterwards to the Heirs of their Bodies, afterwards to the Heirs of the Husband; the Son of their Bodies may make his Election to have the Money, and it shall be decreed, tho' there are Daughters, who might take as Heirs, if there was no Son, nor Issue. *Per Trevor, 1 P. W. 130.*

So, if it is to be settled to a Woman for Life, to her first and other Sons in Tail, Remainder to her Heirs; she, and her only Son of full Age may pray a Decree for the Money, one Third to her, and two Thirds to the Son. *Per Parker, 1 P. W. 470.*

[If Money is left by Will to Trustees, in Trust for *A.* and her Heirs, to be laid out in the Purchase of Lands; the Money may be paid to her Husband, *A.* consenting in Court. *Pearson v. Brereton, H. 1743. 3 Atkyns 71.* This is sometimes refused; therefore *Q.*]

If 1000*l.* is agreed to be vested in a Purchase, to the Use of *B.* in Tail, Remainder to him in Fee, it shall be decreed to him; for he may bar all the Limitations by a Fine, which may be levied in Vacation Time. *1 P. W. 471. 2 P. W. 173.*

But if Money is to be laid out in a Purchase, for *A.* in Tail, Remainder to *B.* the Money shall not be decreed to *A.* for *A.* may die without Issue, before Recovery can be suffered. *Per Cowper, and afterwards per Parker, 1 P. W. 470. Cont. before, 1 P. W. 91.*

So, if the Limitation be to *A.* in Tail, and he is an Infant; for he cannot levy a Fine during his Minority. *1 P. W. 471, 91.*

(4 W. 17.)
Trust decreed
notwithstand-
ing the Statute
of Limita-
tions

If Money be delivered upon Trust, the Payment thereof shall be decreed, notwithstanding the Statute of Limitations. *R. where the Statute was pleaded to a Bill for Relief. 2 Vent. 345. R. upon a Plea, Ca. Ch. 20. 1 Ch. R. 125.*

So, where Money is received by one as Deputy to another. *R. Ca. Ch. 20.*

3 Ch. R. 8. So, if *A.* files a *Latitat* against his Debtor and continues it during his Life, by which Means the Statute of Limitations does not incur, he may exhibit a Bill against the Debtor's Executor in Equity, and the Statute of Limitations shall be no Bar. *2 Ver. 695.*

So, if an Estate be vested in Trustees for *A.* an Account shall be decreed for the Profits, and is not barred by the Statute. *Eq. Ca. 33. **

So, if a Bill in Equity be dismissed because the Plaintiff has a Remedy at Law, and the Statute of Limitations incurred *pendente lite*; *Chancery* will not suffer the Defendant at Law to plead the Statute of Limitations. *1 Ver. 73, 4.*

But where a Demand is not made in Equity in a reasonable Time, Equity does not relieve.

As, where a Devise was of Land for Payment of Debts, and afterwards to the Executors, but if any one of the Name of the Devisor would purchase, he should have the Estate for 200/. under the Value; a Bill, brought by one of his Name to have the Purchase twenty-five Years after his Death, was dismissed. *1 Ver. 362, 3.*

A Trust for Sale of Lands shall be decreed, tho' the Time for Sale be elapsed. *(4 W. 18.)*

1 Ch. R. 183. So, if a Devise be to *A.* upon Condition, that he lays out within five Years 7000/. in the Purchase of other Lands to be settled to the same Intent; if the Time for Performance be elapsed, pending Suits concerning the Will, the Time to perform may be enlarged. *Ch. R. 55.*

So, if after a Contract for Lands, an Order be made for Payment on such a Day by Consent, or the Articles to be cancelled; the Time for Payment may be enlarged by the Court. *2 P. W. 66.*

A Trust shall be executed against All, who claim by Privity of Estate, or with Notice, or without Consideration. *Per Hale, Hard. 469.*

So, against a Tenant in Dower; for the claims in the *Per. Hard. 469.*

So, if a Trustee commits Treason, Felony, &c. or is outlawed, &c. *Cestuy que Trust* ought to have a Remedy against the King, who claims by the Forfeiture, or Escheat. *Cont. Vide Uses, (F. H.)—Semb. Acc. Hard. 469.*

But generally, he who claims in the *Post*, shall not be subject to the Trust. *Hard. 469. Vide Uses, (F.)*

(4 W. 19.) Trust of a Term for Years.

If a Term for Years be limited to Trustees; the Trust shall have the same Construction in Equity, as the Term and Estate itself shall have at Common Law. *D. of Norfolk's Case, 28. R. Pol. 31.*

And therefore, if it be limited in Trust for *A.* for his Life, and afterwards to *B.* the Trust for *B.* is good after the Death of *A.* *Cont. for the whole Term vests in A. Dy. 74. Cro. El. 796. Mo. 748, 635.* But it has been several Times resolved, That in a Devise, Grant, or Limitation of the Trust of a Term, a Possibility may be after a Possibility; and therefore, in regard that *A.* may die before the Term expires, the latter Possibility may be assigned over to another. *R. Pl. Com. 523, 539. R. Mo. 758, 847. R. 8 Co. 96. b. 10 Co. 47, 52. b. 1 Bul. 192. R. 2 Cro. 198. 1 Rol. 612. l. 30. 610. l. 30. Dy. 277, 328, 358.*

So, if a Term be devised or limited in Trust to *A.* for Life, and afterwards to *B.* for Life, and afterwards to twenty others for Life successively; it is good, if all the Lives are *in esse.* *Agreed Ca. Ch. 8. Duke of Norfolk's Case, 29. R. 1 Sid. 451, 1 Vent. 79.*

So, if a Term be devised or limited in Trust to *A.* for Life, and afterwards to his Wife for Life, and afterwards to their Children for Life, and afterwards to *B.* for Life; the Limitation to *B.* is good. *R. Ca. Ch. 239. Qu. If the Children were not in esse?*

So,

So, if it be to *A.* for 18 Years, and then to *B.* for Life, and afterwards to his Wife for Life, and then to the Eldest Issue Male of *B.* for Life; tho' he had no Issue Male at the Time of the Devise, or Death of the Devisor, yet the Limitation to the Issue Male is good. *R. per 3 of 11 Rob. 612: 130. 937. l. 45. Agr. D. of Norfolk's Case, 29.* for it is limited upon a Contingency, which expires within the Compass of a Life.

So a Limitation to *A.* and his Wife for Life, and afterwards to their Eldest Son not then born, is good to the Son, tho' not in esse. *Per Lord Keeper Finch, 1 Mod. 115.*

So a Limitation to *A.* for Life, and afterwards to his Wife for Life, and afterwards to *B.* if he survives *A.* and his Wife, if not, to the Son of *B.* then living, and if he shall have no Issue, to *D.* shall be a good Limitation to *D.* if *B.* dies without Issue before *A.* or his Wife. *R. Ca. Ch. 132.*

So, to *A.* for 1000 Years, upon Trust that *B.* and his Issue shall enjoy, and if *B.* dies without Issue extant, or enfeint, *C.* shall have it; if *B.* dies without Issue, *C.* shall take. *R. per King, 3 Geo. 2. 26.*

So a Devise or Limitation in Trust to *A.* and the Issue of his Body, and if he dies without Issue and unmarried, to *B.* is good to *B.* for the Contingency expires within the Life of *A.* *F. 2 Cro. 462.*

Or, to *A.* for Life, and afterwards to *B.* and his Issue, and if he dies without Issue in the Life of *A.* then to *C.* The Limitation to *C.* is good, *B.* being dead without Issue in the Life of *A.* *R. in Chancery per Bridgman, with Twifden and Rainsford. D. of Norfolk's Case, 35, 6. Ca. Ch. 131. 1 Ver. 304.*

So a Devise or Limitation in Trust to *A.* and his Heirs, so long as *B.* has Issue of his Body, and if he dies without Issue in the Life of *A.* then to *Edward*, is good to *Edward*; for the Contingency expires in the Life of *A.* *R. 34 Car. 2. per Lord Nottingham, contrary to the Opinion of the two Chief Justices, and the Chief Baron. Rev. per Lord Keeper North, but affirmed in Parliament, 1 Jac. 2. Duke of Norfolk's Case. — 1 Ver. 163.*

So a Devise in Trust for Husband and Wife for Life, and afterwards to be assigned to the first Son, at his Age of 21 Years, and if he dies before 21, to the second, and so to the third Son, &c. upon the same Contingency shall be good, tho' it be a Contingency after a Contingency; for the Whole determines within 21 Years. *R. 1 Ver. 235, 304. F. g. 316.*

So a Devise, &c. of a Term to *A.* for Life, and afterwards to his first Son, and the Heirs of his Body, and so to every other Son and the Heirs of his Body, and then to the first Daughter and the Heirs of her Body; if *A.* has no Son, but a Daughter, she shall take; for she is the first Person, in whom the Limitation takes Effect. *R. 1 Sal. 156. 2 Ver. 600.*

So, to *A.* and the Heirs of his Body, and if he dies without Issue, in the Life of *B.* to *B.* shall be good to *B.* *R. 1 Sal. 225. Skin. 340. Eq. Abr. 192.*

[Where the Words of the Devise of a Trust of a Term of Years would make an express Estate-tail in a Freehold, the Devise over of such Term is void; but it is good if the Words would only have made an Estate-tail by Implication. As a Devise to *A.* for Life, Remainder to the Heirs of his Body, Remainder to *B.*; the Remainder to *B.* is void: but Devise to *A.* then to his Children, and if they leave no Issue at the Time of their Deaths, then to *B.*; this Remainder to *B.* is good. *Atkinson v. Hutchinson, P. 1734. 3 P. W. 258.*]

So, if a Father settles a Term upon his Son, to be vested in Trustees for the Benefit of him and his Issue, and if he has no Issue, for *A. B.* and *C.* his Sisters, and the Son vests it in Trust for himself and his Issue, and for Default of Issue, for *A. B.* and *C.* If the Son dies without Issue, it shall be decreed to *A. B.* and *C.* and not to his Executor. *R. 1 Ch. R. 17.*

[If *A.* having a Freehold Lease for three Lives to her, her Executors, &c. for valuable Consideration assigns it to Trustees, to the Use of her Son *B.* for Life, then to the Use of his Issue, and for Want of such Issue to the Use of *C.* her Executors, &c. during the Residue; the Whole vests in the Issue, (*i. e.* the Children of *B.*); and *A.*'s Executor, who is special Occupant, cannot claim against it. *Williams v. Jekyll, M. 1755. 2 Vezey 681.*]

So, if a Father makes an Agreement that an Annuity shall be paid to his Daughter for her separate Maintenance, that if the Husband survives he shall have it for his Life, if they have Issue, that the Issue shall have what remains of the Term, if they have no Issue, the Father shall have it; if the Husband and Wife have Issue, who die in four Years after the Husband and Wife, the Father shall have it, and not the Administrator of the Issue. *Semb. per Cowper. But 2, 2 Ver. 693.*

So, if a Term be devised to a Son till the Age of 21 Years, and then to him for Life, and then to such Child to whom he shall give it, and if he dies without Issue, to B. The Limitation to B. shall be good; for it shall be construed, if he has no Issue at his Death. *F.g. 317. Eq. Abr. 193.*

So, to A. and his Children, and if he dies before the Term expired, not having Issue then living, to B. *R. Eq. Abr. 193.*

But a Term for Years cannot be intailed with a Remainder over: And therefore, if a Term be devised, or limited in Trust to A. and the Heirs of his Body, and for Default of such Issue to B. the Limitation to B. is void; for it has a Tendency to a Perpetuity. *Dy. 7. a. Cont. Mo. 220. R. Acc. Mo. 810. R. 1 Rol. 610. l. 40. 611. l. 30. R. Cro. Car. 230. 2 Rol. 129. R. 1 Sid. 37, 450. Agr. D. of Norfolk's Case, 28. R. 4 Inst. 87.* (4 W. 20.) How it can- not.

[If A. devises his Term of 1000 Years to Trustees, in Trust for his Son T. for so many Years of the Term as he shall live; and after his Death, for his Issue-male for so many Years, &c.; and when extinct, then for his second Son W. and his Issue in like Manner; and then that the Premises should come, descend and continue, in the Issue-male of the Name and Family of the A.'s, which should be next of Kin, for the Residue of the Term, and makes his Son T. Executor and residuary Legatee; the Residue of the Term shall go to the Executor of T. contrary to the Will, because there is a plain Affectation of a Perpetuity. *Clare v. Clare, P. 7. G. 2. C. T. T. 21.*]

So a Limitation, after a Death without Issue, in all Cases is void; for a Possibility so remote shall not be expected; as, if a Term be limited to A. for Life, and afterwards to B. for Life, and afterwards to their Children, (not *in esse*) for their Lives, and if A. and B. die without Issue during the Term, Remainder of the Term to C. the Limitation to C. is void. *R. Pol. 30, 43.*

So, a Devise to a Son, and if he dies, married, or not married, without Issue, to B. The Limitation to B. is void. *R. D. of Norfolk's Case.*

So, if a Devise, or Limitation be in Trust to B. and his Issue, and if the Issue die without Issue, to C. Tho' the Issue takes nothing, yet the Limitation to C. being after a Death without Issue, is void. *R. D. of Norfolk's Case, 28. Pol. 30.*

Or, to B. for Life, and then to his first Son in Tail, and so to the second, third, and other Sons in Tail successively, and for Default of Issue to C. Tho' B. never has a Son, and so the Contingency never happens, yet the Limitation to C. is void. *R. 1 Mod. 115. Ca. Ch. 229. 1 Ch. R. 175, 200, 1. D. of Norfolk's Case, 29. R. Pol. 34, 41. Semb. Cont. 1 Sal. 156.*

So a Devise, or Limitation to A. and his Assigns, and if he dies without Issue then living, to B. Tho' the Limitation to B. depends in a Manner upon the Death of A. yet it is not good; for the Law never expects a Death without Issue. *R. per tot. Cur. and aff. in Error per 7 J. Tanfeild Cont. 2 Cro. 460. Jon. 15. 1 Rol. 613. l. 5.—But this Case was doubted. D. of Norfolk's Case, 35.*

So a Devise to A. and if he marries, and has no Issue living to enjoy, then to B. is not good to B. *R. 3 Lev. 23.*

So a Limitation to any one after the Death of a Life not *in esse*, is void. *Ca. Ch. 8. R. Pol. 32. R. Cont. Pol. 39.*

And therefore, a Limitation to A. for Life, and afterwards to such Person as A. shall nominate, and for want of Nomination, or after the Death of the Nominee to his Heir, is void to the Heir. *Ca. Ch. 8.*

So a Limitation to one not *in esse*, after two Limitations *in esse*, is void. *Semb. Ca. Ch. 33.*

But in such Case, a Limitation to Husband and Wife and the Survivor of them, shall be intended to be but one Limitation. *Ca. Ch. 33.*

So, if a Limitation of a Term be to *A.* after a Life *in esse*, and also after a Remainder to another not *in esse*; if there be no such Person *in esse* at the Time of the Death of the Tenant for Life, the Limitation to *A.* shall be good. *Dub. 1 Ver. 462.*

Yet a Limitation of a Term, which attends an Inheritance, may be intailed. *R. 24 Car. 2. 1 Vent. 194. Vide Ante, (4 G. 5.)*

Tho' the Intail of the Inheritance and of the Term be by different Clauses, or Deeds executed at different Times. *R. 1 Vent. 195.*

(4. W. 21.)
What Estate
or Interest the
Grantee of a
Term takes.

If a Term for Years be limited to *A.* and the Heirs of his Body, he has the whole Term in himself, and may dispose thereof. *10 Co. 87. b.*

So, if a Term be limited to *A.* for Life, and afterwards to the Heirs of the Body of *A.* the whole Term vests in *A.* *R. Mo. 809.* So long as he has Heirs of his Body. *Pol. 24.*

But if *A.* dies without Issue, the Term reverts to the Executor of the Devisor. *Semb. Mo. 809. Pol. 24. R. Cont. 10 Co. 87. D. Acc. 1 Sid. 37. Cont. per Ld. Nottingham, 1 Mod. 115. Ca. Ch. 230. and in the D. of Norfolk's Case 34. and the Opinion of Coke denied by him. R. Cont. 1 Rol. 611. l. 30. R. Cont. 1 Sid. 451. but Twisden Acc. And it was R. Acc. in C. B. Hil. 9 W. 3. Inter Eyre and Falkner, Rot. 1384. And Treby Ch. J. produced a Report of the Case, 1 Sid. 451. to the contrary. But the Case of Eyre and Falkner was, A Devise to *A.* for Life, afterwards to *B.* and others for Life successively, if the Term so long continued; and not to the Heirs of the Body. *1 Sal. 231.**

Tho' *A.* has disposed of the Term; for he can dispose of it only so long as he has Issue. *Semb. Mo. 809. Pol. 24.*

And if *A.* dies leaving Issue of his Body, the Term goes to his Executor, not to the Issue. *R. 1 Rol. 611. l. 35. R. Pol. 25. R. 10 Co. 87. b. Per Lord Nottingham, D. of Norfolk's Case 34. Per Ch. J. 1 Sid. 37, 451.*

So, if a Term be devised to *A.* for Life, and afterwards to his first, second, and other Sons, (not *in esse*), Remainder to his (the Devisor's) own right Heirs, the Remainder to his Heirs is void; for the Term reverts to the Devisor, and goes to his Executor, or Administrator. *Semb. Pol. 32.*

If it is to *A.* and his Wife and their Children not *in esse*, it shall not be an Intail; nor shall the Children take jointly with their Parents. *R. 1 Ch. R. 111.*

If a Term be limited to *A.* for Life, and afterwards to *B.* for Life, the Residue of the Term not disposed of goes to the Grantor, or the Executors of the Devisor. *Qu. per Me.—Vide Pol. 44. R. that it goes to the Executors of the Devisor, in C. B. H. 8 W. 3. rot. 1384. inter Eyre and Falkner, 1 Sal. 231.*

If *A.* upon his Marriage vests a Term, of which he was possessed, in Trust for him and his Wife and their Heirs Male, and if he has none, for Daughters, and then assigns the Term to be sold for Payment of Debts; the Term shall be sold, notwithstanding the Trust. *R. 1 Ch. R. 12.*

If a Term be limited to *A.* for Life, and afterwards to his first, second, and other Sons not *in esse* for Life, or in Tail, which Limitations are void; the Term after the Death of *A.* without Issue goes to the Executor of the Grantor. *Dub.* Whether it goes to the Executor of *A.* or the Executor of the Grantor, for *A.* was also Executor to the Grantor. *Pol. 28.—Where the Limitation was to *A.* and his Assigns, and the Limitations over were void, R. that it goes to the Executor of *A.* Pol. 36.*

So, if a Term be limited by *A.* in Trust for himself for Life, and afterwards to his Wife for Life, and afterwards to such Person as *A.* shall nominate, and for want of Nomination, or upon the Death of the Nominee, to his Heir; the Limitation to the Heir is void, and the Residue of the Term goes to *A.* the Grantor. *R. Ca. Ch. 8. Pol. 32.*

But if *A.* makes a Nomination, it goes to the Nominee, his Executors, or Administrators, tho' they are not named. *R. Ca. Ch. 9.*

If a Term be limited to *A.* and afterwards to his Wife, and afterwards to their Issue; it is of the same Effect, as if it was limited to them and the Heirs of their Bodies, if the Issue be not *in esse*. *Ca. Ch. 266. (2 Ca. Ch. 115.)*

But if a Term be limited to *A.* for Life, and afterwards to his Wife for Life, and afterwards to the Heirs Male of the Body of *A.* this goes to the Heir Male; for a Term cannot be intailed, and therefore the Words *Heirs Male of the Body of A.* are *Designatio Personæ*. *Semb. Cont. Mo. 809. Pol. 24. R. Cont. inter Peacock and Spooner in Chancery, Pasch. 1688. But that Decree was reversed per Commissioners of the Great Seal, and the Reversal affirmed in Parliament, 2 Ver. 43, 195, 362. Qu. If the Heir Male was not in esse at the Time of the Limitation? Vide 5 Geo. 2. 30, 31. this Case cited. **

If a Term be limited to *A.* for Life, and afterwards to his Son and the Heirs of his Body; *A.* has the whole Term in him, and the Son only a Possibility. *R. 3 Lev. 265. 1 Sal. 231.*

And therefore, he shall plead that he is possessed of the whole Term. *R. 3 Lev. 265.*

And he shall pay the Rent, answer for Waste, &c. *R. 10 Co. 47. a.*

And shall maintain Covenant as an Assignee. *R. 2 Vent. 128. 3 Lev. 264.*

And if a Devisee, &c. in Remainder dies in the Life-time of the first Devisee, his Estate is gone, for it was only a Possibility. *D. 1 Sid. 188. Semb. Ca. Ch. 132.*

Yet his Executor, or Administrator, shall have it after the Death of the first Devisee, if it was not devised over after the Death of that Remainder-Man. *R. 10 Co. 51. b. R. 2 Gro. 510. R. per King, 5 Geo. 2. 26.*

But the first Devisee cannot destroy such a Possibility; tho' he suffers a Common Recovery of his Estate. *R. 8 Co. 96. a. R. 10 Co. 47. b.*

Or makes a Feoffment after he in Remainder comes *in esse*. *Per 3 J. 1 Rol. 937. l. 45. R. Pol. 26.*

Tho' the Feoffment be with Warranty. *R. Pol. 26.*

So, if he purchases the Reversion, by which his Interest is merged. *R. 10 Co. 52. a. b.*

So a Devisee in Remainder cannot grant his Possibility. *R. 4 Co. 66. R. 10 Co. 47. b. D. 1 Sid. 188. R. 10 Co. 52. b.*

But he may release it to the first Devisee being in Possession. *R. 10 Co. 47. b.*

And the Trust of a Term limited to one in Remainder may be assigned in Equity. *Ca. Ch. 8. R. Pol. 32. Vide Ante, (2 H.) R. Cont. 3 Lev. 427.*

Where a Devise was by one, who had only a Possibility, if the next in Remainder died without Issue. *R. Cont. 2 Ver. 563.*

If a Man purchases the Inheritance in the Name of Trustees, and has a Term for Years assigned to himself, it shall be in Trust to attend the Inheritance; tho' it is not said so in the Assignment. *R. 1 Ver. 1. 2 Ca. Ch. 49, 55. 1 Ver. 188, 9. Eq. Abr. 241. Vide Ante, (4 G. 5.)*

So, if he had a Term for Years in himself, and afterwards purchases the Inheritance in the Name of Trustees. *R. 1 Ver. 104.*

So, if he limits a Term upon a Trust to be declared by his Will in Writing, and if he makes no Disposition, to attend the Inheritance; he by a Nuncupative Will gives the Whole to *A.* and dies without an Heir; the Term shall attend the Escheat. *R. 1 Ver. 340, 357.*

If Lands be of the Nature of *Gavelkind*, the Term shall be distributed for the Benefit of each Heir. *1 Ver. 357.*

If a Term, assigned to two Sons on the Purchase of the Father, was a Mortgage, and one Son dies, the Survivor shall not have the Benefit, upon Payment of the Money due upon the Mortgage. *R. 1 Ch. R. 119.*

If a Term be assigned in Trust to attend the Inheritance, it shall not be made use of to defeat a Tenant by the Curtesy. *R. 2 Ver. 324.*

If there be a Term to attend the Inheritance, a Devise of the Inheritance, defective for Want of three Witnesses, does not pass the Term. *R. Eq. R. 170.*

[A Term attendant on the Inheritance is Part of it, and cannot be disannexed by the Court, nor pass by a Will which would not pass the Inheritance. *Villers v. Villers*, M. 1740. 2 *Atkyns* 71.]

(4 W. 23.)
To preserve
contingent
Uses.

Trustees to preserve contingent Uses, where the Estate was mortgaged and subject to a Judgment, and afterwards settled, upon Marriage to the Use of the Mortgagor for Life, and afterwards to his Wife for Life, then to Trustees, and to the first and other Sons in Tail, shall be decreed to join with the Mortgagor in a Sale, where the Wife assents and no Son is born, and the Mortgage cannot be otherwise paid. R. 2 *Ver.* 303.

So, if a Term be vested in A. to the Uses of his Will, and a Devise is to B. in Tail, Remainder to A. in Fee, and B. suffers a Recovery and grants to C. It shall be decreed that A. shall assign the Term for the Benefit of C. R. 2 *Mod.* 9.

But a Trustee to preserve contingent Uses shall not be decreed to join in a Sale for Payment of Debts, tho' there has been no Issue for twelve Years, nor any Probability of Issue afterwards. *Dub.* 1 *Ver.* 181.

[If A. devises his Lands, after the Death of his Wife, and a Term of 1000 Years, to his Son B. for 99 Years, without Waste; Remainder to Trustees in Fee to preserve contingent Remainders; Remainder to first and other Sons of B.; Remainder to his second Son C. for 99 Years; Remainder to Trustees to preserve, &c.; Remainder to the first and other Sons; Remainder to his own younger Sons; in like Manner, Remainder to his Daughters; Remainder to his Heirs; and A. dies, and B. dies without Issue, and C. marries, and has a Son who is of Age, and they two become indebted by Bond, and make Assignments of the settled Estate in Trust for Creditors, and agree to suffer Recovery, to make this Provision for Creditors effectual, the Court will not decree the Trustees to join in the Recovery; though, had they done it voluntarily, it might possibly not have been a Breach of Trust. *Woodhouse v. Hoskins*, H. 1743. 3 *Atkyns* 22.]

So a Breach of Trust shall never be decreed; as, if a Marriage-Settlement be to A. for Life, and afterwards to the Wife for a Jointure, then to Trustees to preserve contingent Uses, then to the first and other Sons, &c. the Trustees shall not be decreed to join in a Sale, tho' the Portion was not paid, and tho' it be for Payment of Debts. R. 2 *Ca. Ch.* 144.

So, if a Father be circumvented to do an Act, by which the contingent Estates are destroyed, the Person defeated shall be relieved in Equity. 1 *Ver.* 444, 447.

So, if Trustees to preserve contingent Remainders join in a Feoffment, or Release to the Tenant for Life, whereby the Remainders are merged; it will be a Breach of their Trust, and the Feoffment shall be to the former Uses; and then the Trustees shall purchase another Estate to the same Uses, where the Feoffee is a Purchaser for a valuable Consideration, without Notice. R. 2 *P. W.* 612.

(4 W. 24.)
To raise Por-
tions.

If a Term be in Trust to raise Portions for Children, and be afterwards merged by the Descent of the Inheritance, Equity will revive the Term for the Benefit of the Children. 2 *Ver.* 91, 208. *Vide Ante*, (3 *Z.* 4.)

So, if A. creates a Term for Portions for his Daughters, and afterwards limits the Estate to his own right Heirs, and dies having only one Daughter his Heir; the Term shall not be merged in Equity, unless it be for the Benefit of the Heir. 2 *Ver.* 352.

But where, by Articles upon Marriage, 1200*l.* was agreed to be vested in Land to be settled upon the Husband for Life, To his Wife for Life, To the first and other Sons in Tail, then for a Term to Trustees for Portions for the Daughters, and afterwards to the right Heirs of the Husband, who dies before the Settlement made, having only a Daughter; the Land shall be decreed to the Daughter and her Heirs, subject to the Jointure, without the Term for Portions, which was of no Use to the Daughter and Heir. 2 *Ver.* 351.

(4 W. 25.) Breach of Trust; How punished.

[A Court of Equity can lay hold of every Breach of Trust, whether the Person guilty is in a private or a public Capacity. *Charitable Corporation v. Sutton*, T. 1742. 2 *Atkyns* 400.]

[Trustees to preserve contingent Remainders may be guilty of Breach of Trust, and are punishable for it. *Garth v. Cotton*, H. 1753. 3 *Atkyns* 751. T. 1750. 1 *Vezey* 524, 546.]

[A Breach of Trust is considered as a Simple-contract Debt, and falls on Trustee's Personal Estate only.] *Vernon v. Vawdry*, H. 1740. 2 *Atkyns* 119]

[A. and B. Trustees under a Deed, and neither to answer for the other; A. receives Money, and by Writing under Hand and Seal acknowledges it, and that B. received no Part, he never puts it out, and dies. This Writing is a Specialty, good against the Executor, but not against the Heir; but the *Cestuique Trust*, in case of Deficiency, shall stand in the Place of the Creditors satisfied out of the Personal Estate. *Gifford v. Manley*, T. 9 G. 2. C. T. T. 109.]

If a Man acts contrary to his Trust, he shall be decreed to make Satisfaction; as, if there are Articles between A. and B. to make a Jointure on the Wife of A. and, by Importunity, B. releases his Covenant, and delivers up the Articles to A. he shall make a Recompence to the Wife and the Children of the Marriage, for his Breach of Trust. *Semb. Ca. Ch.* 125.

If a Trustee in a Recognizance releases the Recognizance, he shall pay the Principal and Interest, if it does not exceed the Penalty. R. 1 *Ver.* 342.

If a Judgment be to A. for the Security of Articles for making a Jointure, and A. by Corruption acknowledges Satisfaction, whereby the Jointure is defeated; A. shall make good to the Wife all her Damage. R. 2 *Ver.* 620.

Yet if A. had a Colour to do it, and did not act by Corruption, he shall only pay Costs. 2 *Ver.* 619.

So, if a Trustee sells the Land, and, after a Fine and Nonclaim for five Years, repurchases it for a valuable Consideration, Equity will decree the Land to the *Cestuy que Trust*. 1 *Ver.* 60, 61, 84, 145. 2 *Ca. Ch.* 126.

So, if a Trustee sells to A. who has Notice of the Trust, who levies a Fine, and five Years pass; the *Cestuy que Trust* shall not be barred; for A. having Notice shall be a Trustee for him. *Eq. Abr.* 256. 1 *Ver.* 149.

[If Trustees, to preserve contingent Remainders for Children unborn, join to defeat them, (though under Pretence of raising Money to pay Testator's Debts, and though the Child, who would have been Tenant In-tail, is afterwards made Tenant for Life,) it is a Breach of Trust relievable in Equity; if there is a Purchaser without Notice for a valuable Consideration, the Trustees shall answer it; if not, the Estates shall be re-conveyed to the former Uses. *Mansel v. Mansel*, T. 6 G. 2. C. T. T. 252.]

[If Trustees are appointed to receive Rents, and apply them for the Maintenance of A. and B. till Twenty-five, and to raise 5000*l.* for A.'s Portion, and for other Purposes, and then the Estate is devised to B. and the Trustees let B. into Possession before Twenty-five, they shall be answerable for what is received by B. *Okeden v. Okeden*, M. 1738. 1 *Atkyns* 550.]

[If after Marriage, a Husband conveys his Wife's Fortune to a Trustee for her separate Use, and the Trustee is guilty of a Breach of Trust, (by delivering up the Fortune to the Husband) the Court will decree him to make Satisfaction to the *Cestuy que Trust*. *Smith v. French*, H. 1741. 2 *Atkyns* 243.]

[But if it appears, that the Wife had joined earnestly in the Request to the Trustee, (her Mother) promised to release, lived with, and was maintained by her till the Husband's Death, and for Years after, till her second Marriage, offered to release while sole, and that on the Treaty for the second Marriage neither she nor her Husband mentioned it, the Court will not decree Satisfaction. *Ibid.*]

(4 W. 26.)
Tho' the
Breach be
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a Stranger.

So, tho' the Breach of Trust was purged, he who was guilty of the Breach, shall not take Advantage of it; as, if *A.* sells for a valuable Consideration, in Breach of his Trust, and the Purchaser levies a Fine, and five Years pass without Claim, and afterwards *A.* purchases the same Land, he shall not avoid the Trust by the Fine and Non-claim. *R. 2 Ca. Ch. 126. Eq. Abr. 256.*

(4 W. 27.)
Tho' the
Trust Estate
lies out of the
Jurisdiction
of the Court.
Vide Juris-
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(3 X.)

So a Breach of Trust shall be remedied, tho' the Land be out of the Jurisdiction of the Court; as, if the Land lies in *Ireland*, but the Trustee lives within the Jurisdiction of the Court, *Chancery* will proceed against his Person, tho' it does not touch the Profits of the Land. *2 Ca. Ch. 189. 1 Ver. 76, 135. R. 1 Ver. 405, 419.*

If one Joint-tenant of Land in *Ireland*, takes the whole Profits, and comes into *England*, he shall account for the Profits here. *R. 2 Ca. Ch. 214.*

So, if an Agreement be that Portions shall be paid, and that a Receiver in the Isle of *Man* shall pay them out of the Rents there; tho' a Decree does not bind Lands there, yet it shall be against the Person. *R. Ca. Ch. 221.*

If a Matter arises within a County Palatine, and the Person lives here, *Chancery* will compel him to do what he ought.

So, if a Mortgage be of the Island of *Sarke*, or Land in *Jersey*, *Guernsey*, &c. *Chancery* will compel the Mortgagor, being here, to redeem or be foreclosed. *R. 1 Sal. 404. 2 Ver. 494.*

So, if a Man obtains a Settlement of Land in *Ireland* by Practice. *R. upon Plea, 1 Ver. 76, 239, 405, 419.*

[If Trustee purchases Land in *Ireland* with Trust-money, the Court cannot charge it therewith; but if the Specialty Creditors exhaust the Personal, the Simple-contract Creditors shall stand in their Place. *Cox v. Bateman, T. 1750. 2 Vesey 19.*]

(4 W. 28.)
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nis.
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So every one, who is *Particeps Criminis*, shall be affected by the Breach of a Trust;

As, if a Man purchase with Notice of the Trust. *Vide Ante, (2 C. 2.—4 C. 1.—4 I. 3.)*

Tho' he pays a valuable Consideration. *1 Ver. 60, 149. Eq. Abr. 256.*

Tho' after the Purchase he levies a Fine, and five Years pass; for being a Trustee, the Fine is fraudulent. *1 Ver. 149.*

Tho' the Trust be for Creditors, who should claim within a Year, and after the Year an Assignment is made to *B.* who does not know that the Debts were not paid; for he had Notice of the Trust. *1 Ver. 319.*

If *A.* by Fraud obtains Administration to *B.* and sells the Stock of *B.* to *D.* who knows of the Fraud, *D.* shall be decreed to refund. *R. Ch. R. 298, 430.*

So, if a Trustee sells to *A.* not having Notice of the Trust, who levies a Fine, and five Years pass, and then conveys to the Trustee; the Trustee shall take upon the prior Trust, notwithstanding the Fine. *Eq. Abr. 256.*

So, if a Man encourages a Purchaser, where he himself has a Title; as, if the Heir at Law encourages *A.* to purchase an Annuity of his younger Brother under the Will of his Father, when the Estate was intailed upon the Heir, by a Settlement prior to the Will. *R. that he shall be decreed to confirm the Purchase, 1 Ver. 136. Eq. Ca. 96.**

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2 Mod. Ca.

If Copyhold, or other Land belongs to a Younger Son, and the Elder Brother sells it, of whom the Younger Brother, knowing of such Sale, accepts an Annuity of equal annual Value, and suffers the Purchaser to enjoy during his Brother's Life, but afterwards seeks to avoid the Purchase, he shall be obliged to confirm it. *1 Ver. 325.*

If *A.* takes a Mortgage from *B.* but beforehand inquires of *C.* whether he had any Money due to him from *B.* and he denies that he had, tho' he had a prior Mortgage; *A.* shall be preferred to *C.* *R. 2 Ver. 554.*

If *A.* upon the Marriage of her Son agrees to release her Dower, she shall be decreed to do it, tho' it was upon a false Suggestion. *R. 2 Ver. 133.*

If *A.* having a Term, be a Witness to a Settlement made by her Son on his Marriage, whereby that Term is settled, she shall be decreed to make good the Settlement. *R. 2 Ver. 150.*

So, if a prior Mortgagee be a Witness to a second Mortgage, and does not discover his Mortgage, he shall be postponed. *2 Ver. 151. Eq. Ca. 38. **

* 2d Part of
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If *A.* having a Deed by which an Estate is intailed on him after the Death of *B.* be privy to the Marriage of *B.* and ingrosses Articles, whereby that Estate is to be settled on the Wife for a Jointure; he shall never defeat the Jointure by such Intail. *R. 2 Ver. 239.*

If *A.* has a Statute for 1200*l.* of *B.* and afterwards is Counsel for *C.* who lends *B.* 200*l.* upon Mortgage; the Estate in Mortgage shall not be charged with the Statute at the Suit of *A.* till *C.* is satisfied the Whole due upon his Mortgage. *R. 2 Ver. 370.*

So, if *A.* having Notice of his own Title, after the Death of his Mother, encourages the making of a Settlement of the same Land upon the Marriage of *B.* his Sister. *R. Eq. Ca. 37. **

Or, if *A.* has Knowledge of the Settlement, tho' he does not encourage it, and tho' *B.* afterwards sells without his Privy. *Eq. Ca. 37. * Dub. Eq. Ca. 96. **

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Tho' *A.* be an Infant, or *Feme Covert.* *Eq. Ca. 37. **

So, if a Purchaser, or Mortgagee, hearing of a prior Settlement in Trust, obtains an Assignment from the Trustee; it shall be subject to the Trust, tho' it was intended to support his Purchase, or Mortgage; for it was a Breach of Trust, he having Notice of the Trust. *R. 2 Ver. 271.*

If a Mortgagor presents *A.* upon Simony, but afterwards waives him, and presents *B.* who, hearing that the King intended to make a Presentation, afterwards resigns and takes a new Presentation from the Mortgagor and also from the Mortgagee; the Presentation by the Mortgagee shall not be made use of by *B.* to defend him against the Presentation by the King. *R. 2 Ver. 549, 550.*

[If a Trustee errs, or is guilty of a Breach of Trust, yet if he goes out of it with the Approbation of the *Cestuy que Trust*, it must first be made good out of the Person's Estate so consenting. *Trafford v. Boehm, H. 1746. 3 Atkyns 440.*]

[If a Committee-man of a public Company is guilty of gross Non-attendance, and leaves the Management intirely to others, he may be guilty of the Breach of Trust committed by them; and this though he had no Benefit from the Trust. *Charitable Corporation v. Sutton, T. 1742. 2 Atkyns 400.*]

[If there is a supine Negligence in all, by which a gross complicated Loss happens, they are all guilty. *Ibid.*]

But if a Man has a legal Estate, or Interest in Land subject to a Trust, a Purchaser *bonâ fide* shall not be affected by the Trust; as, if the Devisee of a Term, subject to Debts and Legacies, enters by the Assent of the Executor, and sells to *A. bonâ fide*, *A.* shall not be prejudiced. *Ca. Ch. 257.*

(4 W. 29.)
Who not.

So, if a Man joins for Conformity, he shall not be charged thereby for the Breach of a Trust; as, if two Trustees join in a Receipt for Money, where one only receives it, he only shall be charged. *1 Sal. 318.*

So, if two Executors give a Discharge for Money, and one only receives it, he alone shall be charged, as to Legacies. *Ibid.*

Yet both shall be charged to Creditors. *R. 1 Sal. 318. Semb. Bridg. 38.*

So, if one Trustee only acts in the Trust, the other shall not be charged. *R. Bridg. 37, 8.*

So, if two Trustees join in a Sale and in a Receipt for the Money, and one of them receives Part, and the other the other Part, and becomes insolvent, his Companion shall be charged only for so much as he received. *R. 2 Ver. 504, 513.*

So, if a Mortgagor pretends that he was in Treaty for a Lease, which would be an Improvement to the Estate, and desires the Mortgagee will permit a Sight of the original Grant to satisfy the intended Lessee, that he had a Power to make such Lease, and the Mortgagor, having obtained such original Grant, makes a Mort-

Mortgage to another Person; the first Mortgagee, not privy to his Design, shall not be prejudiced thereby. *R. 2 Ver. 726.*

So, if there be Tenant for Life, Remainder to Trustees in Fee, upon Trust for the first and other Sons of the Tenant for Life, in Tail, &c. if the Tenant for Life, the Trustees, and the Issue in Tail join in a Feoffment and Fine, it is not a Breach of Trust in the Trustees, for they are only intrusted for the Issue in Tail. *R. 2 Ver. 754.*

But, if two Executors account for a Personal Estate, in which there is 200*l.* *East-India Stock*, which they afterwards sell, and one receives 100*l.* and becomes insolvent, the other shall be charged for the Whole; for there was no Necessity for his joining. *R. 2 Ver. 504, 515, 570.*

So, if two Trustees join in a Sale and Receipt for the Money, both shall be charged, where it does not appear how much each received. *2 Ver. 516.*

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So a Trustee shall not take Advantage by the Management of the Trust; and therefore, if a Trustee compounds a Debt, or a Mortgage at an Under-value; it shall not be for his own Benefit, but for the Advantage of the Trust-Estate. *Sal. 155.*

[A Trustee shall not purchase Lands devised to him for Payment of Debts; and tho' it is at a public Sale, and in another Person's Name it shall not be good. *Whelpdale v. Cookson, P. 1747. 1 Vezey 9.*]

If a Trustee lends the Money of an Infant, without the Approbation of *Chancery*, upon an improper Security, he shall answer to the Infant for the Money if it be lost; as, if he lends it on the single Bond of B. who fails, tho' then of good Credit. *R. Eq. R. 10.*

[If a Trustee transfers Stock, it is a Breach of Trust, and *Cestuy que Trust*, may have the Stock, or the Money it sold for. *Harrison v. Harrison, H. 1740. 2 Atkyns 121.*]

[If Money is settled to be laid out in Government-funds, or other good Securities, and it is laid out in the *Stock* of a trading Company, (as South-Sea or Bank) it is a Breach of Trust; it should be in Annuities. *Trafford v. Boehm, H. 1746. 3 Atkyns 440.*]

So, if he purchases Land with the Money of the Infant, without the Allowance of the Court; if it be disallowed by the Infant at his full Age. *Eq. R. 10.*

But this shall be a Breach of Trust, or not, at the Discretion of the Court; for every Thing, which the Court can allow a Trustee to do, it may allow, when done; and therefore, the Purchase of a Copyhold contiguous at the Request of the next of Kin was allowed, tho' disapproved by the Husband of the Infant. *Eq. R. 10.*

[Trustees for supporting contingent Remainders are guilty of Breach of Trust in joining to destroy them, whether the Settlement be voluntary, for valuable Consideration, or by Will; and though Equity will, in some Cases, compel Trustees to join in such Conveyance as will destroy contingent Remainders, yet it is then to answer the Uses originally intended by the Settlement, but never to overturn all the Uses of a Settlement. *Symance v. Tattam, T. 1737. 1 Atkyns 613.*]

[Committee-men, though not privy to an original Design, yet may be guilty by conniving, and not using the proper Power vested in them to prevent the ill Consequences of a Confederacy. *Charitable Corporation v. Sutton, T. 1742. 2 Atkyns 400.*]

Vide Ante, (4 W. 28.)

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What shall
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Trust.

But, if A. leases Lands for 1000 Years to B. and others, upon Trust to be sold for Payment of Debts in a Schedule annexed; it will not be a Breach of Trust, if the Trustees afterwards take an Estate of Inheritance from A. whereby the Term is merged, upon Trust to pay those and also other Debts. *R. Ch. R. 479.*

If the Trustee of a Term for 99 Years for Payment of Debts and Legacies, agrees for an Under-Lease, and then the Debts and Legacies are satisfied by a Sale

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Sale of Timber; the Lease shall be decreed, tho' he in Reversion dissents. 2 Ver.

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[If there is a mere Falling of Stock, without Fault of a Trustee, he shall not be liable to make good the Deficiency, though he has paid Interest for the whole Sum after the fall of the Stock, amounting to more than the Dividends, but not so much as the common Interest. *Jackson v. Jackson*, P. 1737. 1 *Atkyns* 513.]

[Though there are no negative Words in the Deed, yet the Court will not make a Trustee liable for more than he has received. *Leigh v. Barry*, M. 1747.

3 *Atkyns* 583.]

[Or if several Trustees (*not Executors*) join in a Receipt, he only who received shall be liable. *Ibid.*]

[But if Trustees bind themselves to be liable for the Acts of each other, the Court will not relieve. *Ibid.*]

Vide Ante, (4 W. 29.)

So, it shall not be a Breach of Trust, if the Trustee compounds a Debt, with the Assent of the *Cestuy que Trust*. R. Ch. R. 58.

(4 W. 32.)
If the Trustee acts with the Privity of the *Cestuy que Trust*.

(4 X) Waste.

[If a Person threatens or insists on his Right to commit Waste, as to open Mines reserved, a Bill may be brought to restrain him, though no Waste actually committed. *Gibson v. Smith*, P. 1741. 2 *Atkyns* 182.]

[If Tenant for Life insists on a Right to commit Waste, the Reversioner may have an Injunction. *Ibid.*]

Upon an *Affidavit* of Waste committed, *Chancery* will grant an Injunction to stay the Waste. *Vide Ante*, (D. 11.)

So, if Tenant for Life, without Impeachment of Waste, commits voluntary Waste, an Injunction shall be granted to stay such voluntary Waste. 2 Ver.

738.

[The Court will not entertain a Bill for an Account, and Satisfaction for Waste, (in cutting Timber) brought after Determination of the Tenant's Estate by Assignment, unless an Injunction is prayed. *Jesus College v. Bloome*. M. 1745. 3 *Atkyns* 262.]

And after a Settlement upon his Son in Marriage, if he commits voluntary Waste and Destruction, to the Prejudice of his Son in Remainder, he shall make Reparation, or Recompence for the Waste committed. R. 2 Ver. 738.

[If A. Tenant for 99 Years, if he so long live, without Waste, except voluntary; Remainder to Trustees to preserve, &c.; Remainder to first and other Sons; Remainder to B. in Fee; agrees, before a Son born, with B. to whom he is indebted on Mortgage, to cut down Timber, B. not to take Advantage of the Waste, and the Money to be divided, which is done; and then A. has a Son, who attains Twenty-one, and suffers Recovery to himself and his Heirs; the Executors of B. admitting Assets shall refund, with Interest at 4 per Cent. from filing the Bill. *Garth v. Cotton*, H. 1753. 3 *Atkyns* 751. 1 *Vezey* 524, 546.]

[Trustees to preserve contingent Remainders may have an Injunction to stay Waste before the contingent Remainder-man is *in esse*; and if Waste is committed afterwards, the Offenders shall pay the Value, which shall be laid up for the contingent Uses. *Ibid.*]

But if an Estate be devised to A. for Life, and afterward to B. in Fee, if he pays certain Legacies within such a Time, and if he does not pay them to C. he paying those Legacies; Equity will allow B. to cut down Timber growing upon the Land, for Payment of the Legacies, without the Assent of A. or C. paying for the Damage to A. if any is done. R. 2 Ver. 152.

[Tenant for Life, without Waste, may cut Trees (even not full grown (though to the Prejudice of the Remainder-man. *Aston v. Aston*, T. 1749. 1 *Vezey* 264.)]

[But if a Term is created to reimburse Tenant for Life, without Waste, the Expences of supporting the Estate, and he cuts all the Timber, he shall not be

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allowed any Thing under the Term for buying Timber for Repairs, without reimbursing the Estate for Timber unreasonably cut. *Ibid.*]

So, if a Term be assigned in Trust for *A.* for Life, and afterwards for *B.* for Life without Impeachment of Waste; Equity will allow *B.* to cut down Timber for his Maintenance, in the Life-time of *A.* *R. 2 Ver. 218.*

If the Lessee of a Tenant for Life has committed Waste *sparsim*, but has also improved the Land, he shall be aided on Payment for the Waste, and Acceptance of a Lease with an Increase of Rent. *Q. 2 Ver. 263.*

Tenant for Life, though without Impeachment of Waste, is obliged to keep Tenants Houses in Repair, unless the Charge is excessive; and shall not suffer them to run to Ruin. *Pateriche v. Powlet, T. 1742. 2 Atkyns 383.*]

[If Son brings Bill against his Father Tenant for Life without Waste, for Waste in taking up a Floor he had laid down, transplanting young Oaks he had planted, turning Arable to Pasture, and *vice versa*, and no Injunction is applied for, the Bill will be dismissed. *Piers v. Piers, T. 1750. 1 Vezey 521.*]

[If Guardian converts Infants ancient Pasture into Arable, it is Waste, tho' he alledges it was on account of the Distemper among Cattle. *Clarke v. Thorpe, H. 1750. 2 Vezey 232.*]

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Vide Franchises, (F. 5, &c.)—Justices of Peace, (A. 5.)—Trade, (B.—D. 1.)

C H A R T E R S.

(A) To whom the Property of them belongs.

IF a Man seised in Fee conveys Land to another and his Heirs, without Warranty, all the Charters belong to the Feoffee as incident to the Land, whether they comprize Warranty, or not; for the Feoffor has no Use for them, but the Feoffee must defend his Title at his Peril. *R. 1 Co. 1. a.*

And all Charters belong to the Feoffee without Warranty, tho' they be not granted by the Conveyance. *R. 1 Co. 1. a.*

So, in all Cases, the Charters, Muniments, and Evidences of Land belong to him who has the Inheritance of the Land, as incident to it, if another Person be not bound to Warranty,

And therefore, if *A.* enfeoffs *B.* by the Word (*Dedi*), which imports a Warranty during the Life of the Feoffor, after his Death *B.* shall have all the Charters. 1 Co. 2. b.

So, if a Man enfeoffs another with Warranty, who dies without an Heir, the Lord by Escheat shall have all the Charters; for he is in in the *Post*, and the Feoffor is not bound to warrant him. 1 Co. 2. a.

So, if a Feoffment be to two and their Heirs, the Survivor shall have all the Charters, &c. and not the Heir of him who died; for he has no Use for them. 1 Co. 2. b.

So Charters, &c. which are necessary to maintain his Title to the Possession, belong to him who has the Land tho' another be bound to Warranty; as if a Thing which lies in Grant, as a Seignior, Rent, &c. be granted with Warranty, the Grantee shall have the first Deed; for it is necessary to make his Title against the Grantor himself, or any claiming under him. R. 1 Co. 1. b.

So, if a Feoffment be made of Land with Warranty, the Feoffee shall have Court-Rolls, &c. which concern the Possession only, and not the Title. 1 Co. 1. b.

So, if the Feoffor grants the Charters to the Feoffee by his Conveyance, the Feoffee shall have them, tho' the Feoffor be bound to Warranty. 1 Co. 1. b.

If a Grant be by Indenture, every one ought to have his Part; for every one who pleads it ought to produce it for that which belongs to him. Co. L. 143. b.

And therefore, if only one Part be executed, it shall be deposited in the Hand of a common Friend. Co. L. 143. b.

But if a Man make a Feoffment with Warranty, without a Grant of the Charters, he shall have all the Charters and Evidences which contain Warranty, or are necessary to deraign the Warranty Paramount, or are material for the Maintenance of the Title of the Land; for the Feoffee relies upon his Warranty. R. 1 Co. 1. b. Co. L. 6. a.

So the Heir of the Feoffor shall have them, tho' he has nothing by Descent; for he may be vouched. R. 1 Co. 1. b.

So the Feoffor shall have them, tho' the Feoffee, as Assignee, may vouch those who are bound to Warranty Paramount; for he may also vouch the Feoffor if he pleases. R. 1 Co. 1. b.

(B) Detinue of Charters.

(B. 1.) When it lies.

IF a Man detains Charters, which concern the Inheritance of another, he may have Detinue of Charters against him. Co. L. 286. b.

So, if he detains a Statute, Obligation, Release, Articles of Agreement, Testament, &c. Reg. 159. b.

So a Man may have Detinue for any Charters, which make his Title sure. F. N. B. 138. K.

As, if *A.* lease for Years, and afterwards confirm the Estate to the Lessee and his Heirs; the Heir shall have Detinue for the Lease, as well as for the Deed of Confirmation. Ibid.

If the Donee in Tail die without Issue, the Donor shall have Detinue for the Deed which the Donee had. F. N. B. 138. F.

If a Feoffment be to *A.* and *B.* and the Heirs of *B.* and *A.* dies; *B.* or his Heirs shall have Detinue for his Deed. Ibid.

So the Issue in Tail shall have Detinue against the Discontinuee, for the Deed of Intail. F. N. B. 138. H.

Detinue of Charters bailed or found, in the Life of the Ancestor, ought to be brought by the Heir, and not by the Executor, or Administrator. F. N. B. 138. I.

And it may be brought by the Heir, tho' he has not the Land: As if *A.* being enfeoffed with Warranty, enfeoffs *B.* with Warranty; the Heir of *A.* may have Detinue for the Deed of the first Feoffment. F. N. B. 138. L.

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So the Heir of the Disseisee may have *Detinue* for the Charters, before Entry. *F. N. B. 138. L.*

(B. 2.) What shall be the Proceeding.

Detinue of Charters concerns the Realty, and therefore shall be brought only in C. B. *F. N. B. 138. B. C. Reg. 159. b.*

Or, in the County by *Justices*. *F. N. B. 138. B. Reg. 159.*

And if it be brought in B. R. or any other Court, a *Superfedeas* lies. *F. N. B. 138. C.*

There shall be Summons and Severance, as in other real Actions. *Co. L. 286. b.*

But a *Capias* does not lie, nor Process to Outlawry, as in *Detinue for Goods*. *Co. L. 286. b.*

The Declaration in *Detinue for Charters* ought to be certain, as well as *Detinue for Goods*. *Vide Pleader, (2 X. 2.)*

And therefore, it ought to shew the Certainty of the Charters demanded, and what Lands they concern, except where they are in a Bag sealed, or a Chest locked, and then it is not necessary. *Co. L. 286. b. Reg. 160. a.*

So it ought always to mention the certain Number. *Reg. 159. b. 160. a.*

And if they are in a Chest or Bag sealed, it may also mention the Certainty, if it be known. *Bro. Ent. 148.*

At least it is proper to describe one of the Charters with Certainty, if it may be, and then the Defendant cannot wage his Law. *Co. L. 286. b.*

But if the Declaration mentions the Bag to be sealed, or the Chest to be locked, it is sufficient, tho' it be not so; for it is not traversable. *Reg. 160. a.*

(B. 3.) Plea in Detinue for Charters.

To *Detinue* for Charters the Defendant may plead *Touts temps prist*. *Vide Pleader, (2 X. 3, &c.)*

So the Defendant may plead, that the Charters were delivered by the Plaintiff and a Stranger *aqua manu*, upon Conditions which he knows not whether they are performed, and pray that the Stranger may be warned, *Vide Pleader, (2 X. 8.)*

Vide Pleader, (2 Y. 6.)

When Charters are allowed in Evidence.

Vide Evidence, (B. 1, &c.)

C H A R T E R - P A R T Y:

Vide Merchant, (E. 2, &c.)

C H A S E.

(A) Forest.

(A. 1.) What shall be.

A Forest is a Place of Wood and Pasture, distinguished *Metis & Bundis*, for the Custody of Beasts and Birds of the Forest, (*viz.* Hart, Hind, Hare, Boar, and Wolf,) the Chase, (*viz.* Buck, Doe, Fox, Martrou and Roe,) and the Warren,

ren, (*viz.* Hare, Coney, Pheasant, and Partridge,) and replenished with Vert and Venison, for the Preservation of which peculiar Laws, Privileges, and Officers belong. *Manw.* 40. 4 *Inst.* 289, 298.

A Forest comprehends in it a Chase, Park, and Warren. *Manw.* 52.

And may be made by Act of Parliament. 4 *Inst.* 301.

Or the King, by Commission to the Sheriff or Commissioners, may order, that they make a Perambulation in such a Country, and so much as appears to be convenient for a Forest that they surround it by Meers and Bounds. *Manw.* 57.

And upon the Return of such a Commission into *Chancery*, the King may issue a Writ to the Sheriff reciting the former Commission and Return, and commanding him that he proclaim it throughout the Country to be a Forest. *Manw.* 59.

And if after a Writ to proclaim it, and a Return of it, the King grant proper Officers and Courts, it commences a Forest. *Manw.* 60.

So the King may claim a Forest by Prescription. 4 *Inst.* 301.

And it may be claimed by Prescription in the Lands of a Subject, for it might have a lawful Commencement. *Ibid.*

(A. 2.) Who shall have it.

But none can make a Forest, except the King. *Manw.* 71.

So the King cannot make a Forest in the Lands of a Subject without his Consent. 4 *Inst.* 301. *Semb. Cont. Manw.* 55.

And it is not proved a Forest by being called a Forest in Records, &c. but by having Courts, and Officers, &c. 4 *Inst.* 298. *R.* 12 *Co.* 22.

So by the St. 16 *Car.* 16. The Meers, Limits, Bounds, &c. of every Forest shall not extend beyond what were taken to be so 20 *Ja.* 1.

And no Place shall be taken to be Forest, or within a Forest where no Justice Seat, Swainmote, or Court of Attachments had been held. or Verderors chosen, or Regard made within 60 Years before the Reign of *Charles I.*

Yet the King may by express Words grant a Forest to a Subject. *Co. L.* 233. a. *Manw.* 72, 75. *per 2 Judg. Cont.* 1 *Rol.* 112.

And by such Grant of a Forest *cum omnibus incidentibus, appendiciis, & pertinentiis*, the Subject shall have the Forest with all Courts, and Officers, except the Justice in *Eyre*. *Manw.* 76, 78, 81. *R.* 2 *Cro.* 155. 1 *Bul.* 296.

So by express Words, the King may grant to a Subject to have *Jura Regalia* to make a Justice in *Eyre*, &c. *Manw.* 76.

But if a Forest be Parcel of a Manor, by a Grant of the Manor *cum pertinentiis* to a Subject, the Forest does not pass. *R. Pal.* 60, 92.

(B) Chase.

What shall be.

A CHASE is the same Liberty as a Park, save that it is not inclosed. *Manw.* 52.

And therefore, a Chase has no Officers or Courts, as a Forest has. *Ibid.*

And Offenders there shall not be punished by the Laws of the Forest, but by the Common Law, or Statutes. *Ibid.*

A free Chase may be claimed by Grant, or Prescription. 1 *Rol.* 112.

It may be claimed in his own Wood, as appurtenant to his Manor. 4 *Inst.* 318.

Or within a Forest. *Jon.* 278.

So, by Prescription, it may be in the Soil of another.

It may be claimed for Red-Deer by special Licence. *Jon.* 278.

If the King makes a Commission to inclose a Forest and it be proclaimed a Forest, it shall be only a Chase till the proper Officers and Courts are granted. *Manw.* 60.

If the King grant a Forest to a Subject without the Words, *to have Courts and Officers of a Forest*; it shall be only a Chase in the Hands of a Subject. *Manw. 80. R. 2 Cro. 155. D. Pal. 89, 90.*

But none can make a Chase, or a Park within his own Land, or elsewhere, without the King's Grant. *Manw. 56. 2 Inst. 199.*

And if he does so, a *Quo Warranto* lies. *Manw. 56.*

So the Owner of a Chase shall be fined, if he kill a Beast of the Forest, or refuse to drive back a Beast of the Forest out of the Chase. *Jon. 278.*

(C) Park.

A PARK is a Territory inclosed, which has a Privilege for Beasts of Chase, by Prescription, or the King's Grant. *Co. Lit. 233. a. 2 Inst. 199. Bridg. 26.*

And it may be within his own Soil.

Or by the Licence of the King, or the Owner of the Forest within the Limits of a Forest. *Manw. 85, 89, 90. Bridg. 26.*

And if such Park in a Forest be laid down for several Years, it may afterwards be inclosed *de novo*. *Manw. 82. R. 2 Cro. 156.*

And the Owner of the Park may kill any Beasts which he finds in his Park, tho' they come out of the Forest. *2 Cro. 156.*

But a Park within a Forest ought to be inclosed, to prevent Beasts of the Forest from coming into it. *Manw. 90. R. Bridg. 26.*

And the Owner may dispark his Park, if he grants or destroys all the Venison, Vert, or Inclosure. *R. Cro. Car. 60.*

(D) Warren.

A FREE Warren is a Privilege, which a Man claims by Grant, or Prescription, to have Beasts of a Warren in his Land, or Demesnes, *ita quod nullus intret ad fugandum vel Capiendum quod ad Warrennam pertinet.* *2 Rol. 812. l. 5. to 20.*

A Warren is a Privilege distinct from the Land, and by a Lease of the Land, without more, does not pass. *Dy. 30. in Marg.*

Nor, by an Alienation of the Land, without saying, *Cum pertinentiis.* *Dy. 30. b.*

Or, if it be said, *Cum pertinentiis*, where he has a Warren by Grant, not by Prescription. *Dy. 30. b. in Marg.*

So it may be granted or claimed, within a Free Chase of the King. *4 Inst. 298. 12 Co. 22.*

And the Grantee may there build a Lodge upon his own Inheritance. *4 Inst. 298.*

So it may be claimed in a Forest of the King. *R. Manw. 81. R. 2 Cro. 155. Jon. 280, 296.*

And tho' it have not been used for many Years, the Prescription shall not be destroyed. *Manw. 81. 2 Cro. 155. Vide Liberties, (C. 2.)*

If there be a Warren by Charter within his Manor, he may make Burrows, and build a Lodge in any Part of the Manor *de novo*. *Manw. 82. 12 Co. 22. R. 2 Cro. 156.*

If it be claimed by Prescription, he ought to make them in the antient Place. *Ibid.*

But a Man cannot prescribe for a Warren in the Lands of a Stranger, which are not within his Seigniorship. *2 Rol. 265. l. 52.*

And if the King grants to B. a Warren within his Manor, he shall have it only in the Demesnes, not in the Land of the Freeholders. *Cro. El. 463.*

So none can make a Warren in his own Land without the King's Licence, because he cannot appropriate to himself *Feras Naturæ*, which are *Nullius in Bonis.* *2 Rol. 812. l. 25. 11 Co. 87. b. 2 Inst. 199.*

(E) Beasts of the Forest, and Chase.

THERE are five Beasts, which are properly Beasts of Forest, or Venary; viz. The Hart, Hind, Hare, Boar, and Wolf. *Manw.* 91. 8 *Co.* 138. b.

The Hart is so named when in his sixth Year, being called in the first Year, *Hindcalf*, or *Calf*, in the second *Broket*, in the third *Spayad*, in the fourth *Staggard*, in the fifth *Stag*, in the sixth *Hart*. *Manw.* 98.

After being chased by the King, it is an *Hart Royal*; and if a Proclamation goes for his Return to the Forest after the Chase, a *Hart Royal* proclaimed. *Manw.* 99.

The Hind in the first Year is called *Calf*, in the second *Brocket's Sister*, in the third an *Hind*. *Manw.* 100.

The Hare is a *Leveret* in the first, an *Hare* in the second, and a great *Hare* in the third Year. *Ibid.*

The Boar in the first Year is a *Pig of the Sounder*, in the second an *Hog*, in the third an *Hogstear*, in the fourth a *Boar*. *Ibid.*

So there are properly five Beasts of Chase, or Park; viz. Buck, Doe, Fox, Marton and Roe. *Manw.* 94. *Co. L.* 233. a. 8 *Co.* 138. b.

Every Beast of Forest, and Chase is properly called Venison, (*Venatio.*) *Manw.* 111.

And therefore, if any kill an Hare within a Forest, he shall answer for a Trespass upon the Venison of the Forest. *Ibid.*

And every Trespass to the Forest is to the Vert, or Venison. *Manw.* 112.

(F) Beasts of the Warren.

SO Beasts of Warren are properly two; viz. Hare and Coney. *Manw.* 95 But *Co. L.* 233. a. names a Roe to be a Beast of Warren. Hare and Coney are named. 8 *Co.* 138. b.

The Fowls of Warren are only Pheasant and Partridge. *Manw.* 95. 8 *Co.* 138. b.

But *Volucres Campestris*, as Quail, Raile, &c. and *Silvestres*, as Woodcock, &c. and *Aquatiles*, as Herne, Mallard, &c. are also named Fowls of Warren. *Co. L.* 233. a.

But the Lord of a Manor may prescribe, for himself and his Tenants, to take Fowl in the Warren of another. *R.* 3 *Mod.* 246.

So he, who has a Warren in a Forest, must keep it well inclosed, that the Conies do not escape into the Forest. *Jon.* 296.

(G 1.) Meers of a Forest.

EVERY Forest and Chase ought to be distinguished by Meers and Limits, without which it cannot be a Forest. *Manw.* 48, 128. 4 *Inst.* 289, 317, 318..

And the Meers are Parcel of the Forest. *Manw.* 131.

And by the *St. de Aff. & Conf. For.* 6 *Ed.* 1. *Omnes Metæ Forestæ sunt integræ Domino Regi.* *Manw.* 130, 131.

And therefore, every Beast of Forest killed in the Highway, River, &c. being the Meers of the Forest, shall be an Offence of the same Nature, as if he was killed within the Forest. *Manw.* 131.

But a Manor, Land, Wood, &c. within the Meers of the Forest, by the King's Charter may be exempted out of the Regard of the Forest. *Manw.* 133.

Yet it shall not be exempted by Prescription; for by the *St.* 6 *Ed.* 1. Meers are established, and there can be no Prescription since. *Jon.* 271.

(G. 2.)

(G. 2.) Perambulation.

When a *Perambulatione facienda* lies, *Vide Pleader*, (3 G.)

(H) Hunting, or Hawking in a Forest.

(H. 1.) Who may do it.)

NONE can hunt, or hawk within a Forest, except the King, or by the King's Warrant or Authority. But the King himself may do it.

So by *Charta de Foresta*, 9 H. 11. An Archbishop, Bishop, Earl, or Baron coming to the King, at his Command, or in Return by a Forest, may take and kill one or two Deer there by View of the Forester, or, if he be absent, he shall blow an Horn.

So every one, who has a Licence from the King or a Subject to hunt, &c. within his Forest, Chase, Park, &c. may do it. *Manw.*

Tho' the Licence be only by *Parol.* *Manw.* 289.

So, if he is intitled to have a Deer, &c. as a Fee incident to his Office; for that is a Licence in Law. *Manw.* 285.

So every one, who has a Grant or Charter of the King, allowed in the *Eyre* for hunting or hawking within a Forest. *Manw.* 275.

And if the Licence be *for hunting, killing, and carrying away*, he may hunt there with Servants and others; for he has an Interest in the Thing. *Manw.* 278. R. 13 H. 7. 13. a. b.

So, if he has a Warrant to a Forester, &c. *to deliver him a Buck*, he may with himself and Servants hunt the Buck with the Forester. *Manw.* 279. R. 13 H. 7. 13. a.

If he has a Licence *for him and his Servants to hunt at his Pleasure*, he may also kill and carry away; for the Licence for the Servant imports an Interest in the Thing. *Manw.* 279, 280.

(H. 2.) Who not.

But none can hunt, or hawk within a Forest without the King's Authority. *Manw.* 275.

Tho' it be within his own Land, or Manor in the Forest. *Manw.* 276.

So every one, who receives within a Forest a Malefactor in the Forest or Venison of the King, knowing him to be so, will be a principal Trespasser. 4 *Inst.* 317.

So a Bishop, or Baron cannot hunt there, except in his Journey to the King, by his Command, and in View of the Forester, or when he sounds an Horn. *Manw.* 276.

So an Officer, who is intitled to a Deer for his Fee, &c. must have a Warrant; and if the Forester, &c. refuse or omit to deliver it, he may hunt by himself and his Servants, but not before serving the Warrant upon the Forester. *Manw.* 284.

So, if any one, who has the King's Licence or Warrant, does not pursue his Licence, it will be a Trespass *ab initio.* *Manw.* 277, 280, 288.

As, if the Licence be for killing a Buck, &c. he cannot kill another Deer. *Manw.* 277.

If it be only *for killing*, he cannot afterwards carry it away. *Manw.* 277, 279.

If it be to a Knight, &c. *for hunting*, without more, he cannot hunt with his Servants, or other Company; for it is a Matter of Pleasure only. *Manw.* 278. R. 13 H. 7. 13. b.

Or, *for hunting and killing for the Honour of the Owner.* *Manw.* 277. Nor can he assign his Licence to another. *Manw.* 278, 279.

So a Licence for hunting in a Chase, Park, or Warren must be pursued in the very Manner. *Manw.* 277, &c.

(H. 3.) By whom a Licence may be given.

So none can hunt, &c. within a Forest, unless he has a Licence from the proper Person; for a Licence from the Forester, Keeper, &c. does not avail. *Manw.* 281.

But the Licence must be by the King himself. *Manw.* 280, 281.

Or by Prescription, which supposes a Grant of the King; as where an Officer has a Buck, &c. as a Fee.

So Justices in *Eyre* may give Licence to any to hunt, &c. within his own Manor, or Land in the Forest. *Manw.* 281.

So a Man, who by a Charter, or Grant of the King, has Authority within a particular Part of the Forest, may give Licence to another within such Precinct. *Ibid.*

So, if a Subject has a Forest, he may license another to hunt, &c. in it. *Ibid.*

(H. 4.) How Hunting, &c. there shall be punished.

By the *Const. Canuti* 22, 23, 24, 25, (which are suspected, 4 *Inst.* 320.) the Penalty of hunting in a Forest was 10s. for a Freeman, double for killing, in another Man double, in a Villein, Death. *Manw.* 3.

By the *St. Ch. de For.* 9 H. 3. 10. No Man shall lose Life or Member for killing our Deer; but if taken therewith and convict for taking our Venison, he shall make grievous Fine; or, if he hath nothing, he shall be imprisoned a Year and a Day, and then delivered, if he can find sufficient Sureties, otherwise abjure the Realm.

By the *St. de Mal. in Parcis*, 3 Ed. 1. 20. If any be attainted for Trespas in Parks and Ponds at the Suit of the Party, large Amends shall be made, three Years Imprisonment, Fine at the King's Pleasure, and Surety not to offend after; if not able to fine, or find Surety, he shall abjure, &c.

If none sue within a Year, the King shall have the Suit.

So by *Ord. For.* 6 Ed. 1. *Si quis ceperit Feram sine Warranto in Foresta, arrestetur, &c. infra Metas Forestæ, & non deliberetur sine præceptu Domini Regis, vel Capitalis Justiciarii Forestæ.* *Manw.* 291.

And therefore, every one taken in the Manner within a Forest may be arrested by the Forester, and imprisoned till delivered by an *Homine Replegiando*, or a Precept of the Justice in *Eyre*. *Ibid.*

And if Bail be given upon the *Homine Replegiando*, or such Precept, he may afterwards be indicted and fined at the Discretion of the Chief Justice of the Forest, and imprisoned till Payment of the Fine, and giving Surety for his good Behaviour in the Forest thenceforth. *Manw.* 293.

So he may be arrested within the Forest, and imprisoned, if found in hunting there, tho' he takes or kills nothing. *Manw.* 291.

So, if he be found in the Manner in any Respect, viz. Stable Stand, Dog-draw, Backbear, or bloody Hand. *Manw.* 292.

As, if he be taken with a Gun, Dog, &c. to kill Deer. *Ibid.*

Or, after killing it pursue with a Dog, carry it on his Back, or be stained with Blood, tho' he be not seen in hunting. *Ibid.*

So, if he enter with Intent to hunt, and if found with a Bow, Dog, &c. tho' he does nothing; for the Will is taken for the Deed. *Ibid.*

But the Chief Justice in *Eyre* by his Warrant to a Messenger cannot apprehend any accused upon Oath before him of hunting in the Forest, if he be not indicted, nor found in the Manner. *R. Carth.* 78.

So, for hunting in a Chase of the King, or of another, he may be sued by
an Action at Common Law. *F. N. B.* 67. D. (H. 5.)
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So, for hunting in a Forest, Park, &c.

So, for hunting in his Close, and killing a Deer there. 10 H. 7. 6. b. 30. a.

And the Plaintiff shall recover Damages for the Value of the Deer, tho' no Value is mentioned in the Declaration, as well as for entring his Close. 10 H. 7. 6.

So, for hunting in a Park, he may be sued within a Year, by an Action upon the *St. W. 1. 20. de Malefactoribus in Parcibus*, Reg. 80. b. 111. b.

And by the King, after a Year and a Day. Reg. 80. b.

And the Plaintiff may sue for Trespasses in several Parks together. R. 13 H. 7. 12. b.

But an Action does not lie upon this Statute, except for hunting in antient Parks. By the better Opinion. Dal. 60.

Nor, for hunting in a Forest or Chase. Semb. Reg. 80. b.

So to Trespass in a Park, the Defendant may plead a Feoffment, &c. to A. before the Trespass, and that he by the Command of A. hunted, &c. 13 H. 7. 13. a.

A Licence by the Plaintiff to B. and the Defendant as his Servant with the Parker took it. Ibid.

(I) The Purlieu of a Forest.

(I. 1.) What shall be.

PURLIEU, or *Pourluy*, is a Contraction or Corruption of the Word, *Pou-rallée*, which imports a Perambulation. Manw. 365.

For in the Time of H. 2. R. 1. and John, many Lands adjoining to the King's Forests were incroached within the Forest, which by *Charta de Foresta* 1, 3. made 17 John, and confirmed 9 H. 3. were to be disafforested, and afterwards by Perambulations made in the Time of Edw. 1. and Edw. 3. disafforested; and the Lands so disafforested are named the *Purlieu* or *Pou-rallée*. Manw. 319. to 365.

And therefore, the Purlieu of a Forest is Land adjoining to a Forest known by Meers immoveable upon Record, which was within the Forest, but is now disafforested. Manw. 318.

And the Purlieu is exempt from the Forest; for it is *infra Metas*, not *infra Regard' Forestæ*. Manw. 87.

The Owner may cut down his Wood, plow, or improve his Land without Licence.

But by *Ch. de For. 9 H. 3. 1. Forestæ quas H. 2. afforestavit, &c. ad damp-num illius cuius Boscus, &c. fuit, deafforestentur*.

And therefore, the Purlieu was disafforested only for the Benefit of the Owner, and as to others, it remains within the Forest. Manw. 366.

And the Owner may suffer his Wood to be now within the Forest.

So Beasts of the Forest may haunt within the Purlieu, and none can chase them there, but the Owner of the Soil.

And the Owner of the Soil cannot kill them. Jon. 278.

(I. 2.) Who may hunt within a Purlieu.

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of the Soil.

The Owner of the Land or Wood, within a Purlieu, may hunt with Dogs Beasts of the Forest found in his Soil, towards the Forest; so that he does not forestall, or forestet them in their Return.

And if he finds them in his own Soil, he may chase them towards the Forest by the Land of others.

And every Owner of Land within a Purlieu may chase them towards the Forest with a small Dog.

So, if he be a Purlieu Man, viz. if he have a Freehold of 40s. per Annum within the Purlieu, he may chase them with a Greyhound, or bigger Dog. Manw. 371.

And he may kill them before they pass the Limit, or Brink of the Forest.

And may take the Deer, &c. killed to his own proper Use.

So if a Dog fasten upon a Deer, &c. before she gains *filum Forestæ*, and she drags the Dog into the Forest, and there is killed, the Owner may pursue and take the Deer out of the Forest.

So, if a *Purlieu* Man pursue Deer towards the Forest, and by an Horn, &c. call off his Dogs before they enter into the Forest; he is no Trespasser, tho' the Dog pursue and kill the Deer within the Forest, if he himself does not enter the Forest, nor take the Deer.

But a Man, who has Land within a *Purlieu*, cannot by Gun, Cross Bow, Hay, or other Engine forestall, or forest the Beasts of the Forest in their Return to the Forest. *Manw.* 384, 373.

Nor can he kill unseasonable Game within the *Purlieu*; as a Deer of Antler in Winter, or Doe in Summer. *Manw.* 384.

Nor, at an unseasonable Time; as, in the Night, or *die Dominico*. *Manw.* 380.

Nor, in the *Fence-Month*, which begins fifteen Days before *Midsummer*, and ends fifteen Days after *Midsummer*. *Manw.* 381.

Nor above three Days in a Week. *Manw.* 381, 2.

Nor, within forty Days after the King has made a general Hunting within the adjoining Forest. *Manw.* 382, 3.

Or, within forty Days before the Time proclaimed for the King's hunting within the Forest. *Manw.* 383.

Or, during the Time when an Officer of the Forest is in the Execution of a Warrant for taking a Deer, &c. within the Forest adjoining. *Ibid.*

So he can hunt only with his own Servants within the *Purlieu*, and not with other Company. *Manw.* 382.

(K) Common Nuisance.

SO any Thing, which will be a Nuisance by Law, if done out of the Forest, if it be done within it, will be a Nuisance to the Forest.

As, if one erect Cottages there without Licence; tho' it be for the Poor of the Parish. *Jon.* 269.

If he incloses a Lane within the Forest. *Ibid.*

If he sets up a Ferry, where none was before; for the Deer may be the more easily carried away. *Jon.* 274.

If he carries a Gun in the Forest, with Intent to kill Deer. *Jon.* 275.

Or conceals the Killing. *Ibid.*

If he burns Heath, Furze, &c. within the Forest. *Jon.* 276.

If he builds a Wall, whereby the Highway is straitned. *Jon.* 277. unless it appear *per Ministros Forestæ quod est competens Passagium*.

If Beasts damage the Wood of B. within a Forest, tho' B. ought to maintain the Fence; for the Owner of the Beasts ought to request B. to make up the Fence; and if he does not, he ought to do it himself, and shall have an Action upon the Case for it against B. *Jon.* 277.

If he erects a Windmill within the Forest, tho' it be upon his own Soil. *Jon.* 293.

But by a Licence from the Justices in *Eyre*, an Inclosure may be made, a Cottage erected and arrented *in perpetuum*, if the Licence be *sedente Curia*, otherwise it may be re-seized. *Jon.* 277.

(L) Purpresture.

SO, if a Man by Building, Inclosure, or using any Liberty, or Privilege, without Warrant, incroach upon the Rights of the Forest, it will be Purpresture and an Offence to the Forest.

(M)

(M) Other Offences in the Forest.

Keeping of Dogs not expeditated.

EVERY Offence, which tends to the Destruction of the Forest, or the Vert or Venison of the Forest, or is a Breach of the Laws of the Forest, will be a Nuisance to the Forest. *Manw.* 266.

And therefore, not only the hunting, or killing of Beasts of the Forest which destroys the Venison, *de quo vide ante*, (H. 1, &c.) and Waste, Purpresture, or Affart, which destroys the Vert (*de quo Vide Ante*, L. and Post, N. 1, &c.) but any Thing, which tends to such Destruction, and is prohibited by the Laws of the Forest, will be a Nuisance to the Forest. *Manw.* 267.

And therefore, by *Ch. de For.* 9 H. 3. 6. he whose Dog is not found expeditated, shall be amerced 3s. and Inquiry or View for lawing of Dogs within the Forest shall be made, when the Regard is made, *viz.* every third Year, by the View and Testimony of honest Men, and not otherwise.

And such lawing shall be done by the Affize commonly used, *viz.* three Claws of the Forefoot shall be cut off by the Skin. And, *ex pede*, this is called expeditating. *Manw.* 265, 255.

And therefore, without the King's Grant, no Person can keep a Mastiff within a Forest, unless he be expeditated; for the Word Dog, is intended of a Mastiff only. *Manw.* 249.

Nor any Dog of the Mastiff Kind. *Manw.* 251.

Nor can he prescribe for it, without shewing the King's Charter. *Manw.* 246.

Nor any Dog for hunting. *Semb. Skin.* 100.

So, without the King's Grant, none shall keep a Greyhound or Spaniel within a Forest, tho' it be expeditated. *Manw.* 246.

And the Patentee cannot prescribe to be quit of lawing Dogs, as an Abbot, &c. was quit. *Jon.* 271.

The Regardors must present every Mastiff not expeditated, and the Owner, at the Court of Attachments, and by the Judgment of the Court every one shall be expeditated, and the Owner shall pay 3s. by which is meant that it shall be done *per Visum proborum hominum*, as *Charta de For.* 6. directs. *Manw.* 253, 254.

And it shall be done by an Officer appointed by the Court. *Manw.* 254.

Who with a Mallet and Chissel smites off at once the three Claws of the Dog's Forefoot. *Manw.* 255, 256.

And after such Presentment (and not before,) Process shall be awarded for such Amerciament. *Manw.* 260.

And a Person cannot disclaim the Dog, without saying, who is the Owner. *Manw.* 262.

But an Inhabitant within a Forest may keep a Mastiff being expeditated, for the Safety of his House and Goods. *Manw.* 243.

And if such Mastiff be *inventus super Feram*, &c. *ipse cujus est quietus erit de facto* By the Statute *de Aff. & Conf. Forestæ*, 6 Ed. 1. 9. *Manw.* 243.

So a little Dog *unde Nihil est Periculi* may be kept, tho' he be not expeditated. *Man.* 245.

So, by a special Grant of the King, a Mastiff may be kept within a Forest, tho' he be not expeditated. *Manw.* 246, 247.

So also a Greyhound, and Spaniel, &c. *Manw.* 246.

So by *Ch. de For.* 6. Lawing of Dogs shall not be done, but in Places where it hath been accustomed since the Coronation of H. 2.

And therefore, a Mastiff need not be expeditated within a Chase. *Manw.* 257.

Nor within any Place disafforested, after the Disafforestation. *Manw.* 258.

So, if a Man be found to have several Dogs not expeditated, he shall be amerced only 3s. *Manw.* 263, 4.

So a Man shall not be amerced, who is not the Owner of the Dog, tho' he took the Dog by Tort, or by Bailment of B. who lives out of the Forest, and keeps him in the Forest; for B. shall be amerced for it. *Manw.* 263.

(N) Waste.

(N. 1.) In cutting of *Vert*, or Covert.

BY the *St. 6 Ed. 1. Rast. Forest. 21.* *Vert* shall be reputed *Omnis Arbor fructum portans vel non, & antiqua Fraxinus in Foresta & arabili.* (N. 1.) What shall be *Vert*.

And therefore, all Wood and Underwood within the Forest is esteemed *Vert*. *Manw.* 120.

Hault Boys, which is called *Overt Vert*, comprehends all great Wood. *Manw.* 121.

Antient Ashes, and Holly Trees. *Ibid.*

South (pro Soubs) Boys, which is called *Nether Vert*, comprehends all Underwood. *Ibid.*

All Bushes, Thorns, Gorse, &c. *Ibid.*

So all *Hault Boys*, or *South (pro Soubs) Boys*, within any Demesne Wood of the King is *Special Vert*. *Manw.* 124.

So, in the Demesne of a Subject, all Wood which bears Fruit. *Manw.* 126.

If any cut the *Vert* of the Forest within his own Land without Licence, it will be Waste. *Manw.* 147.

By *Ch. de For. Regis Canuti 28. Bosco & Subbosco nostro sine Licentia Priorum Forestarum nemo manum apponat.* (N. 2.) When cutting it is restrained.

And if any offend in cutting of *Vert* within the Demesnes of the King, the Cart and Horses which carry it away are forfeited, and he shall be fined to the Value of the Wood cut. *Manw.* 124.

Per Leges de For. Regis Canuti, Siquis ilicem aut arborem, quæ victum feris suppeditat, sciderit, præter Fractionem Regalis Chaceæ emendet Regi 20 s. And by *Charta de For. 4.* shall answer for Waste, Purpresture, and Assart hereafter made.

Per Ordin. de For. 6 Ed. 1. Rast. Forest 21. Siquis extra Dominicum infra Regardam (viz. out of the Demesne of the King and within the Precinct in the Forest,) prosternit quercum, sine Visu aut Liberatione Forestarii, aut Viridarii debet attachiari per 4 Plegios, & per Visum Viridarii quercus appreciari.

And therefore, a Man cannot cut Wood in his own Land within the Forest, or destroy the Coverts, without a View of the Forester, and Licence of the Justices in Eyre. *Manw.* 136.

If it be for Fire, it may be cut by View of the Foresters, or Verderers. *Jon.* 268.

And this is implied by the *St. 1 Ed. 3. 2.* which enacts, That any, having Woods of his own in the Forest, may take the same, without being attached by an Officer of the Forest, so as he do it by the View of the Foresters.

Tho' it escheated to the King, and be then held by the King's Patent; for the Patentee shall be subject to the Laws of the Forest. *Manw.* 136.

So he cannot give, or sell his Wood within the Forest to another, without a Warrant from the King, or the Justices in Eyre. *Manw.* 137. And this per *Ord. de For. 6 Ed. 1. 6. Jon.* 270.

Or make Charcoal of the Wood there. *Manw.* 138.

So he cannot cut for Sale, without a Writ of *Ad quod Dampnum.* *Jon.* 268.

So a Licence by the Justice in Eyre ought to be *sedente Curia*, or after a Writ of *ad quod Dampnum.* *Jon.* 269.

And if the Officer gives a Certificate, that the Cutting was no Prejudice, when it was a Prejudice, he shall be fined. *Jon.* 274.

So per *Ord. de For. 6 Ed. 1. 6. Liberatio Housebote & Haybote fiat prout Boscus pati potest:* And therefore, he cannot take it without the Delivery of the Foresters. *Manw.* 137.

So he cannot make a Woodward, without a Prescription for it. *Manw.* 138.

(N. 3.)
When not.

But in a Forest and Chase in the Hands of a common Person, the Owner of the Soil may cut his Wood, without the Licence or View of the Forester, if sufficient *Vert* be left. *R. Manw.* 81. *R. 12 Co.* 22. *2 Cro.* 155.

So, in a Free Chase of the King. *R. 12 Co.* 22.

So, by Prescription, a Man may cut Timber in his own Wood within the King's Forest, without the View of the Forester. *Manw.* 82. 135. in *Marg.* 12 *Co.* 22, 23. *Dub. Jon.* 275, 6. *R. Cont. Jon.* 290. *Vide Prescription*, (F. 3.)

So he may take Housebote, Haybote by the View of the Forester, without a Licence of the Justice in *Eyre*. *Manw.* 137, 144.

So an Officer of the Forest may prescribe to have so much Wood, to be assigned by the Woodward within the Forest, for his Fuel. *Semb. Sav.* 5.

So, upon Request to the Justice in *Eyre*, an *ad quod Dampnum* goes to inquire what Damage the Cutting will be, and the Quantity and Value of the Wood, and upon the Return of the Writ to the *Chancery*, or to the Justice in *Eyre*, he shall give a Licence to the Owner to cut, upon a Recognizance to make Fences for seven Years. *Manw.* 140.

So the Justice in *Eyre*, without an *ad quod Dampnum*, may write by his Warrant to the Officers of the Forest, and upon their Certificate that it is no Damage, grant a Licence to the Owner to cut his Wood. *Manw.* 142.

Vide Post, (N. 8.)

(N. 4.) What other Privileges the Owner shall have.

So by *Ch. de For.* 9 *H.* 3. 13. Every Freeman shall have in his own Wood Ayryes of Hawks, &c. and the Honey there found.

By *Ch. de For.* 9. Every Freeman may take Agistment in his own Woods in our Forest, and his Pawnage; and may drive his Swine through our Demefne Woods to agist in his own or elsewhere, and shall not lose them if they tarry one Night in the Forest. *Vide Post*, (O. 1, &c.)

By *Ch. de For.* 12. He may make in his own Wood, Land, or Water in the Forest, Mills, Springs, Pool, Marle Pits, Dikes, or Arable Ground without inclosing it, so as it be not to the Annoyance of his Neighbours.

(N. 5.) Privilege of the King in the Wood, or Land of a Stranger.

The King, or the Owner of a Forest, by his Officers, may cut Brouse Wood for the Deer in Winter, within the Wood of any *infra Regardam Foresta*. *Manw.* 138.

(N. 6.) In his own Wood, or Land.

So the King, in his Wood, or Lands within his own Forest, Chase, or Park cannot, by Commission of the Treasurer, or the *Exchequer*, sell any Coppice or Wood, (except Windfalls, Roots, and dead Trees,) without the Licence of the Justice in *Eyre*. *R. Manw.* 145.

Nor can cut dead Trees, or carry away Windfalls, &c. except at the proper Season by the View of the Officers of the Game. *Ibid.*

And therefore, before Sale of the King's Wood there shall be an *ad quod Dampnum* to the Warden, or Justice in *Eyre*, and returned by him. *Manw.* 146.

So, before a Warrant to cut for Repairs, there must be a View and Estimate of the *Quantum*. *Jon.* 269.

So one may sell by the Command of the King, without a regular Licence for buying Hay for the Deer. *Jon.* 279.

So there shall be no Sale of the King's Wood by the Justice in *Eyre*, without a Commission of the Treasurer and *Exchequer*. *R. Manw.* 143, 146.

Nor shall Wood be cut by the Justice in *Eyre*, or other Officers for Repair of Lodges, Pales, &c. (above two or three Timber Trees *per Annum* in any Forest, &c.) without Allowance of the Treasurer. *Manw.* 146. *Jon.* 279.

So the Justice in *Eyre*, or other Officer of the Forest, cannot claim Dotards, Windfalls, &c. as a Fee by Prescription; for it was Part of the King's Inheritance, and ought to be sold by Commission for the King's Profit. *R. Manw.* 144.

So a Grantee or Lessee of the Herbage or Pannage of a Park, &c. can take only the Surplus (if there be any,) after the Deer are supplied. *Manw.* 144.

But the King's Farmer or Copyholder, may take Timber according to the Covenants of his Lease, or the Custom, by the View only of the Forester. *Ibid.*

And the King may grant Estovers in a Forest, without the View of the Forester. *Manw.* 144. *in Marg.*

(N. 7.) Inclosing of Wood.

By the Common Law, the Inclosure of all Wood, cut by the Owner within a Forest, ought to be made only for three Years, *cum parva fossa & bassa haid secundam Assisam Forestæ.* *Manw.* 82. 8 Co. 138. a. *R.* 2 Cro. 156. *Jon.* 278.

And if a deep Ditch or high Hedge be made, and continues for forty Years, if it were not so before, it may be destroyed and pulled down. *R.* 2 Cro. 156.

(N. 8.) Waste in the Destruction of the *Vert*.

If the cutting of *Vert* or Covert within a Forest be Waste, the Destruction of it will be more strongly so: And therefore, if a Man cut his Wood within the Forest by Licence, &c. and afterwards do not inclose the Wood with a sufficient Fence, whereby it be destroyed by Beasts, this Destruction of the Wood will be Waste. *Manw.* 149.

So, if he cut by Licence, but at an unreasonable Time, whereby the Wood will never grow afterwards. *Ibid.*

(N. 9.) In affarting of his Land.

So it will be more heinous Waste, if a Man eradicate his Wood, and convert his Land to Tillage, without Licence; which Waste is called *Affart*, from the Word *Effart*, which in *French* signifies to grub up. *Manw.* 155. 4 *Inst.* 306, 307.

So, if a Man convert his Wood, or Land covered with Broom, Fern, Heath, or other Covert, to Pasture and Tillage, it will be an *Affart*. *Manw.* 157.

So, if he convert Meadow or Pasture, within a Forest surrounded with Coverts, to Arable, it will be an *Affart*. *Ibid.*

So a Grant to be quit of *Affarts*, shall be only for those before committed. *Jon.* 271, 289.

(N. 10.) How Waste shall be punished.

If a Man commit Waste within a Forest by cutting, or destroying of the *Vert* without Licence, the Wood or the Land where the Waste is done shall be seized into the Hands of the King, till the Owner replevy it, and make Fine to the King. *Manw.* 151.

So, if he affart any Wood or Land. *Manw.* 157.

Tho' the Owner had an Estate of Inheritance in it.

Tho' he die before Presentment of the Waste; for the Wood, or other Land shall be seized, &c. till the Heir replevy it, and make Fine. *Manw.* 151, 158.

And if the Owner or his Heir will not pay his Fine, the Land remains in the King's Hands for ever. *Manw.* 152, 158.

The Fine shall be at the Pleasure of the King, or the Justice in *Eyre*. *Ibid.*

But

But it is usually proportioned to the Offence. *Manw.* 158.

And therefore, a Presentment of Waste in a Forest ought to shew the Nature of the Waste, and by whom done, the Quantity and Value of the Land, and where it lies. *Manw.* 152, 158.

So in Lieu of a Fine he may compound for an annual Rent to the King, which ought to be entred upon the Records of the Forest. *Manw.* 160.

So, over and above the Fine, he shall pay the Value of the Corn growing. *Jon.* 269.

By the *St. Ord. de For.* 6 Ed. 1. 4. *Siquis inventus fuerit in Dominico Regis assertando, &c. Corpus debet pratinus retineri: Si extra Dominicum infra Rewardum, debet poni per 6 plegios; si alias, debet duplicare plegios; si tertio, Corpus debet retineri.*

And therefore, every one, who is guilty of *Affart*, and is found in the Manner, if it be in the Demesne of the King, shall be imprisoned till he pay his Fine. *Manw.* 159, 163.

If it be in his own Land, &c. (and not the King's) for the first and second Offence, he shall find Sureties, and for the third, he shall be imprisoned till the Fine paid. *Ibid.*

If he be imprisoned, he shall be bailable only by the Justice in *Eyre*, or his Deputy. *Manw.* 159.

But the Land shall not be absolutely forfeited for Waste within a Forest. *Manw.*

So a Man shall not be taken by a Warrant of the Chief Justice of the Forest, unless he be indicted, or found in the Manner. *R. Carth.* 78.

And if Timber of the Forest be found in his Yard, this is not a finding in the Manner. *Per 3 Judg. Holt dub. Carth.* 79.

(O) Privilege within a Forest.

(O. 1.) By Agistment.

AGISTMENT is, when a Man agists, or drives Beasts to depasture the Herbage of a Wood, or Land within the Forest.

And by the *St. Ch. de For.* 9. Every one may agist his own Beasts (except Sheep and Goats) in his own Wood or Land within the Forest, for a whole Year at his Pleasure. *Vide Ante*, (N. 4.)

If he has an Estate in Fee, or Tail, for Life or Years, in his own Right, or in Right of another, he may do it by himself, or by his Servant or Agent. *Manw.* 193.

So every Inhabitant within a Forest for Hire may agist his Commonable Beasts in the Demesnes of the King within the Forest from fifteen Days before *Midsummer*, to fifteen Days before *Michaelmas*, viz. to *Holy Rood Day*, by Assent of the Verderors, Foresters, and Agistors. *Manw.* 180, 183.

And therefore, by *Ch. de For.* 8. A Swanimote shall be holden fifteen Days before the *Feast of St. John the Baptist*, when the Agistors meet to fawn the Deer. *Manw.* 183.

And there ought to be a Commission from the Justice in *Eyre* to the Agistors, &c. to make an Agistment, upon which they return what they do. *Manw.* 185.

But a Man cannot agist his own Land with Goats and Sheep, tho' the Words of *Ch. de For.* 9. are general; for that would be to the Banishment of the Beasts of the Forest. *Manw.* 193.

So he cannot agist with the Beasts of another.

If an Inhabitant of the Forest agist his Beasts in the Demesnes of the King without Licence, he shall be fined. *Manw.* 188.

A Foreigner, his Beasts are forfeited. *Ibid.*

(O. 2.) By Pannage.

So by *Cb. de For.* 9. Every one shall have Pannage in his own Land, (*viz.* the Mast of his Trees, with Swine) at his Pleasure, except in Land adjoining to the Land or Wood of the King. *Manw.* 190.

And in his Land or Wood adjoining to the Land or Wood of the King, after the Demesnes of the King are agisted. *Manw.* 191.

And he may agist with another's Swine, after the King has agisted his Demesnes.

So every one, for Hire, with Assent of the Verderors, Foresters, and Agistors, may have Pannage in the Demesnes of the King from fifteen Days before *Michaelmas* to forty Days after, *viz.* from *Holy Rood Day* to *St. Martin's*. *Manw.* 184.

But, *per Ordin. de For. Postquam Dominica Haie agistate sunt, licitum erit ei, qui boscum habet juxta Dominicum Boscum, tempore Pannagii habere tot Porcos quot per Visum, &c. Boscus pati possit*, and not before. *Manw.* 191.

(O. 3.) By Common.

So every Man, who has a Right of Common by Prescription in the Lands of the King, or another within a Forest, shall have his Common for all Commonable Beasts, notwithstanding the Afforestation; for by *Cb. de For.* 1. The Afforestation shall be, *Salvâ Communiâ de Herbagio & aliis, illis qui prius habere consueverunt*. *Manw.* 217. (O. 3.) When allowed.

And therefore, every Inhabitant within a Forest may prescribe for Common within the Forest for his Commonable Beasts *levant* and *couchant* upon his ancient Tenement. *Manw.* 221. *Jon.* 283, 4.

So an Inhabitant of a Town may prescribe for Common, for Commonable Beasts *levant* and *couchant* within the same Town. *Manw.* 222.

So, by special Grant, a Man may have Common in a Forest for Beasts not Commonable: As, for Geese, Goats, Sheep and Hogs. *Manw.* 220.

So he may prescribe for Common there for Sheep. *Cont. Manw.* 220, 222. *Semb. Acc. Manw.* 227. *Acc.* 4 *Inst.* 298. *R. Acc.* 3 *Bul.* 213. *R. Lut.* 81. *R.* 2 *Cro.* 155. *Acc. Poll.* 447. *Dub. Hard.* 87.

So he may have Common there *pour cause de Vicinage*. *Manw.* 221, 224.

So he may have Common there in Grois, by special Grant. *Ibid.*

Common of Turbary.

So he may prescribe for Common in a Forest, generally, without Exception of the Fence Month. *Lut.* 81. *R.* 3 *Lev.* 98, 127. *Poll.* 443.

But a Man shall not have Common in a Forest, without Charter or Prescription, in respect of his Inhabitaney there. *Manw.* 227. (O. 4.) When not.

So, if the Inhabitants of a Town may prescribe for Common for Commonable Beasts *levant* and *couchant* in the same Town, an Inhabitant of an House newly built in the same Town, being within the Forest, shall not have Common there; for such Building is Purpresture. *Manw.* 222.

So, regularly, a Man cannot prescribe for Common within a Forest, for Beasts not Commonable: As, for Geese, Goats, or Hogs. *Manw.* 220, 222.

Nor can he use Common there with the Beasts of a Stranger. *Manw.* 223. *Jon.* 283.

Nor, within a Fence Month. *Jon.* 283.

So a Commoner ought not to sur-charge the Forest. *Jon.* 282.

Nor, send his Beasts with a Staff-herd, who attends them. *Ibid.*

So, by the Disafforestation of the Land, the Common will be lost. *R. Hard.*

38. *Hale Cont.* If the Land was not well put within the Forest at first.

[The Right of Common in the *New Forest* is absolutely taken away in the enclosed Parts whilst inclosed, and continued in the waste Parts, except in Fence-Month, (fifteen Days before the fifteen Days after 24 June) and Winter-heyning

(from 11 November to 23 April) and Pannage is restrained to the Time between 14 September and 11 November; and this tho' the whole 6000 Acres is not inclosed. *Biddlecombe v. Kervell, H. 1 G. 3. 2 B. M. 1117.*]

(P) **The Laws of the Forest.**

THE Laws of the Forest differ from the Common Law. *Manw. 486.*
By *Cb. de For. 9 H. 3.* The Laws of the Forest are reduced to a Certainty, which were before arbitrary at the Will of the King. *Manw. 487.*

(Q) **Officers of the Forest.**

(Q. 1.) **Justice in Eyre.**

THE Chief Officer of the Forest is the Justice in Eyre. *Vide Justices, (F.)*

So all associated with him are called, Capital Justices of the Forest.

So, if the King grant a Forest, without Power to make a Justice-Seat, it will be only a Chase. *R. 2 Bul. 298. Vide Ante, (B.)*

And in a *Quo Warranto* to have a Forest and Justice-Seat, if the Defendant claim the Forest, but disclaim to have the Justice-Seat, there shall be Judgment against him. *R. 2 Bul. 298.*

(Q. 2.) **Verderor.**

In every Forest there are usually four Verderors, so named *a Viridi*, or *Vert*. *4 Inst. 317. Manw. 403.*

The Verderor is a Judicial Officer of the Forest, sworn to maintain the Laws of the Forest, and to view, receive, and inrol the Attachments, and Presentments of all Trespasses within the Forest, of *Vert* and Venison. *4 Inst. 292. Manw. 403.*

And all the Rolls ought to be in Parchment, not in Paper. *Jon. 267.*

And ought to be sealed before Delivery; but one Seal with Assent of all is sufficient. *Jon. 268.*

(Q. 3.) **Regarder.**

The Regarder is an Officer of the Forest, sworn to make Regard there as usual, to view, and inquire of all Offences within the Forest in *Vert* or Venison, and of Concealments, or Defaults of the Foresters, or other Officers of the Forest. *Manw. 409.*

And he shall be made by the King's Patent, or by the Chief Justice in Eyre, or, upon a Writ to the Sheriff to make a Regard of the Forest, he shall be chosen in the County. *Manw. 409. Jon. 266.*

If the Presentments by the Regarders are insufficient, they shall be fined; for by the Articles sent to them with the Writ of Summons, they are directed what ought to be presented, and in what Manner. *Jon. 268, 274, 5.*

(Q. 4.) **Forester.**

The Forester is an Officer sworn to preserve the *Vert* and Venison within his Walk, to guard the *Vert* and Venison there, not to conceal but to attach all Offenders, and to present the Offences and Attachments at the next Court of Attachments, or Swanimote. *Manw. 428.*

And to ride with the King, and conduct him in his Hunting. *Jon. 278.*

To take Care of the Lawing of the Dogs. *Jon. 288.*

(Q. 5.)

(Q. 5.) Woodward.

A Subject, who has Land within a Forest, according to Usage, ought to have a Woodward, and if he does not appear at the Justice-Seat, the Wood shall be seized into the King's Hands, till he make Fine and replevy it, and if he do not replevy it within a Year, it shall remain in the King's Hands for ever. *Jon.* 266.

If Wood, Part of the King's Demesne within a Forest, be demised to another for Years, the Lessee shall find a Woodward; and if he does not appear, the Wood and Office shall be seized. *Ibid.*

And after Seizure, no Claim of the Owner shall be heard till he replevy the Wood. *Jon.* 267, 268.

(Q. 6.) Agistor.

The Agistor is an Officer within the Forest, who ought to present Trespasses made by Beasts in the Forest. *Jon.* 280.

If the same Person has several Offices in the Forest, those may be seized *quæ intendere non possit.* *Jon.* 266.

So if a Town, &c. has a Patent to be quit of Service in a Forest, it must serve till its Claim be allowed by the Justices in Eyre. *Jon.* 267.

If any present what does not belong to his Office he shall be fined. *Jon.* 280.

(R.) The Courts of the Forest.

(R. 1.) The Justice-Seat.

AT the Justice-Seat, after the Commission read, the Officers of the Forest, *Vide Justices;* Freeholders, and all who ought to appear, are demanded, and then a Jury ^(F.) out of the Freeholders is sworn, and a Charge given to them. *Manw.* 509.

But the Court may adjourn to another Place in the County before Demand, and may be demanded there. *Jon.* 347.

All Offences, which concern *Vert* or Venison within the Forest, are inquirable at the Justice-Seat, and not elsewhere out of the Forest. *Jon.* 267.

And therefore, all Rolls of Offences presented at a Court of Attachment, or indicted at a Court of Swanimote under the Seal of the Verderors, ought to be presented at the Justice-Seat.

And the Matter of Fact contained in such Rolls, whereof any one is convicted by the same Rolls, cannot be traversed nor discharged, except by Matter subsequent consistent with the Fact, which may be pleaded thereto at the Justice-Seat; as a Pardon, a Release, &c. *R. Jon.* 347.

So, if the Roll contain, that *A.* was indicted and convicted before the Verderors at the Swanimote of cutting Trees within the Forest, *A.* shall plead at the Justice-Seat, a Grant of Lands within the Forest, upon which the Trees grew. *Jon.* 347.

Otherwise, if the Grant does not mention the Trees to be within the Forest. *Ibid.*

So the Jury, charged at the Justice-Seat, ought to present all Offences committed within the Forest since the last Justice-Seat, and how they have been prosecuted, or punished by the Officers of the Forest. *Manw.* 509.

As, the Cutting of Trees, Building of Houses to the Nuisance of the Forest, &c. *Jon.* 348.

And the Reeve, and four Men of the Towns ought to attend till Presentment made. *Jon.* 297.

So the Justice-Seat may fine for contemptuous Words. *Jon.* 274.

Or, for Words at the Swanimote before the Justice-Seat. *Ibid.*

After Presentment, the Party may confess and submit to be fined. *Jon.* 268.

And

And he ought to plead presently, for the Process is *de Horá in Horam*. *Jon.* 268.

If there be a Claim at the Justice-Seat of any Privilege or Exemption, after the Charter read, the Court allows or disallows, without a Demurrer, &c. by the Attorney-General. *Jon.* 272.

Or the Party himself may disavow. *Jon.* 288.

So, if a Claim be made and not prosecuted, it shall be disallowed. *Jon.* 297.

If the Party prosecute his Claim, he must make a good Title to it. *Jon.* 294.

If a Judgment at the Justice-seat be erroneous, a Writ of Error lies in *B. R.*

So, if the Justice-seat allows an unlawful Claim, there may be Redress, if the Record be removed into *B. R.* by a *Certiorari*, called a *Venire facias Recordum*. *Manw.* 526. *4 Inst.* 294.

So, if it disallows a Claim, which ought to be allowed, there shall be a Writ *de Libertatibus allocandis* directed to the Justice of the Forest.

(R. 2.) The Swanimote Court.

The Swanimote is derived from *Mote*, which signifies a Court, and *Swaine*, which signifies a Freeman; and therefore imports a Court of Freeholders within a Forest. *4 Inst.* *Manw.* 462.

In this Court the Verderors are the Judges. *Manw.* 462.

And tho' the Warden, or his Deputy, or Lieutenant sometimes sit in Court, yet they are not the Judges there. *Manw.* 462, 463.

By the *St. Ch. de For.* 8. The Swanimote Court shall be held only *ter in Anno*, viz. fifteen Days before *Michaelmas*, about the Feast of *St. Martin* in Winter, and in the Beginning of fifteen Days before the Feast of *St. John the Baptist*.

And all the Officers of the Forest, and Freeholders within the Forest, ought to appear there. *Manw.* 467.

If any one does not appear, his Default shall be inrolled, and he shall be amerced upon the Oath of the Officers by the Verderors and Steward of the Forest; and the Amerciament shall be assessed, and afterwards estreated by the Verderors to the Chief Warden or his Deputy, or to the Beadle of the Forest, to be levied by Distress; or the Verderors may certify the Default to the Justices of the Forest, who shall make a Writ to the Warden or Sheriff to levy it, or may estreat it in the *Exchequer*, and Process shall issue to levy it. *Manw.* 469.

The Distress shall be for the Amerciament for his Default, and also that he appear at the next Swanimote. *Manw.* 470.

It may be upon his Goods or Lands within the Forest, or Lands out of the Forest, which belong to him as an Officer of the Forest. *Manw.* 471.

If it be returned by the Chief Warden or his Lieutenant, *that he has no Lands or Goods, whereby he may be distrained*, there shall be a *Testatum Distringas* by the Justices of the Forest to the Sheriff to distrain him within his County. *Manw.* 471.

C H A T T E L S.

Goods and Chattels.

Vide Biens, per Totum.—*Chancery*, (4 W. 5.)—*Prohibition*, (F. 5.—*Trespas*, (A. 1.—B. 4.)

Chattels Real.

Vide Biens, (A. 1.)—*Chancery*, (4 G. 2. 5.)

Chattels

Chattels Personal.*Vide Biens, (A. 2.)—Chancery, (4 G. 1.)***C H E S T E R.****County Palatine of Chester.***Vide Franchises, (D. 4, &c.)***Chamberlain of Chester.***Vide Franchises, (D. 5.)***Chief Justice of Chester.***Vide Franchises, (D. 6.)***C H I M I N.****(A) High-way.****(A. 1.) What shall be.**

WHAT shall be said to be a private Way, and what an High-way, depends upon Common Reputation. *1 Vent. 189. Vide Post, (D. 1, &c.)*
 A Way to a Market, a great Road, &c. common to all Passengers, is a High-way. *Per Hale, 1 Vent. 189.*

A navigable River is in the Nature of a High-way.

And if the Water alters its Course, the Way alters. *Per Thorp, 22 Aff. 93.*

If a High-way lies in an open Field, and Passengers use to turn out of the great Track when it is foundrous, these Outlets are Part of the High-way. *R. 1 Rol. 390. l. 10.*

And if sown with Grain, Passengers may ride upon the Corn. *Ibid.*

But if a Man assigns a Way, because the High-way is foundrous, out of his own Ground, that does not become the High-way, unless it be done by the King's Licence upon an *Ad quod Damnum*. *R. Cro. Car. 267.*

Tho' an Inquisition upon an *Ad quod Damnum* finds, that it is no Damage to the King to grant a Licence; if the Licence be not granted. *R. Cro. Car. 267.*

(A. 2.) To whom the Soil and Profits belong.

The King has only Passage in the High-way for him and his Subjects. *1 Rol. 392. l. 3. Bro. Chimin 9, 10.*

But the Freehold and Soil belong to the Lord of the Leet. *1 Rol. 392. l. 5.*

And he may have an Action for digging the Ground there. *1 Rol. 392. l. 8.*

Yet the Trees in a High-way generally belong to the Proprietors of the Soil, *ex utraque parte. R. 1 Rol. 392. l. 13. Bro. Chimin 15. 1 Brownl. 42.*

But the Lord of the Leet may prescribe for the Trees there.

And by some it is said, that the Trees belong to him. *Per Cur. 27 H. 6.*

S. a.
 So the Lord of a Rape may prescribe for all the Trees in the High-way within his Rape, tho' he be not Lord of the Manor. *R. 1 Rol. 392. l. 15.*

If a Man be Owner of a Close by which a High-way lies, the Trees belong to him. *Bro. Chimin* 9.

[If a Man sets out a Highway, yet the Property of the Soil remains in him, and he may maintain Trespas for resting the End of a Bridge on it. *Lade v. Shepherd*, H. 8 G. 2. *Str.* 1004.]

(A. 3.) How it shall be used.

If a Carrier carries an unreasonable Weight with an unusual Number of Horses, it will be a Nuisance to the High-way, by the Common Law. *R. Mar. pl.* 210.

So, if a Man erects a Gate across a High-way, it will be a Nuisance.

Tho' it be not locked, but opens and shuts freely. *Per* 3 J. *Cro. Cont. Cro. Car.* 184.

Or, if he puts his Wood-stack in the Street before his House, according to the antient Usage in the Town, and leaves sufficient Passage for Travellers. *R. 2 Cro.* 446.

(A. 4.) How it shall be repaired.

If a High-way wants Repair, the Parish of common Right ought to repair it. *Mar. pl.* 62. *1 Vent.* 90. *per Hale*, *1 Vent.* 183, 189.

[If there is a Road thro' common Fields from *A.* to *B.* an Act of Parliament for inclosing, &c. and the Commissioners direct that there shall be a Road from *A.* to *B.* thro' the Allotment of *C. D.* who incloses the Road on both Sides, he is not bound to repair, but the Parish remains liable. *Rex v. Flecknow*, H. 31 G. 2. *1 B. M.* 461.]

And therefore an Indictment against any Persons of the Parish, severally, shall be quashed. *Mar. pl.* 71.

[If a Parish is indicted, it must be laid, that the Road is within the Parish, or that it is obliged to Repair. *Rex v. Allsaints*, P. 8 G. 2. *B. R. H.* 105.]

[The Breadth of the Road should appear, that the Court may set a proper Fine. *Ibid.*]

[If a Township is indicted for not repairing, it must be averred that Time out of Mind they have repaired. *Rex v. Marton*, T. 11 & 12 G. 2. *Andr.* 276.]

[The Presentment of the Jury must say that the Way is out of Repair. *Ibid.*]

[If the Indictment is for not Paving, it is bad; they are not bound to Pave, but to Repair. *Ibid.*]

[If a Parish lies in two Counties *A.* and *B.* and the Place out of Repair in *A.* the Inhabitants of that Part of the Parish which lies in *A.* must be indicted, and not the whole Parish. *R. v. Weston under Penyard*. H. 10 G. 3. 4 B. M. 2507.]

[Common Highway is a good Description, without saying Foot, Horse, or Cartway; it is a Highway for all Things. *Rex v. Hatfield*, M. 10 G. 2. *B. R. H.* 315.]

[Indictment setting forth a Highway leading from the Hamlet of *A.* in the Parish of *B.* to *C.* is good; and a certain Part of it in the Parish of *A.* aforesaid, leading from *A.* House in said Hamlet of *A.* to a Place called, &c. containing, &c. is a good Description of the Part out of Repair. *Rex x. Harrow*, P. 7 G. 3. 4 B. M. 2090.]

And an Agreement with another, that he shall repair, does not exempt the Parish. *1 Vent.* 90, 189.

So the King's Grant does not exempt the Parishioners. *R. 3 Mod.* 96.

But a Man may be bound by Tenure to the Repair of an High-way. *2 Sand.* 161.

And the Lien continues, tho' he lays his Land open to the High-way. *Per Keeling*, 2 *Sand.* 161.

[In an Indictment against a Person obliged to Repair by Tenure, *ratione Tenuræ* is sufficient, without *suæ*; for it implies such Tenure as makes him chargeable. *Rex v. Corrock*, T. 5 G. *Str.* 187.]

[By

[By Stat. 13 G. 3. c. 78. §. 23. Surveyor shall inform two Justices, on Oath, what Roads are to be repaired by Tenure, &c. and they shall limit a Time for repairing them; if not done, they shall present it at Quarter Sessions, who may order Prosecution at the general Expence of the Limit.]

[By Stat. 13 G. 3. c. 84. §. 62. Turnpike Trustees may agree with Persons liable by Tenure to Repair, and make them reasonable Allowance out of Tolls.]

So, by Prescription, he may be bound to repair before his House. *Mar. pl. 71.*

So, if a Man incloses his Land in a common Field, *ex utraque parte* of an High-way, he shall be bound to the Repair by reason of the Encroachment, tho' he was not liable before. *R. Cro. Car. 366. 1 Rol. 390. l. 30. Jon. 296.*

And he ought to make a good Way, and maintain it for all Carriages as well as Horses, at his own Charges; and it is not sufficient that it is better than it was before. *R. Cro. Car. 366.*

So, if a Man incloses against one Side of the Way only, where there was an antient Inclosure against the other, he ought to repair the Whole. *Per Keeling, 1 Sid. 464.*

But if a Man incloses only one Side, where there was no Inclosure on the other, he shall be bound to maintain only a Moiety of the Way. *1 Sid. 464.*

And if a Man, bound by Reason of Inclosure, lays his Land open again, he shall be excused. *Per Keeling, 2 Sand. 160.*

The Occupier is bound to the Repair of the High-way, not the Owner. *R. 1 Rol. 390. l. 50.*

[B. R. will grant Information against Inhabitants for not Repairing. *Rex v. Chedinfold, M. 9 G. 2. B. R. H. 159.*]

[So if they have repaired only with Faggots covered with Earth, when they might have had Stone two Miles off. *Ibid.*]

(B. 1.) Bridges in an High-way.

NONE can be compelled to make a Bridge in an High-way, Where there was not one before, unless by Act of Parliament. *2 Inst. 701.*

By the *St. Magna Charta*, 9 H. 3. 15. *Nulla Villa nec liber Homo distringatur facere Pontes, nisi qui de Jure facere consuevit Temp. H. 2.*

So no one can erect a publick Bridge, without Licence, and an *Ad quod Damnum*. *1 Sal. 12.*

So a County cannot change a Bridge from one Place to another, without an Act of Parliament. *R. Mod. Ca. 307.*

(B. 2.) How repaired.

By the Common Law no one was bound to the Repair of a Bridge, but by Tenure, or Prescription. *2 Inst. 700.* (B. 2.)
By whom.

And if no one was bound by Tenure or Prescription, it should be repaired by the whole County. *2 Inst. 701. 1 Rol. 368. l. 10. Cro. Car. 365.*

Or, if it lies in a Franchise, by the whole Franchise. *2 Inst. 701.*

Or, if Part in one County or Franchise, and Part in another, each ought to repair as much as lies in it. *2 Inst. 701.* And this is now confirmed by *St. 22 H. 8. 5.*

Tho' the Sessions charge only one Vill for the Whole. *R. 1 Sal. 359.*

But the Terre-tenants on each Side of an High-way are not bound to repair a Bridge in it. *2 Inst. 700.*

So, if a Man erects a publick Bridge, he is not bound to repair it. *2 Inst. 701. 1 Sal. 359.*

Nor, if he voluntarily repairs it once or twice; for that is only Evidence against him of a Lien by Prescription, if he cannot shew who ought to repair. *2 Inst. 700.*

So an Usage by the Ancestor does not bind the Heir to repair, without a Lien and Affets. *Ibid.*

Yet a Corporation Sole or Aggregate may be bound to repair by Usage and Prescription, without more. *2 Inst.* 700.

And if a Man, bound by Tenure, sells Part of the Land to one, and Part to another, each may be charged for the Whole. *Jon.* 273. *R.* 1 *Sal.* 358.

Tho' the Land bound comes afterwards to the King. *R.* 1 *Sal.* 358.

But he shall have a Writ *de onerando pro rata portione* against the other. *2 Inst.* 700. *Hard.* 131. *Dan.* 744.

So, if an Owner of a Mill make a Channel to it across the High-way, and a Bridge there, which is used as a publick Bridge, he shall be bound to the Repair. *R.* 1 *Rol.* 368. *l.* 15. *Semb.* *Cro. Car.* 365.

Yet a private Bridge, which comes to the publick Benefit and Use, shall be repaired by the Publick. *Mod. Ca.* 307.

(B. 3.) Remedy for not Repairing.

(B. 3.)
By the Com-
mon Law.

If a Bridge wants Repair, by the Common Law, the Remedy was by Presentment before *B. R.* or Justices in *Eyre.* *2 Inst.* 701.

Or, before Commissioners of *Oyer and Terminer.* *Ibid.*

Or, before the Sheriff in his Tourn, or in the Leet. *Ibid.*

Or, before the Sheriff by Commission; but this is now taken away by *St.* 28 *Ed.* 3. 9. *2 Inst.* 701. *F. N. B.* 127. *E.*

[The Sessions impose a general Rate, and order the Officers to make a particular Assessment and collect it. *Rex v. Middlesex, H. 11 G. 2. Andr.* 101.]

[It is not necessary that the Order for an Assessment for the Repair of a County Bridge, should set forth that it is presented by whom the Bridge should be repaired; for the only Matter necessary to be presented is, that it is a public Bridge, and out of Repair. *Rex v. Middlesex, H. 11. and M. 12 G. 2. Andr.* 101, 285.]

Or there may be an Information exhibited for not repairing. *2 Lev.* 112.

[Information in *B. R.* lies, notwithstanding the *Stat.* 22 *H.* 8. 5. and 1 *Ann.* 18. *Rex v. Inhab. Civ. Norwici, P. 5 G. Str.* 177.]

If it is a private Bridge to a Mill, &c. he that has the Passage may have a Writ *de ponte reparando*, against him who ought to repair it. *F. N. B.* 127. *D.* *2 Inst.* 701.

To an Information, or Indictment for not repairing, if the Defendant pleads *Not Guilty*, he shall give nothing in Evidence, but that the Bridge is repaired. *Per Holt.*

If he pleads, *that another ought to repair*, he ought to shew for what Cause; viz. *Ratione Tenuræ*, by Prescription, &c. *Cro. Car.* 366.

And if he alledges, *that it is a new Bridge erected for the Benefit of a Mill*, it is not sufficient to take by Protestation that it is not an antient Bridge; for that is the Substance, and ought to be directly answered. *R. Cro. Car.* 365.

If the Defendant alledges, *that A. ought to repair*, &c. absque hoc *that the County ought*, the Attorney-General may reply, *that the County ought*, absque hoc *that A. ought*, and tender Issue upon it. *2 Lev.* 112.

(B. 4.)
By Statute
Law.

By the *St.* 22 *H.* 8. 5. confirmed by the *St.* 1 *Ann.* 18. Justices of Peace of a County, Franchise, &c. or four of them (*1 Quorum*) shall have Power at Quarter-Sessions to hear and determine all Annoyances of Bridges broken in High-ways.

And to make such Process and Pains, on Presentment before them, against those, who ought to be charged with making or amending such Bridges, as *B. R.* uses to do, or as they shall deem necessary.

And if not known, who should repair, &c. the Bridge, or such Part as lies in a Town Corporate, shall be repaired by the Town, if out of the Corporation, by the County; and four Justices of Peace (*one Quorum*) may summon the Constables, or two Inhabitants of every Parish, and tax all the Inhabitants for the Repair, &c. and deliver a Roll of the Names and Sums to the Collectors of each Hundred, who may levy by Distress and Sale, &c.

And

And four Justices of Peace (one *Quorum*) may appoint two Surveyors to see the Repairs, to whom the Collectors shall pay the Money, and they shall all account to the Justices of Peace or four (one *Quorum*) at the Sessions, and on Refusal be committed without Bail till they do so, allowing reasonable Charges.

And if the Person, who ought to repair, &c. dwell in another County, the Justices of Peace may send the same Process, as if in the same County, which all Sheriffs, &c. shall execute.

And four Justices of Peace (one *Quorum*) may use the same Methods for Repair of 300 Feet at each End of Bridges when out of Repair, as for Repair of the Bridges.

By the *St. 1 Ann. 18.* Justices at the Quarter-Sessions shall lay such Sum on each Parish, as it hath usually been assessed at, which shall be levied by the Constable or other Persons as the Justices shall direct, and by them in six Days paid to the High Constables, and by them in ten Days to the Treasurer, for Repair of the Bridges.

Such Assessment to be levied by Distress and Sale, on Non-payment in ten Days after Demand.

By the *St. 22 H. 8. 5.* Justices of Peace have no Authority, except of public Bridges, not of private. *2 Inst. 701.*

Justices of Peace of the County have no Cognisance of the Repair of Bridges within a Franchise, Borough, or City, if there are four Justices there (one *Quorum*.) *2 Inst. 702.*

But if there are not so many Justices of Peace in the Franchise, then the Justices of the County shall enquire of the Bridges there, if the Franchise be not a County by itself. *Ibid.*

And if it be a County by itself, then no Remedy but by Common Law. *Ibid.*

Justices of Peace shall have Jurisdiction of a common Bridge in a common Street, as a Nuisance, tho' it be not in an High-way. *1 Sal. 359.*

If it be known, who ought to repair any Bridge, by the *St. 22 H. 8. 5.* the Justices of Peace shall issue the same Process, as the Justices of B. R. *2 Inst. 702.*

And so, for re-building, if necessary, as well as repairing. *Ibid.*

If it be not known, who ought to repair, it is well, for the Security of the Justices of Peace, that the Grand Inquest present the Bridge in Decay, &c. *& quod nescitur qui, &c. 2 Inst. 703.*

If it be not known, who ought to repair, it shall be at the Charge of the County, &c. *1 Rol. 368. l. 10. Vide Ante, (B. 2.)*

And this Act of 22 H. 8. 5. ought to be executed by four Justices (one *Quorum*.) or more. *2 Inst. 703.*

And it is good to do it by more, otherwise if one dies, or is put out of the Commission, the three others have no other Authority to proceed. *Ibid.*

It is safe, that all Proceedings of the Justices of Peace upon this Statute be at the General Sessions of the Peace. *2 Inst. 705.*

The Justices of Peace cannot tax, without Assent of the Constables, or Inhabitants. *2 Inst. 704.*

And therefore, they ought at the General Sessions, where the Constables are present, to call them, or by Warrant summon them, or two Inhabitants, at a certain Place and Time for that Purpose. *2 Inst. 703. in Marg.*

The Tax shall not be imposed upon the Parish in general, for then any Inhabitant might be distrained for the Whole, but upon each Inhabitant by himself. *2 Inst. 704.*

And here all Privileges and Exemptions, tho' by Parliament, are taken away. *Ibid.*

Every Householder is an Inhabitant, but not a Servant, &c. tho' he has a personal Residence. *2 Inst. 703.*

Every one who has an House and Servants there, tho' he resides in another County. *Ibid.*

So a Man dwelling in another County, who occupies Land there. *2 Inst. 702.*

So a Corporation, which occupies Land in another County, is an Inhabitant there. *2 Inst. 703.*

So, an Infant, who has an House, or holds Land there. *2 Inst.* 703.

So, a Man, who holds Land there in Right of his Wife. *Ibid.*

The Collector of every Hundred shall have a Roll indented, under the Seal of four Justices of Peace. *2 Inst.* 704.

The Collector may distrain for the Tax, upon the Land or Goods of the Party, at any Place within the Hundred. *2 Inst.* 705.

If the Tax be not paid upon Demand, it is a Refusal, tho' it was not expressly denied. *Ibid.*

One of the Collectors, with the Assent of the other, may distrain and sell; for that is the Distress of both. *Ibid.*

The Surplusage upon a Sale shall be returned to the Owner. *Ibid.*

None can be compelled to make a new Bridge, where there was not any before, except by Act of Parliament. *2 Inst.* 701.

[By 12 G. 2. c. 29. §. 13. no Part of the County Rate shall be applied to repair Bridges, but on Presentment of the Grand Jury.]

[And by §. 14. the Quarter Sessions may contract for their Repairs for seven Years, at an annual Sum.]

[By *stat.* 14 G. 2. c. 33. Quarter Sessions may purchase Lands to build County Bridges, not exceeding one Acre for each Bridge.]

(C) Surveyors for the High-way.

(C. 1.) How chosen.

BY the *St.* 2 & 3 Pb. & M. 8. On Tuesday, or Wednesday in Easter Week, and by the *St.* 22 Car. 2. 12. on some Day in Christmas Week, and by the *St.* 3 & 4 (or 3) W. & M. 12. on 26th December, unless it be Sunday, and then the 27th, The Constables, Churchwardens, &c. shall chuse two Surveyors for a Year to amend the High-ways leading to Market Towns, who refusing shall pay 20s. a-piece.

By the *St.* 3 & 4 (or 3) W. & M. 12. The Parish shall assemble and make a List of such Inhabitants, who have 10l. *per Annum* in their own or their Wife's Right, 100l. Personal Estate, or farm 30l. *per Annum*, or if no such, of the most sufficient, and return the List to the Justices of Peace at special Sessions, 3d January, or, if Sunday, the 4th, or in fifteen Days after, of which ten Days Notice shall be given to the Parish; and the Justices shall by Warrant under Hand and Seal appoint one, two or more out of such List to be Surveyors for next Year; which Nomination shall in six Days be notified to the Persons chosen, by the Constable or Surveyor, by leaving the Warrant or a Copy at their Place of Abode. And if any refuse the Office, they shall forfeit 5l. each, a Moiety to the Informer, a Moiety to the Repair of the High-way, to be levied, on the Oath of one Witness, by Warrant of two Justices of Peace by Distress and Sale, &c. And then the Justices shall nominate another fit Person, who on Notice, &c. refusing, forfeits 5l. &c. And the Constables, Churchwardens, and Surveyors not returning a List forfeit 20s. each, to be levied, &c.

[By *stat.* 13 G. 3. c. 78. On 22 September the Constables and Householders assessed to public Rates shall name ten Inhabitants, who have each 10l. a Year Lands, or 100l. Personal, or occupy Lands of 30l. a Year; or, for Want of such, the most sufficient Inhabitants; and in three Days the Constable shall transmit a Copy to a Justice near the Place, and shall deliver the Original to the Special Sessions for the Highways, next after Michaelmas Quarter Session, and shall in three Days give Personal Notice, or leave Notice in Writing to the Persons named. Justices to give ten Days Notice of their Special Sessions, and to name what Surveyors they think fit from the Lists, if they think them qualified; if not, from other substantial Inhabitants or Occupiers of Lands living within three Miles of the Place, in the County. Constables to give Persons appointed Notice, by serving the Warrant in three Days. If he accepts, he is Surveyor for the Year ensuing. Justices to give them a Charge. Person named in the List, not accepting, if appointed, in six Days, forfeits 5l. Person not in the

the List, but appointed, not accepting, forfeits 50s. No Person serving can be again appointed (without Consent) in three Years from such Appointment and Service.]

[If no List returned, or if the Persons appointed refuse, the Justices shall at that, or a subsequent Sessions, in a Month, appoint another Person to be Surveyor with Salary out of Forfeitures, not exceeding one-eighth of a fixpenny Assessment.]

[If Constable does not make List, and return it and the Duplicate, and give the Notices, and serve the Warrants, and return the Amount of the Assessment, if required, he forfeits 40s. for every Default.]

[§. 2. If Surveyor with Salary is appointed, a substantial Inhabitant shall be appointed his Assistant; if he refuses to accept, he forfeits 50s.; and so another, under like Forfeiture; and then a third, who shall have those two Forfeitures, and further Salary, if necessary. Assistant serving, cannot be appointed Assistant in three Years from his first Appointment, without Consent.]

[§. 3. Surveyor with Salary not residing in the Place, shall give Bond to account; and so by *stat.* 13 G. 3. c. 84. §. 65. shall Treasurer and Surveyor of Turnpike.]

[§. 4. Assistant is to assist in calling in and attending the Statute-duty, in collecting Compositions, &c. and Assessments, making and serving Notices, to account for Money received to Surveyor, or in Default forfeits double Value; and for every wilful Neglect of Duty, forfeits from 5 l. to 40s. shall pay Sums above 40s. on Surveyor's Order in Writing. Surveyor not responsible for Money not received by him, or paid by his Order.]

[§. 5. Two-thirds of the Parish-meeting may agree with a Person of Skill to be Surveyor, with a Salary, and return his Name, with the List, to the Justices; who may, if they think proper, appoint him, and allow him the Salary agreed on, to be raised as the former.]

[If Surveyor dies, or becomes incapable, the Justices may appoint another, and allow him the Salary.]

[§. 55. Justices of Corporations shall not allow Salary to Surveyor appointed by them, unless approved by two-thirds of Town-meeting.]

[§. 71. Justices shall give every Surveyor appointed an Abstract of this Act, and the Clerk to have 6d. for it.]

[§. 86, 87, 88. This Act extends not to *Bristol, Whitechapel* or *Wapping*, nor to the Commissioners of Sewers.]

[By *stat.* 13 G. 3. c. 84. §. 44. Turnpike Trustees shall swear themselves worth 40 l. *per Annum* in Lands, &c. or 800 l. Personal Estate, or Heir apparent to a Person worth 80 l. *per Annum*, or forfeit 50 l.]

[§. 46. Keeper of Publick-house shall not be a Trustee or Officer of Turnpike; but he may farm the Toll, if he employs a Collector not incapacitated.]

[§. 49, 50. If a sufficient Number of Trustees do not appear at any Meeting, the Clerk may fix and give ten Days Notice of another. And no Meeting shall be adjourned for more than three Months; no Business done before Ten in the Morning, nor Adjournment made to any Hour after Two in the Afternoon.]

(C. 2.) Their Authority and Power.

By the *St.* 2 & 3 *Pb. & M.* 8. Every Person for every Plowland in Pasture or Tillage he occupies in the same Parish, and every one keeping a Draught, or Plough, shall send a Cart with Horses, &c. and all Necessaries, and two able Men with the same, at every Day and Place appointed for Amendment of the High-ways, on Pain of 10s. for every Draught: And every other Householder, and every Cottager or Labourer shall (unless he be a yearly hired Servant) by himself or sufficient Labourer, work every Day, &c. on Pain of 12d. *per Diem*; But if a Carriage is thought needless by the Surveyor, every Person shall send two Labourers each Day for every Carriage, on Pain of 12d. *per Man*. And the Leet, or in Default, the Justices of Peace at the Quarter-Sessions may fine all Offences, and the Clerk of the Peace, &c. shall make Estreats indented

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of the Fines, and deliver one Part to the Constable and Churchwardens of the Parish, the other to the High Constable, &c. who may levy by Distress, and if no Distress, or he pay not in twenty Days, he shall pay double. And the High Constable shall yearly account to the Constable and Churchwardens of the Parish on Pain of 40s. and the Constable and Churchwardens may call him, or their Predecessor, to account before two Justices of Peace (one *Quorum*) who may commit, till all Arrears paid, but shall allow 8d. *per Pound* for the Collection, and 12d. *per Pound* to the Clerk of the Peace, or Steward of the Leet, and all Fines shall go to the Repair of the High-way.

By the *St. 18 El. 10.* A Person, (not in *London*,) rated to the Subsidy 5l. in Goods, or 40s. in Lands, shall find two Labourers in the High-way while so rated, if not otherwise chargeable by any former Law, but as a Cottager.

And a Person, having a Plowland of Tillage, or Pasture in several Parishes, shall find a Cart, &c. in the Parish where he dwells, as if all in the same Parish; but if several Plowlands in several Parishes, he shall find for each, as if in the Parish where he dwells.

By the *St. 22 Car. 2. 12.* Where the Usage is to carry Gravel, &c. on Horses, &c. the Inhabitants shall send in such Horses, &c. instead of Teams; And for Default of working in the High-way, every Labourer shall forfeit 18d. every Horse and Man 3s. every Cart and two Men 10s. for every Day, for Repair of the High-way, to be levied, on Proof before the next Justices of Peace by one Witness, by Distress and Sale, &c.

By the *St. 7 & 8 W. 3. 29.* A Person having 50l. *per Annum* in Woodland, or any other Land, shall be deemed to have a Plowland within the said Acts.

The Justices of Peace, &c. ought to appoint particular Days for working in the High-way; for it is not sufficient to say, *six Days between such a Time and such a Time.* R. 1 Sal. 357.

So an Indictment for not working ought to shew the particular Days appointed. *Ibid.*

But if particular Days are not appointed for working in the High-way, a Parishioner is not bound to work there. *Ibid.*

[By *Stat. 13 G. 3. c. 78. §. 34.* Every Person keeping a Waggon, &c. and three Horses used to draw it, shall send a Cart and two Men six Days in the Year for his Statute-Duty, in the Parish where he resides, for Lands not exceeding 50l. *per Annum.* If he occupies in the same Parish 50l. beyond that 50l. or occupies 50l. in another Parish, or does not keep a Team, but occupies 50l. in any Parish, he shall in like Manner send a Cart and three Horses, or four Oxen and one Horse, or two Oxen and two Horses, and two Men; and so for every 50l. which he shall further occupy in any such Parish; such Carts, &c. to be employed in repairing the Roads in the Parish where the Lands lie. And every Person who shall not keep a Team, but occupy Lands under 50l. in the Parish where he resides, or any other; and every Person keeping a Team, and occupying Lands under 50l. in another Parish, shall pay, for every 20s. annual Value, a Penny a Day, and so for every 20s. above 50l. and under 100l. and so between every fifty: and on Non-payment, to be levied by Distress. Person occupying under 30l. shall send but one Labourer with his Team.]

[§. 35. Persons keeping a Cart, and only one or two Horses used to draw, shall send such Cart and Horses, and one Labourer, or pay Composition, as Surveyor chuses. Persons keeping Coach, &c. but no Team, nor occupying 50l. *per Annum*, shall pay 1s. *per Day per Horse*, or pay Composition, as Surveyor chuses; and every Man between eighteen and sixty, not chargeable for 4l. *per Annum*, nor being Apprentice or menial Servant, shall labour six Days. Surveyor may require three Labourers instead of a Team, or to be paid 4s. 6d. *per Day.* They are to work eight Hours a Day. If the Men sent are not sufficient, or if any refuse to work, Surveyor may dismiss them, and recover the Penalty for not sending.]

[§. 36. Surveyor may require Part of a Team; one Horse and a Stand-Cart is one-third, two Horses two-thirds. He may require a Waggon.]

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[§. 37. He is to give or leave in Writing four Days Notice of the Day, Hour and Place for every Day. Defaulters to forfeit, for a Cart 10s. Cart and two Horses 5s. Cart and one Horse 3s. Labourer 1s. 6d. Duty, if not all necessary, to be equally required. Surveyor to recover Penalties with all speed.]

[§. 38. Persons may compound for Duty, as Justices shall settle, between 6s. and 3s. for a Team, if no Appointment 4s. 6d. for a Team, Cart and one Horse 2s. Cart and two Horses 3s. Labourer 4d.]

[§. 39. If extravagant Prices are likely to be asked, Justices may order Team-duty in Kind, except Teams of Persons occupying under 30 *l. per Annum*; and Labourers, paying them the usual Wages, abating 4d. If only Part required, to be balloted for.]

[§. 40. Person who keeps a Team, but does not occupy 30 *l. per Annum* in the Parish where he lives, but partly maintains his Horses from Lands he occupies in other Parishes, two Justices may mitigate his Duty.]

[§. 41. Surveyor on a *Sunday* in *November* to give ten Days Notice in Church, and to repeat it next *Sunday*, of the Time and Place, of signifying Intention to compound; and those who so signify, and pay Composition then, or in a Month, are discharged of Duty. No Composition admitted, unless paid within Time aforesaid, unless on Change of Occupier or Inhabitant, who may compound within fourteen Days. Person going away in six Months may compound for half. Surveyor receiving too much shall refund, to bring all to Equality.]

[§. 42. Persons keeping a Draught or Plough, but no Carriage, shall pay 1s. per Horse, or two Oxen.]

[§. 43. Inhabitants may fix three Months for Seed, Hay, and Corn-harvest, wherein no Duty shall be done, giving Notice to Overseer three Days after Meeting, and fourteen before the Beginning of each Month.]

[§. 44. Surveyor shall pay the Proportion of Composition for Turnpike-roads to the Treasurer or Surveyor, to be laid out on the Turnpike in that Parish.]

[By *Stat. 13 G. 3. c. 84. §. 32.* Turnpike-surveyor shall make the Statute-duty to be done, and shall lay out the Composition-money in the Parish whence it arises; and on Misapplication forfeits 40s. Where there are two Turnpike-Roads in one Parish, and the Statute-duty for both exceeds three Days, Justices in Special Session shall apportion it.]

[§. 58. Justices at Special Sessions may order the Statute-duty appointed for the Turnpike-road to be performed on the other Roads, if their respective Condition permits and requires it; and the Money lent on Turnpike is not thereby endangered.]

By the *St. 2 & 3 Ph. & M. 8.* Constable and Churchwardens, at the Election of Surveyors, shall appoint four Days before *Midsummer*, (and by the *St. 5 El. 13.* six Days,) for Amendment of the High-ways, and give Notice of the Days in the Church the *Sunday* after *Easter*: And every Carriage and Labourer shall work eight Hours every Day, unless licensed by one of the Surveyors. (C. 3.)
For what Time.

By the *St. 22 Car. 2. 12.* It is sufficient, if the High-ways be amended before *St. Luke's Day*, tho' not before *Midsummer*.

Surveyors shall appoint six Days for Work in the High-way, with regard to the Season of the Year and Weather, and giving Notice publicly some convenient Time before the several Days.

By the *St. 1 Geo. 52.* Justices of Peace at their special Sessions may order great Roads to be first amended, and at what Time, and in what Manner to be done, to which the Surveyors are to conform.

And Surveyors shall summon Teams and Labourers to come in at the first seasonable Days the Year shall afford, and shall repair such as the Justices, or, in their Default, as they think needful in the first Place.

By the *St. 5 El. 13.* Surveyors may take Rubbish in any Quarry of a Parish, if ready digged, and, if no such, may dig in the several Ground of a Parish-ioner, (not his House, Garden, Orchard, or Meadow,) for Gravel, Sand, or Cinders for High-way, without Licence, so as he dig but one Pit, not above ten
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ten Yards over, and in a Month after fill it up, at the Charge of the Parish, on Pain of five Marks for every Default to the Owner by Action of Debt, &c.

[Justices cannot make an Order to dig over all an Estate, and leave it to the Discretion of the Surveyor where; they must fix on the particular Part. *Rex v. Manning, T. 30 & 31 G. 2. 1 B. M. 377.*]

[They must award Satisfaction to the Owner, as well as the Occupier. *Ibid.*]

[They must specify what Kind of Materials cannot be found in the waste Grounds: for they cannot dig in private Grounds because some Kind of Materials are not to be found in Wastes, if other proper may. *Ibid.*]

[They cannot try for Materials in private Soil; they should previously know, or have reasonable Prospect of finding them. *Ibid.*]

[By *stat. 13 G. 3. c. 78. §. 27, 28. and 13 G. 3. c. 84. §. 61.* Surveyor may take refuse Stones of any Quarry in his own Parish without Owner's Consent, but not to dig; and he may in any common Ground or River, in his own Parish, (or any other, leaving sufficient for themselves) get Gravel, &c. or gather Stones in his Parish, without Satisfaction, but Satisfaction for Damage done; Owners Consent must be had to gather Stones, or Licence from a Justice. This extends not to Stones thrown up by the Sea, called Beach.]

[*Cap. 78. §. 79.* If sufficient Materials cannot be had in common Grounds, Surveyor may search in inclosed Grounds in his own Parish, or by Licence from two Justices in Special Session in other Parishes, and to take what he thinks necessary, making Satisfaction; if they cannot agree, to be settled by one Justice. Clay may be got where any other Materials may, and may be burnt on any common Ground. Materials must not be taken, if Owner gives Notice he shall want them to repair Roads, without an Order of two Justices, after Hearing.]

[*§. 31.* Surveyor shall fence in Holes made in getting Materials, whilst open; if no Materials found, to fill it up, and cover it with Turf, in three Days; if Materials found, in fourteen Days after digging enough, to fence, slope, or fill up; in twenty Days after Appointment, to fill up or slope all Holes not likely to be used; if likely to be used, to fence them with Posts and Rails, on Pain of 10s. for every Default; and if he neglects it for six Days after Notice from a Justice, the Owner, or a Commoner, to forfeit from 10l. to 40s. for every Neglect.]

[*§. 32.* Materials for another Parish must be carried between 1st April and 1st November, or in hard Frost.]

[*§. 33.* Persons digging Materials, whereby Bridge, Mill, Building, Dam, Highway, Ford, Mines, or Tin-works, may be endangered, forfeit from 5l. to 20s.]

[*§. 50.* If sufficient Materials cannot be got by Statute-duty, Surveyor may contract for the same, at a Meeting to be held on ten Days Notice. Surveyor not to be concerned in Contract, without Licence from a Justice, under Penalty of 10l. and Incapacity to be Surveyor.]

[By *stat. 13 G. 3. c. 84. §. 36.* Turnpike-surveyor may contract for Materials; to have no Share in the Contract without Licence, on Pain of 10l. and Incapacity.]

[*§. 70, 71.* He may, with the Approbation of Trustees, apply the Tolls and Statute-duty in the Execution of the Powers in the High-way Acts, for providing Materials, enlarging, turning, stopping up and selling Roads, making Drains, cutting Trees and Hedges, and calling out the Labourers (for the Proportion of Labour) as the Parish Surveyors may, making the same Satisfaction for Materials and Damages as they ought to make.]

(C. 5.) To remove Obstructions. Watercourse. By the *St. 5 El. 13.* Surveyors may turn a Water-course out of the High-way into any Ditch of another's several Ground adjoining to the High-way, as they think meet.

By the *St. 18 El. 10.* If a Bank be between the High-way and Ditch, the Surveyors, &c. may make Sluices through the Bank to let the Water out of the High-way into the Ditch.

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By the *St. 1 Geo. 52.* If any, who ought to scour Ditches or Water-courses near an High-way, neglect for thirty Days after Notice by the Surveyors, or leave the Earth eight Days after scouring, he shall forfeit 2*s.* 6*d.* for every eight Yards of Ditch not scoured, on the Oath of the Surveyor before Justices at the Quarter-Sessions, and for other Offence, a Sum not exceeding 5*l.* nor under 20*s.* to be levied by Distress and Sale, &c.

[By *stat. 13 G. 3. c. 78. §. 8.* Occupiers of Lands shall make and scour sufficient Ditches, Drains, and Water-courses, and lay Bridges at Cartways, &c. and Occupiers of Lands where the Waters used to pass, shall scour, &c. on Pain of 10*s.* on ten Days Notice.]

[§. 12. The Surveyor is to view all High-ways, and if any Nuisance, to give Personal Notice, or leave Notice in Writing at the Place of Abode, and if not removed, Ditches cleaned, Bridges made or mended, Hedges pruned, (*Trees* are not mentioned in this §.) in twenty Days, he is to do it; and the Person neglecting, forfeits 1*d.* per Foot of the Ditch not cleaned or Hedges pruned, besides the Charges; and on Non-payment, to apply to a Justice, who on Proof of Notice as aforesaid, and of the Work done by Surveyor, and the Charge, he shall be repaid on Demand; or, in Default, it shall be levied as other Penalties in the Act.]

[§. 14. Where the Ditches, &c. are insufficient, new ones may be made by Surveyor, by Order of one Justice, thro' any Lands, making Bridges, for convenient Enjoyment of the Lands, and Satisfaction for the Damage, to be settled as getting Materials.]

By the *St. 5 El. 13.* Ditches, Fences, &c. shall be scoured, repaired, and kept low, and Trees and Bushes growing in an High-way shall be cut down by the Owner of the Ground, that the Way may be open:—And by the *St. 18 El. 10.* upon Pain of 10*s.* for every Default. (C. 6.)
Trees, Hedges, &c.

And by the *St. 18 El. 10.* The Occupier of Ground adjoining to the Grounds next an High-way, shall scour his Ditches when needful, that the Water from the High-way may have Passage over the Grounds next adjoining, on Pain of 12*d.* per Rood not scoured.

And none, in scouring a Ditch, shall throw the Soil into the High-way leading to a Market-Town, and let it lie there six Months, on Pain of 12*d.* per Load.

By the *St. 3 & 4 (or 3) W. & M. 12.* The Owners or Occupiers of Land shall scour Ditches, Drains, &c. next an High-way, carry away the Earth taken thence, lay sufficient Trunks, Bridges, &c. where Cart-ways are into their Grounds, in ten Days after Notice from the Surveyor, on Pain of 5*s.* to be levied by Distress and Sale, on Proof by one Witness before two Justices of the Peace, a Moiety to the Informer, a Moiety to the Repair of the High-way.

And shall cut down, &c. any Tree, Bush, &c. in an High-way, not twenty Feet broad, in ten Days after Notice by the Surveyor, on Pain of 5*s.* to be levied, &c. And shall keep their Hedges pruned right up from the Roots, and not permit Trees to hang over the High-way, &c.

And the Surveyors after View, &c. shall give Notice the next Sunday in the Church, and, if not removed in thirty Days, shall in thirty Days remove, &c.

And the Surveyors, if need is, may make new Ditches, &c. in the Lands next to an High-way, and keep them cleansed, and enter the Land for that Purpose.

[By *stat. 13 G. 3. c. 78. §. 6.* No Tree or Shrub to stand in a High-way, within fifteen Feet of the Centre, on Pain of 10*s.* after ten Days Notice, except for Ornament, or Shelter of the House, Building or Court-yard of the Owner.]

[§. 7. Possessors of Land next adjoining shall cut their Hedges, and cut down or lop Trees growing in or near their Fences, that Sun and Wind be not excluded, (except Trees for Ornament;) if not, on ten Days Notice from a Surveyor, he is to complain to a Justice, who shall summon Possessor to appear at a Petty Sessions, who shall order them to be cut in such Manner as may best answer

for the Purposes; if not done on ten Days Notice, he forfeits 2*s.* for every twenty-four Feet of Hedge, and 2*s.* for every Tree; and the Surveyor is to do it, and Possessor to pay for it, besides the Penalties, to be levied by Warrant of one Justice.]

[*§. 13.* Hedges to be pruned only from the last of September to the last of March. None are obliged to fell Timber-trees in Hedges, unless when the Road is ordered to be enlarged; or to cut Oaks in the High-way, but in April, May or June, and other Trees in December, January, February or March.]

(C. 7.)
Rubbish,
Dung, &c.

By the *St. 3 & 4 (or 3) W. & M. 12.* None shall lay, in an High-way, not twenty Feet broad, any Stone, Timber, Straw, Dung, &c. by which it shall be annoyed, on Pain of 5*s.* to be levied by Distress and Sale, on Proof by one Witness before two Justices of Peace, a Moiety to Informer, a Moiety to Repair of the High-ways: And the Owners or Occupiers of Lands next the High-way shall, in ten Days after Notice by the Surveyor, remove such Nuisances, and take them to their own Use, on Pain of 5*s.* to be levied, &c. And the Surveyors the next Sunday after View of any Annoyances, &c. shall give Notice in the Church after Sermon, and if not removed in thirty Days after, shall in thirty Days remove them, and dispose of them for the Repair of the High-ways, and be reimbursed their Charges as any Justice of Peace shall think fit to allow, on Oath of such Notice, &c. to be levied, &c.

By the *St. 7 & 8 W. 3. 29.* If any be convicted by the Oath of one Witness, or View of a Justice of Peace of an Offence in pulling down, &c. any Post, Stone, or Bank, &c. for securing any Horse or Foot Causeway, he forfeits 20*s.* a Moiety to the Discoverer, and a Moiety for Repair of the High-way, to be levied, &c.

[By *stat. 13 G. 3. c. 78. §. 9.* Whoever lays Stone, Timber, Straw, &c. in High-way, or leaves the Earth of Ditches, so as to obstruct, five Days after Notice, for every Offence forfeits 10*s.*]

[And by *§. 10.* If it is within fifteen Feet of the Centre, and not removed in five Days Notice from the Surveyor, or any Person aggrieved, any Person may take it for his own Use.]

[*§. 11.* Whoever sets Waggon, Cart, Carriage, Plow, or Instrument of Husbandry, in High-way (except to unload) so as to obstruct, forfeits for every Offence 10*s.*]

[*§. 63.* Collector of Tolls on a Bridge shall not keep Alehouse, on Penalty of 5*l.*]

[*§. 64.* Person making Fence on High-way not Turnpike, within fifteen Feet of Centre, or breaking up Soil, or turning Plow or Harrow within fifteen Feet where the Road is formed, and the Breadth marked with Certainty, and is not above thirty Feet, forfeits 40*s.* to Informer; and Surveyor may take down the Fence at Offender's Expence, and one Justice may levy Forfeiture and Expences by Distress.]

[By *stat. 13 G. 3. c. 84. §. 37.* Turnpike Surveyor suffering Rubbish, &c. to lie within ten Feet of the Middle of the Road for four Days, forfeits 40*s.*]

[*§. 38.* Person making Fence within thirty Feet, or breaking Soil, or turning Plow or Harrow within fifteen Feet of Centre of Turnpike-road, forfeits 40*s.* to the Informer; and five Trustees may take down the Fence at Offender's Expence, and one Justice may levy the Expences and Forfeiture on Oath, by Distress.]

(C. 8.)
To enlarge
High-way.

By the *St. Wint. 13 Ed. 1. 5.* High-ways from Market to Market shall be enlarged, and no Bushes, &c. on 200 Feet on one Side, or other.

By the *St. 3 & 4 (or 3) W. & M. 12.* Surveyors shall make the High-way to a Market Town eight Feet wide at least, and, as near as may be, even and level: And no Horse Causeway shall be left less than three Feet wide.

By the *St. 8 & 9 W. 3. 16.* Justices of Peace at the Quarter-Sessions, being five at least, may enlarge any High-way, not taking in above eight Yards, so as not to pull down an House, or take the Ground of a Garden, Orchard, Court, or Yard: And may impanel a Jury to assess on Oath the Damage to the

the Owner, &c. of the Ground taken in, not above twenty-five Years Purchase, and for making a new Ditch, &c. on Payment whereof to the Owner, or leaving it with the Clerk of the Peace, the said Ground shall be the publick Highway.

But the Justices of Peace shall first summon the Owner to appear at the next Quarter-Sessions, and the Owner may cut down within eight Months all Timber, &c. on the Ground so taken in, or, in his Default, the Justices may order the Felling, and account for the same.

And the Owner may appeal to the Judge at the next Affizes, who may affirm, or reverse and give Costs, to be levied by Distress and Sale, &c.

And the Justices of Peace may make a Rate not exceeding 6d. per Pound to pay the Purchase, to be levied, on Non-payment in ten Days after Demand, by Distress and Sale, &c.

And after an Inquisition for inclosing Part of an High-way, on an *Ad quod Damnum*, any may appeal to the next Quarter-Sessions, whose Determination, or the filing and recording the Return of Inquisition by the Clerk of the Peace, if no Appeal, shall be final.

By the same *St. 8 & 9 W. 3. 16.* Justices of Peace at the Special Sessions may order Surveyors to erect Posts, &c. at Cross-ways, who neglecting for three Months, forfeit 10s. to be levied by Distress and Sale, or Warrant of any Justice of Peace, for erecting such Post, &c.

[By *stat. 13 G. 3. c. 78. ff. 15.* Every public Cart-way leading to a Market-town, shall be twenty Feet wide at least, and every public Horse-way or Draft-way of eight Feet at least.]

[*ff. 16, 17, 18.* Two Justices may order Roads to be widened, or diverted and turned, but not to exceed thirty Feet in Breadth, nor to pull down Building, nor take Ground of Garden, Park, Paddock, Court or Yard; Satisfaction to be made by Surveyor under the Direction of the two Justices taking the View; if they cannot agree, the two Justices to certify to the Quarter-Sessions, and on Proof of fourteen Days Notice, they shall impanel a Jury, who shall settle it, but not above forty Years Purchase; and on Payment or Tender, or leaving it with the Clerk of the Peace, if the Owner cannot be found, or refuses to accept, it shall be deemed a High-way. Money may be raised by Assessment by Order of Quarter-Sessions, not exceeding 6d. in the Pound in one Year; the old Road to be stoped up, and the Land sold by the Surveyor, subject to Right of Passage to any House, &c. which cannot be accommodated by the new; but Mines and Minerals are reserved to the former Owner. The Costs shall be borne by Surveyor, if the Verdict is for more Money than he offered; if for less, by the Party refusing to accept it.]

[*ff. 19.* Two Justices may turn a Road with Consent under Hand and Seal of the Owner of the new one; Persons aggrieved may appeal from this, or from Inquisition on *ad quod damnum*, to Quarter-Sessions, who shall finally determine; old Road not to be stoped till new one finished; where a Road has been turned above twelve Months, and no Suit or Prosecution, the new one shall be deemed the Road; Persons liable to repair the old Road are liable to repair the new; and so by *stat. 13 G. 3. c. 84. ff. 63.* as to Turnpike Roads turned.]

[*ff. 20.* Common Land lying between the Fences of the old Road shall not be inclosed; if not common Land, and it exceeds thirty Feet, and is under fifty Feet in Breadth, Satisfaction shall be made to the Owner for what it exceeds thirty Feet; if it exceeds fifty Feet, or lies thro' the open Field of another, the Owner of such adjoining Land shall have the Land of the old High-way, paying the Surveyor for thirty Feet.]

[*ff. 21.* Foot-ways changed, the Damage to be settled by two indifferent Persons, or a third chosen by them.]

[*ff. 22.* Where High-ways are diverted, Justices may stop up unnecessary High-ways, and sell the Soil.]

By the *St. 3 & 4 (or 3) W. & M. 12.* Justices of Peace at the Special Sessions, on Oath of a Sum expended for Materials, &c. or two of them, may by Warrant (C. 9.) To make Rates.

Warrant cause a Rate to be made on the Inhabitants, &c. pursuant to the Poor's Rate, to be levied by Distress and Sale, &c.

And Justices of Peace at the Quarter-Sessions, being satisfied that the Highways cannot be otherwise repaired, may order an Assessment not exceeding 6d. per Pound of Real, and for 20l. of Personal Estate, on the Inhabitants rateable to the Poor, for Repair, &c. which, on Non-payment in ten Days after Demand, shall be levied by Distress and Sale, &c. And the Justices of Peace at any Quarter-Sessions may redress any Person aggrieved.

By the *St. 7 & 8 W. 3. 29.* If a Vill, &c. using to repair its own Ways, after a Rate of 6d. in the Pound, cannot sufficiently repair them, the Justices of Peace at Special Sessions may order the whole Parish to repair.

So by the *St. 1 Geo. 52.* Justices at Quarter-Sessions may order an Assessment, &c. before all the Labourers, &c. have done their Work.

[The Order must shew, that the Statute-labour is not sufficient. *Rex. v. Stroud, T. 6 G. Strange 315.*]

[It must not be on the Occupiers of Land only, for others are equally liable. *Ibid.*]

[Order to make a Rate on other Parishes, because that Parish not sufficient, good; though it does not appear whether it was made before the six Days Work done or not. *Rex v. St. George, M. 12. G. Fort. 327.*]

[By *stat. 13 G. 3. c. 78. §. 16.* Two Justices in case of Agreement, or Quarter-Sessions, may grant 6d. Assessment to pay for enlarging High-ways.]

[§. 30. On Application and Oath of Surveyor, of the Sums expended or wanted for buying Materials, Direction-posts, Bridges, Water-courses, and Salaries, Justices in Special Session may order Assessment not exceeding 6d. in the Pound.]

[§. 45, 46. Quarter or Special Sessions, if satisfied that High-way cannot be amended by Statute-duty, may (on a Week's Notice at Church) grant Assessment for repairing them. But this Assessment, with the former for buying Materials, &c. shall not exceed 9d. in the Pound. (*Nota*, The Assessment for enlarging not included.)]

[§. 48. Surveyor's Duty is to collect Monies within the Year, to keep Books of the Receipt and Expediture, for what, and to whom; of Monies due; of Tools, Materials, &c. provided; and shall produce it, and the Assessments made, at a Parish Meeting, within fifteen Days before Special Session after *Michaelmas*; and carry them to a Justice on a Day to be then agreed on, before said Special Session, and verify it on Oath, if required. Justice may allow Account, or postpone it to Special Sessions, who may allow, on the Articles objected to by the Justice being verified by proper Evidence, or disallow. Accounts allowed or disallowed to be transmitted to Churchwarden or Overseer, to be kept for the Parish. Surveyor to deliver Duplicate, and also all Money, Tools, &c. to new Surveyor, who may recover all Sums due, as the former. Surveyor not providing Books, or not entering Accounts or Lists, or delivering them and Duplicate, forfeits from 5l. to 40s. not paying or accounting for Money remaining, forfeits double. Surveyor dying, his Executor must account, under the same Penalties. Surveyor pays Justices Clerks 1s. for Appointment and Charge, 6d. for Bond, 1s. for Account and Oath. Whoever takes more forfeits 10l.]

[§. 51. Surveyor, for any Neglect of Duty not specified, forfeits from 5l. to 10s. at the Discretion of Justice or Justices having Jurisdiction.]

[§. 68. Assessment not paid ten Days after Demand may be levied by Distress, by Warrant of one Justice; on Default of Distress, the Party committed till Assessment and Costs paid.]

(C. 10.)
To restrain
Carriages.
[This is omitted
in the *St.*
6 Ann 29.]

By the *St. 22 Car. 2. 12.* The Owner of a Waggon, &c. (if not employed for carrying Hay, Straw, Corn [*unthreshed*], or about Husbandry, or for Coals, Chalk, Timber for Shipping, Materials for Building, Stones, Ammunition for the King's Service) travelling in the High-way with above five Horse-Beasts at length, unless by Pairs, shall forfeit for every Offence 40s. a third to the Surveyor, a third to the Poor, a third to the Informer, to be levied by Distress and Sale, &c. on Warrant to the High Constable or other Officer.

By the St. 3 & 4 (or 3) W. & M. 12. The Justices of Peace, at Quarter-Sessions at *Easter* yearly, shall set the Prices of Land-Carriage and certify them to the Mayor, or other Chief Officer of every Market Town; and a Carrier taking more Forfeits to the Party grieved 5*l.* to be levied by two Justices of Peace, by Distress and Sale, &c.

By the St. 7 & 8 W. 3. 29. The Owner of a Waggon, &c. (not employed *ut supra* by the St. 22 Car. 2. 12.) drawn with more than eight Horses, or eight Oxen and an Horse, or six Oxen and two Horses, or six Horses and two Oxen, or four Oxen and four Horses, which shall draw in Pairs in double Shafts, or a Pole between as Coaches, shall forfeit 40*s.* only for every Offence, Two-thirds for the High-way, a Third to the Informer, to be levied by Distress of one of the Horses or Oxen by the Constable, Surveyor or Overseer, and on Non-payment in three Days with Charge, &c. by Sale. And the Penalty shall be levied by Warrant of one Justice, &c. and paid to the Surveyor only, who shall account for it on Oath at the Special Sessions, and pay it only to the Parish where the Offence was. And any Person compounding with or taking of a Waggoner, &c. any Sum of Money by Way of Reward, &c. for any Offence against this Statute, forfeits 40*l.* a Moiety to him who sues, a Moiety for the Repair of the High-way.

By the St. 6 Ann. 29. If above six Horses or Beasts in Length forfeits 5*l.* a Moiety to the Surveyor, a Moiety to the Prosecutor, if an Inhabitant, to be levied, &c.

By the St. 9 Ann. 18. Any Person may seize any or all the Horses or Beasts of the Offender, and deliver them to the Parish Officer, who on Non-payment in three Days, by Warrant of one Justice may sell, &c. *ut supra*.

By the St. 5 Geo. 12. The Owner shall forfeit all Horses, &c. in a Waggon for Hire above six, and in a Cart, &c. above three.

[By Stat. 13 G. 3. c. 78. §. 56, 57.——

Waggons with 9 Inch Wheels to be drawn by 8 Horses

6 Inch rolling 9 Inches 7

6 rolling 6 - - - 6

Less than 6 - - - 5

Carts with 9 Inch Wheels, to be drawn by 5

6 - - - 4

Less than 6 - - - 3

Carriages on 16 Inch Wheels or Rollers, any Number.

For every Horse above the Number, Owner, forfeits 5*l.* Driver not Owner 10*s.* to Informer. Information before Justice must be in three Days, Action in one Month, and Informer must give Notice on the Day the Offence is committed of an Intention to complain. If Offender lives remote, Justice may dismiss Complaint, and leave Informer to his Remedy by Action.]

[§. 58. Michaelmas Quarter-Sessions may license an increased Number of Horses, up Hills, or in Roads not Turnpike.]

[§. 59.] Justices may stop Proceedings, on Oath of credible Witnesses, that a Carriage, by reason of Snow or Ice, could not be drawn by the Number of Horses allowed.]

[Number is not limited for one Stone, Rope, Piece of Metal or Timber, or the King's Artillery or Ammunition;]

[Two Oxen to be considered as one Horse. So also by St. 13 Geo. 3. c. 84. §. 67.]

[By St. 13 Geo. 3. c. 84. Five Trustees of Turnpike may erect Weighing-Engine; and for Weights exceeding the following, for the Carriage and Loading—

| | Summer. Tons Cwt. | Winter. Tons Cwt. |
|--------------------------|----------------------|----------------------|
| Waggon, 16 Inch Rollers, | 8 0 | 7 0 |
| 9 Inch rolling 16 | 6 10 | 6 0 |
| 9 Inch, - - - | 6 0 | 5 10 |
| 6 Inch rolling 11, | 5 10 | 5 0 |
| 6 Inch, - - - | 4 5 | 3 15 |

Waggons

| | Summer. | Winter. |
|---------------------------|-----------|-----------|
| | Tons Cwt. | Tons Cwt. |
| Waggons less than 6 Inch, | 3 10 | 3 0 |
| Cart 9 Inch, | 3 0 | 2 15 |
| 6 Inch, | 2 12 | 2 7 |
| Less than 6, | 1 10 | 1 7 |

From 1st May to last October, Summer; the rest Winter.

| | Cwt. | s. | d. |
|-----------------|------|----|----|
| For not above 2 | 2 | 0 | 3 |
| 5 | 5 | 0 | 6 |
| 10 | 10 | 2 | 6 |
| 15 | 15 | 5 | 0 |
| above 15 | 15 | 20 | 0 |

(This by 14 Geo. 3. c. 82.)

[§. 2. Keeper of Gate at Engines to weigh all loaded Carriages that he has Reason to suspect, on Penalty of 5/.]

[§. 3, 4. Trustee, Creditor, Clerk, Treasurer, or Surveyor, may oblige Carriage to go back 300 Yards to be weighed, tendering 1s. Turning Places to be made within 300 Yards of Engine. List of such Persons at each Engine. Driver refusing to return, forfeits 40s. and any Person may drive Carriage back.]

[§. 6. These Weights extend not to Carriages employed in Husbandry only, or carrying only Manure, Hay, Straw, Fodder, or Corn unthreshed. Where Lime or Manure is allowed to pass Toll-free, or for less Toll, the Carriage and Loading may be weighed, and pay for Over-weight. (And by 14 G. 3. c. 82. they shall not be weighed).]

[§. 7. Quarter-sessions, on Complaint of one Justice, two Creditors, or two Trustees, may summon Clerk, Surveyor, and Treasurer of Turnpike, to shew Cause next Sessions, why Engine should not be erected, and order it to be erected; and Trustees shall erect it forthwith, and Treasurer pay for it out of the Tolls.]

[§. 8. Where two Turnpike Roads meet, they may join for an Engine.]

[§. 9, 25. No Composition for Carriages with Wheels less than six Inches Broad, and unless the Fellies and Tire lie flat.]

[§. 10. Person unloading Goods before they come to the Engine, or loading after they have passed it from Carriage or Horse belonging to or borrowed by the Carrier, to avoid the 20s. per Hundred Weight Toll; or if he shall so unload, in order to carry considerable Quantities of Goods thro' the same Day, and thereby pay less Toll than if they had not been so unladen; on Conviction before one Justice, on Oath of one Witness, Owner forfeits 5/; Driver, not Owner, shall be committed to House of Correction for one Month.]

[§. 11. Driver turning out of Road to avoid Weighing, if Owner, forfeits from 5/ to 20s.; not Owner, 50s. to 10s.]

[§. 13, 14, 15, 16, 18, 19, 20, 21.—]

| | | | | | |
|-------------------------------------|---|---------|-------------------|----|---------|
| Waggons with 9 Inch Wheels may have | 8 | Horses. | And up Hills | 10 | Horses. |
| 6 | 6 | | rising 4 Inches | 7 | |
| Less | 4 | | in a Yard (with | 5 | |
| Carts 9 | 5 | | Permission of | 6 | |
| 6 | 4 | | Trustees and | 5 | |
| Less | 3 | | Quarter-sessions) | 4 | |

[Carriages with 16 Inch Rollers, any Number.]

[In deep Snow and Ice, any Number.]

[On Road where there is weighing Engine, any Number.]

[Horses in 9 Inch Carriages to draw in Pairs, except an odd Horse, or not more than four; for every Offence Owner forfeits 5/ (Driver, not Owner, 20s.) to the Informer. Prosecution before Justice must be commenced in three Days, Action in one Month, and Notice given to the Driver on the Day of the Offence. If Offender lives remote, Justice may dismiss Complaint, and leave Informer to his Remedy by Action.]

[Horses in Carriages with Wheels under nine Inches shall not draw in Pairs, except with six Inch Wheels authorized by Turnpike-Meeting, and Carriages with two Horses only. (Nota, no Penalty here mentioned.)]

[Persons

[Persons acting as Driver with more Horses, or with Carriage not marked, may be carried before one Justice, and forfeits from 5*l.* to 10*s.*]

[§. 59. Justices in *Wales* may augment the Number of Horses at *Michaelmas* Quarter-sessions.]

[§. 17. Taking off Horses, or altering Distance of Wheels before coming to Gate, forfeits 5*l.* before Justice; one Witness.]

[§. 22. Trustees may mitigate high (prohibitive) Tolls as to six Inch wheeled Carriages, so as not to take more than for Waggon drawn by four, and Carts drawn by three Horses. (And by 14 G. 3. c. 82. within ten Miles of *London* may mitigate these Tolls for all Carriages).]

[§. 23.] Trustees, &c. to take one Half more than the Tolls imposed, for narrow wheeled Carriages, and after *Michaelmas* 1776, double Toll.]

[§. 24, 25. No Exemption from Toll by Virtue of former Acts to be claimed, unless for six Inch Wheels, (except for Carriages used in Husbandry only,) and unless the Fellies and Tire lie flat.]

[§. 26. Carriages on sixteen Inch Rollers Toll free for one Year, and by 14 G. 3. c. 82. for five Years, and then pay only Half Toll.]

[§. 27. Chaise-Marine, Coach, Landau, Berlin, Chariot, Chaise, Chair, Calash, Hearse, Carriage with the King's Ammunition or Artillery, Carriage with one Horse or two Oxen, and nine Inch wheeled Carriage, with one Piece of Stone, Metal, Timber or Rope not included]

[§. 28.] Persons taking Advantage of any Exemption fraudulently, forfeit from 5*l.* to 40*s.*]

[§. 29, 30.] Trustees at a Meeting on a Month's Notice may reduce Tolls, with Consent of Five-sixths in Value of the Creditors; and advance the Tolls again.]

[§. 31. Trustees on a Month's Notice may let the Tolls to the best Bidder; if he takes more or less Toll than directed, he forfeits 5*l.* and the Contract: Other Gate-Keeper forfeits 40*s.*]

[§. 34. No Side-gate shall be erected but by nine Trustees, on twenty-one Days Notice; and no Person shall pay at Cross or Side-gate, unless he goes 100 Yards on the Turnpike Road, or (by 14 G. 3. c. 57.) except specified in some former Statute.]

[§. 35. Person subscribing to Turnpike may be sued for Non-payment.]

[§. 51. If Trustees erect Turnpikes contrary to their Power, Quarter-sessions may summarily determine, and order Sheriff to remove them.]

[§. 52, 53. Mortgagee in Possession of Turnpike, shall account on Oath, on fourteen Days Notice, on Pain of 10*l.* to be recovered before one Justice, and applied to the Roads; and if he keeps Possession after he has received what is due, he forfeits double the Surplus received, and treble Costs.]

[§. 54. If Gate-keeper dies, two Trustees may appoint another till next Meeting. Gate-keeper removed, refusing to deliver Possession of House, &c. in two Days, or the Wife of one dead in four Days, one Justice may order Constable to turn them out, and put the new one in Possession.]

[§. 45, 55. Clerks, Treasurers, &c. shall deliver up Accounts and Papers, on ten Days Notice from five Trustees, or forfeit 20*l.* and Gate-keepers Account for Money unaccounted for, on Pain of 5*l.* to be recovered before one Justice.]

[§. 56. Gate-keeper shall not be removed as a Pauper, unless actually chargeable. No Settlement gained by Gate-keeper, or renting Tolls and Residence. Tolls and Toll-House not rateable.]

[§. 57. Gate-keeper suffering Carriage with too many Horses, or without Name, &c. and not informing in a Week, forfeits 40*s.*]

[§. 60. No Toll to be paid for Carriages solely employed in carrying Materials to repair the High-way.]

[§. 66. A Table of Tolls shall be put up at every Turnpike, and Trustees shall see that the Weighing-Engines are in order.]

[§. 69. From *Michaelmas* 1776, the Tire shall be countersunk, so that the Nails shall not rise above the Surface, which shall be quite flat.]

[*St. 16 G. 3. c. 39.* Repeals the Clause in *13 G. 3. c. 84.* relating to counterfinking the Nails: And enacts that six Inch Tire of Wheels not deviating more than one Inch from a flat Surface shall be deemed flat.]

(C. 11.)
To present
Offences.

By the *St. 5 El. 13.* The Surveyor, within a Month after an Offence against the *St. 2 & 3 Pb. & M. 8.* or this Act, shall present it to the next Justice of the Peace on Pain of 40*s.* who shall certify it to the next Quarter-Sessions, on Pain of 5*l.* where the Justices of Peace may inquire and fine for the same, as they think meet.—So by the *St. 22 Car. 2. 12.* within a Month after any Default, &c.

By the *St. 22 Car. 2. 12.* Surveyors and Constables shall put all Acts in Force for the Repair of the High-way in Execution, on Pain of paying if convicted of Neglect before any Justice of Peace by one Witness, or View of the Justice, what the Justice shall impose not exceeding 40*s.* to be levied by Warrant, &c. to the High Constable, &c. by Distress and Sale, &c. for Repair of the High-way.

By the *St. 3 & 4 (or 3) W. & M. 12.* Surveyors, in fourteen Days after Office accepted, and every four Months after, shall view all Roads, Bridges, &c. in the Parish to be repaired by the Parish, and present on Oath the Condition he finds them in, on Pain of 5*l.* unless he be excused by two Justices of Peace. And at the Special Sessions, &c. shall make Presentment on Oath, &c. and shall give Account of what Money received, and how disposed of, and the Residue deliver to the next Surveyors, on Pain of double the Value, to be levied. &c. And the Surveyors, for every Neglect against this Act, shall forfeit 40*s.* to be levied, &c.

So by the *St. 1 Geo. 52.* Surveyors shall view, &c. and give Account in Writing on Oath of the Defects of the High-ways, and of the Neglects of Labourers and of those who ought to find Labourers or Teams, &c. on the same Pain as is for refusing the Office.

[By *stat. 13 G. 3. c. 78. ff. 60.* and *stat. 13 G. 3. c. 84. ff. 68.* Owner's Name and Abode shall be painted in large legible Letters, on conspicuous Part of Waggon, &c. and on Doors of Coaches, &c. let to Hire; and Waggons, &c. travelling Stages, shall have *Common Stage Waggon*; and Person using it without, or painting false Inscription, forfeits 5*l.* to 20*s.*]

[*ff. 61.* and by *stat. 13 G. 3. c. 84. ff. 40.* Driver riding in his Waggon, unless some other on Foot or Horseback to guide, or he has Reins to conduct the Horses, or who by Negligence hurts any Person, or goes on the other Side the Fence, or is so distant that he cannot direct, or by Negligence interrupts the Passage, or Driver of empty Waggon who refuses to make Way for Coach, &c. or loaded Carriage; whoever drives a Coach let for Hire without Name, or refuses to discover Owner's Name, forfeits on Conviction before one Justice, by Confession, View or Oath, 20*s.* if Owner, 10*s.* if not; or Commitment for one Month, or till Payment; and may be apprehended without Warrant, to be carried before Justice; if he refuses to discover his Name, may be committed for three Months, or proceeded against by Description, without Name.]

[*ff. 62.* Two Justices may hold Special Sessions when they please, giving Notice to the other Justices in the Limits.]

(C. 12.)
Presentment
upon View of
a Justice of
Peace.

By the *St. 5 El. 13.* Any Justice of Peace on his own Knowledge may, in the open General Sessions, make Presentment of an High-way out of Repair, or any Offence against this Act, or the *St. 2 & 3 Pb. & M. 8.* which shall have the Effect of a Presentment by twelve Men; and the Justices of Peace at the same Sessions may fine, &c. saving to the Party his Traverse. *Vide 2 Sand. 157. Keels 34.*

[The Presentment of a Justice may be traversed generally. *Rex v. Justices of Wilts, T. 4 G. 3. 3 B. M. 1530.*]

If the Party traverses, he admits it to be an High-way, and that it ought to be repaired, as well as upon an Indictment. *R. 4 Mod. 38. Sbo. 270.*

So he cannot traverse the Want of Repair, for that is determined by the Justices. *R. Keel. 34.*

And if the Jury find upon the Traverse, *that the High-way wants repairing, but that it is not an High-way*, the last Words shall be rejected. *R. 4 Mod.*

And therefore, if the Inhabitants presented ought not to repair, they should plead, *Reparare non debent.* *4 Mod. 38.*

[By *stat. 13 G. 3. c. 78. ff. 24.* Justices of Assize, of Counties Palatine, and of Grand Sessions of *Wales*, on View, and Justice of Peace, on View or Information on Oath of Surveyor, may present High-way Causeway or Bridge, not in Repair, or any Offence against this Act. Traverse saved. Offenders may be fined. Quarter-Sessions may order Prosecution at Expence of the Limit.]

[*ff. 25.* Justices in Special Sessions may order what Road shall be first repaired, and how.]

[*ff. 26.* They may order Direction-posts where several Roads meet, and graduated and Direction-posts at Waters; and so by *stat. 13 G. 3. c. 84. ff. 41.* may the Trustees on Turnpike-roads; and also order Mile-stones; and if Surveyor neglects to erect or repair for three Months, he forfeits 20 s.]

By the *St. 2 & 3 Ph. & M. 8.* and the *St. 5 El. 13.* Fines, assessed at the Quarter-Sessions for Offences against those Acts, shall be estreated by the Clerk of the Peace, who shall deliver one Part of the Estreats indented to the Constable and Churchwardens of the Parish, the other to the High Constable, who shall levy the same by Distress for the Repair of the High-ways, and if no Distress, or he pay not in twenty Days, he shall pay double. (C. 13.)
Remedy for Fines, &c.

And the High Constable shall yearly account, on Pain of 40 s. and the Constable and Churchwardens may call him or their Predecessors to account before two Justices of Peace, who may commit till the Arrears are paid, allowing 8 d. in the Pound for Collection, and 12 d. to the Clerk of the Peace.

By the *St. 18 El. 10.* Fines for any Offence against this Act shall be levied by Distress and Sale, as Fines and Amerciaments in Leets, of which the Justices of Peace at Sessions, and the Stewards of Leet, shall have Cognisance.

By the *St. 22 Car. 2. 12.* Any convicted of resisting Execution, or rescuing Distress, &c. shall forfeit 40 s. and on Non-payment in seven Days, shall be committed to Gaol by any Justice of Peace near, till Payment, for Repair of the High-way.

All Presentments shall be in the County where the High-way lies.

By the *St. 3 & 4 (or 3) W. & M. 12.* No Fine, shall be returned into the Exchequer, but paid to the Surveyor for Repair of the High-way. And if a Fine imposed on a Parish be levied on one or more Inhabitants, on Complaint, two Justices of Peace at special Sessions may cause a Rate for reimbursing him, which being confirmed by two Justices of Peace, the Surveyor may collect and levy within a Month and pay to him.

And none shall be punished by this Act, unless prosecuted in six Months after Offence. And all Offences shall be determined in the County.

By the *St. 1 Geo. 52.* If any Fine, &c. be misapplied by any, he shall forfeit 5 l. to him who informs thereof, to be levied by Distress and Sale, &c.

And the Surveyor for Neglect of Duty by this Act, shall forfeit 40 s. to be levied and disposed *ut supra.*

If the Defendant upon an Indictment be fined, he shall not be thereby discharged, but a *Disfringas* goes in *infinitum*, till the Way be repaired. *R. 1 Sal.*

But where a Contract is made for Performance of that which the Justices have ordered, in the Removal of Filth, &c. the Justices cannot compel a Performance of the Contract, but the Order for it shall be void. *R. Ray. 433.*

So, notwithstanding these Statutes, a Man may be amerced in a Leet for not scouring a Ditch in an High-way. *R. Ray. 250.*

[By *stat. 13 G. 3. c. 78. ff. 47.* No Fine, &c. for not repairing High-way, and not appearing to Indictment, shall be returned into Exchequer, but paid to

to such Person near the High-way as Court imposing Fine shall direct, to be applied in Repair; not accounting, to forfeit double. Fine imposed on Parish, levied on one or more Persons, Special Sessions may order Assessment to reimburse, &c.]

[§. 53. and by *stat.* 13 G. 3. c. 84. §. 39. Persons damaging Banks, Bridges, Posts, &c. forfeit on Conviction by one Justice, by one Witness, or View of Justice, from 5 *l.* to 10 *s.* or be committed to hard Labour, from one Month to seven Days.]

[§. 54. Justices of Corporations to act within their Jurisdictions.]

[§. 65. On Indictment or Presentment, the Court may order either Party to pay Costs.]

[§. 66. If Parish-meeting agree to prosecute or defend, the Surveyor may charge the Expences agreed to at a Meeting, or allowed by a Justice, in his Account.]

[§. 67. Notice of Parish-meeting must be given in Church the Sunday preceeding, and in Writing fixed on the Doors three Days before the Meeting.]

[§. 69. Surveyor is a competent Witness in all Cases.]

[§. 70. The Terms in the Schedule to be used with necessary Variations only, and no Objection taken for Want of Form; and so by 13 G. 3. c. 84. §. 72.]

[§. 72. Persons resisting Execution of this Act, rescuing Distress, or Constable not obeying Warrant, forfeit from 10 *l.* to 40 *s.* or to be committed for three Months, or till Payment. So by *stat.* 13 G. 3. c. 84. §. 75.]

[§. 73. Penalties and Forfeitures, and Costs and Charges, (not otherwise directed) to be levied by Distress, half to the Informer, half to Surveyor for Repair; if Surveyor Informer, all for Repair: For Want of Distress, Party to be committed for three Months, or till Payment. If Offender lives in another Jurisdiction, any Justice where he lives, may, on Copy of Conviction or Order proved on Oath, grant Distress, or commit as aforesaid. So by 13 G. 3. c. 84. §. 76, 78.]

[§. 74. No Person to be distrained till six Days after he is served with the Order. So by *stat.* 13 G. 3. c. 84. §. 77.]

[§. 75. Prosecutor, if the Penalty is 40 *s.* may proceed before a Justice, or by Action; if he recovers, shall have double Costs. So by *stat.* 13 G. 3. c. 84. §. 79.]

[§. 76. Only one Recovery for the same Offence. Ten Days Notice of Action; Action must be commenced in a Month. So by *stat.* 13 G. 3. c. 84. §. 79.]

[§. 77. No Conviction but on Confession, Oath of one Witness, or View of Justice in Cases mentioned. An Inhabitant is a competent Witness; so by *St.* 13 G. 3. c. 84. §. 74. and Justice may act, tho' a Creditor or Trustee.]

[§. 78. Justice may administer Oath to any Person for better Discovery and Execution. By *St.* 13 G. 3. c. 84. §. 84. Justice or Trustee may administer Oath.]

[§. 79, 80. Distress shall not be unlawful, nor the Parties Trespassers, for want of Form, nor the Parties distraining; Trespassers *ab initio*, for subsequent Irregularity; but Party aggrieved may recover Satisfaction for the special Damage by Action, but not if Tender of Amends is made before Action brought; if no Tender, Defendant may before Issue joined, pay Money into Court. So by *St.* 13 Geo. 3. c. 84. §. 80, 81.]

[§. 81. Any Person aggrieved may appeal to any Quarter-session, giving Notice six Days after Cause of Complaint, entering into Recognizance in four Days after Notice, to try it, and abide Order. Justice, on such Notice, to Return all Proceedings to Quarter-session, under Penalty of 5 *l.* Quarter-session to determine finally, and award Costs to either Party. Proceedings not to be quashed for want of Form, or removed by *Certiorari*. No Appeal from Conviction, unless the Party for Penalty or Forfeiture shall at the Time, if present, if not, in six Days, give Notice, and enter into Recognizance. So by *St.* 13 G. 3. c. 84. §. 82, 83.]

[§. 82. Action for any Thing done in pursuance of this Act, must be prosecuted in three Months, and in the County where Fact committed; Defendant may

may plead general Issue, and give Act and special Matter in Evidence; and, on Verdict for him, Nonsuit, &c. treble Damages. So by *St. 13 G. 3. c. 84. §. 85.* And the Action may be brought in the County where the Defendant resides.]

By *St. 13 G. 3. c. 84. §. 33.* If Turnpike-Road is indicted, the Court may proportion the Fine between the Inhabitants and the Turnpike.]

§. 42, 43. Person destroying Turnpike, or any Part of it, or any Bar, &c. erected to prevent passing without paying Toll, or any Weighing-Engine, or rescuing Offenders, are guilty of Felony, and may be transported for seven Years, or imprisoned for three Years, and may be tried in any adjacent County; and the Damage shall be made good by the Hundred; but if the Offender is convicted in twelve Months, they shall be repaid.]

[§. 47. Five Trustees may direct Indictments for Nuisances at the Expence of the Turnpike; but not unless upon the Confession of Offender, or that a Witness can be had.]

[§. 48. Information to favour Offender is fraudulent, and a Justice may proceed, as if there had been none.]

[§. 64. In Action by or against Trustee, the Act or Copy of Order of his Appointment, and Evidence of his acting, shall be Proof of his being Trustee.]

[§. 73. Constable, &c. refusing or neglecting to execute, act, or to deliver a Penalty, and Surveyor, &c. neglecting for one Week after the Offence to inform, forfeit 10*l.*]

By the *St. 22 Car. 2. 12.* Justices of Peace at Sessions may inquire of the Value of Lands given for Repair of the High-way, and order Improvement and Employment according to the Will of the Donor, unless given to a College or Hall of an University, which hath a Visitor of its own. (C. 14.)

[By *St. 13 G. 3. c. 78. §. 52.* Justices in Session may inquire of Lands given to repair Highways, and order Improvement according to Will of Donor, if Persons intrusted are faulty; except the Lands are given to a College, &c. which has a Visitor.]

Justices of Peace may inquire of a Charity for Repair of an High-way.

(D) Private Way.

(D. 1.) What shall be.

A Private Way is such as goes to a Church, House, Vill, or Close; and is not common for all the King's Subjects. *Per Hale, 1 Vent. 189. Vide Ante, (A. 1.)*

So it may be from a Meadow, or Close, to a Street. 20 *Aff. 18.*

Or, to an High-way.

So it may be from one Part of a Close, across the Ground of another, to another Part of the same Land. *Mod. Ca. 3.*

So it may be through or across the High-way to such a Close. *R. Noy 9.*

But a Man cannot have a Way from one Part of the Land of another to another Part. *R. Mod. Ca. 3.*

(D. 2.) How claimed.

A private Way may be claimed by Prescription, Reservation, or Grant, or for Necessity. *Mod. Ca. 3.*

If a Man prescribes for a Way, which is now plowed up by the Plaintiff who assigned instead of it a new Way, which hath been used *abinde*, it shall be a good Excuse for using the new Way. *R. per 3 J. Yel. 142. 1 Brownl. 212.*

A Man may prescribe for a Way to a Church, Market, &c. thro' the Close of another. *Bro. Chimin 2.*

But it is not good, if he prescribes for a Passage; for that does not import a Way by Land, but a Way by Water. *R. Yel. 163. 1 Brownl. 216.*

(D. 2.)
By Prescription.

If he says, that the Way is Appendant or Appurtenant; for it is not an Interest, but an Easement. *R. Yel. 159.*

If he does not say *a quo termino ad quem* the Way goes. *R. Yel. 164. 1 Brown. l. 6, 216. R. Mod. Ca. 3. Bro. Chimin. 6.*

And that the Way is for Men, Horses, or Carriages. *R. Yel. 164. 1 Brownl. 216.*

For, if he claims *Viam equestrem & pedestrem* for Carriages, without saying, and for Carriages, it is not well. *3 Leo. 13.*

If he says that the Way goes from *B.* to a Rectory; for the *Terminus ad quem* is uncertain. *R. 2 Leo. 10.*

That it goes from *B.* to a Close adjoining to a Messuage in *B.* without saying in what Parish the Close was; for, tho' the Messuage was in *B.* perhaps the Close adjoining was not. *R. Lut. 1528.*

That it goes *de quadam pecia Terræ cont. 4 Acras*; for *pecia Terræ* is uncertain. *R. after Verdict. Lut. 124.*

So, if he says, that he is seised of *B.* and has a Way through the Close of the Plaintiff to the *Thames*; for he ought to say, that he has a Way from *B.* through the Close of the Plaintiff to the *Thames*. *R. Mod. Ca. 3.*

But if he prescribes for a Way from *A.* through a Close in *B.* to the Town of *B.* or to *B.* it will be well; for the Town of *B.* shall be intended the Place where the Houses continue. *R. Lut. 1508.*

So, if a Lessee prescribes for a Way, he ought to make a good Title to himself from his Lessor; and therefore, if he pleads a Lease to him *Habendum a die Dat. Ind. prædict.* it shall be bad; for if it was by Indenture, it ought to be so pleaded. *R. Lut. 1528.*

But a Man, who prescribes for a Way through the Close of *B.* need not say how many Acres it contains. *Bro. Chimin. 6.*

(D. 3.)
By Grant.

So a Man may claim a Way by Grant; as, if *A.* grants that *B.* shall have a Way through such a Close.

So, if *A.* covenants that *B.* shall enjoy such a Way, it amounts to a Grant. *R. 3 Lev. 305.*

If a Man seised of *Blackacre* and *Whiteacre*, uses a Way through *Whiteacre* to *Blackacre*, and afterwards grants *Blackacre*, with all Ways, &c. this Way thro' *Whiteacre* shall pass to the Grantee. *Mod. Ca. 3.*

So, if seised of two Acres to which a Way is appurtenant, he grants one Acre, with all Ways, &c. the Way shall be granted. *Ibid.*

So, if a Way be appurtenant to Land, by a Lease of the Land the Way passes to the Lessee, without an express Grant. *Per 3 J. 2 Cro. 190.*

So, if a Way be of Necessity, the Grantee of the Land shall have it without a Grant of the Way: As, if a Man enfeoffs another of Land, which was encompassed by his other Land, the Feoffee shall have a Way over the other Land, without any Grant. *R. 2 Cro. 170. R. Mod. Ca. 4.*

So if there be not another Way convenient. *R. 2 Cro. 170. 2 Rol. 60. l. 20.*

But if a Man bargains and sells Land with a Way to it, the Way does not pass; for the Bargain and Sale conveys only an Use, and there cannot be an Use of a Way created *de novo*. *R. 2 Cro. 190.*

(D. 4.)
For Necessity.

So, if a Man has Land, surrounded by the Lands of another he shall have a Way thro' the Land of the other, for the Necessity. *R. Mod. Ca. 3. Vide Ante, (D. 3.)*

So, if a Man has Title to a Wreck, he has a Right to have a Way over the Land of another where the Wreck lies, to take it, of Necessity. *R. Mod. Ca. 149.*

A Man, who uses Navigation, has a Right to a Way over the Land next the River where he navigates, if there be Occasion. *Mod. Ca. 163.*

A Way of Necessity shall not be lost by Unity of Possession. *R. Lut. 1489.*
But

But, where a Way is claimed for Necessity, it will be a good Plea, that the Plaintiff has another Way. *R. Mod. Ca. 4.*
 Otherwise, where claimed by Grant, or Prescription. *Mod. Ca. 4.*

(D. 5.) How it shall be used.

If a Man, upon a Lease to *A.* for Years, reserves a Way to himself thro' the House of the Lessee, to a Back-house; he cannot use it but at seasonable Times, and upon Request. *D. 1 Vent. 48.*

So, if a Feoffor grants to a Feoffee a Way across his Backside to a House and back again, he cannot use it to another Place. *R. 1 Rol. 391. l. 20.*

So, if he grants a Way from *D.* to *Blackacre*, and the Feoffee afterwards purchases Lands adjoining to *Blackacre*; he cannot justify the Using the Way to those Lands. *R. 1 Rol. 391. l. 50. R. 1 Mod. 190.*

And therefore, in Trespass if the Defendant justifies for a Way to *Blackacre*, the Plaintiff in his Replication may shew the special Matter, that he used the Way to Lands adjoining to *Blackacre*. *1 Rol. 391. l. 50. R. Lut. 113, 4.*

But if the Plaintiff replies, that the Defendant used the Way to *Blackacre*, and thence to the other Lands, it is bad. *R. 1 Rol. 391. l. 40.*

But if *A.* has a Way thro' the Land of *B.* who plows up the Soil where the Way was used, and leaves another Part of the same Close for a Way; *A.* may use the antient Track, and need not go where the Way is assigned *de novo* *R. Noy 128.*

(D. 6.) By whom it shall be repaired.

The Grantee of a Way has Power to amend it, as Incident. *Godb. 53. Semb. 1 Sand. 323.*

But if a Man grants a Way thro' his Close to another, the Grantor is not bound to keep it in Repair, if it be foundrous. *1 Sand. 322.*

If a Man be bound by Prescription to the Repair of a Way, he need not keep it in better Repair than it always was. *Mod. Ca. 163. 1 Sal. 358.*

But if it be impassable, a Passenger may break the Fence, and go *extra Viam* as much as is necessary, to avoid the bad Way. *Jon. 296, 7.*

(D. 7.) Remedy for not repairing it.

If a common Way to a Church, Vill, &c. be out of Repair, he who ought to repair it may be indicted for it. *Mod. Ca. 163.*

And if he be convicted upon the Indictment, the Court will not set the Fine till the Justices of Peace certify, that it is well repaired. *Mod. Ca. 163.*

And if he be fined before the Way be repaired, yet a *Distringas in Infinitum* shall afterwards go against the Party till the Sheriff certify, that the Way is in good Repair. *Per Holt, Mod. Ca. 163.*

(D. 8.) Obstruction.

If a private Way be obstructed, an Action on the Case lies. *Vide Action upon the Case, (A. 2.)*

If he, who has the Way, has a Freehold, and also he, who has the Land in which, &c. an Affize lies. *R. 3 Leo. 13.*

And it is sufficient to say, *quod obstruxit*, or, *obstupavit*, generally, without saying, how, *viz.* by a Ditch, Fence, &c. *R. 3 Leo. 13.*

If a Way be thro' the Yard of another, who erects a Gate to his Yard, he who uses the Way may justify the Breaking of the Gate so erected, thro' which he could not pass, without saying, that it was locked. *R. upon Demurrer, 3 Lev. 92.*

C H I V A L R Y.*Vide Courts, (E. 1. &c.)—Guardian, (A.)—Waste, (F. 1.)***C H O S E I N A C T I O N.***Vide Assignment, (C. 1.)—Grant, (D.)***C H U R C H.***Vide Advowson.—Dismes, (E. 1.)—Esglise, per Totum.—Prohibition, (F. 3.—G. 2, 5.)—Quare Impedit, (A.)***Freehold of the Church.***Vide Esglise, (G. 1.)***Parish Church.***Vide Esglise, (C.)***Repairs and Ornaments of a Church.***Vide Esglise, (G. 2.)—Prohibition, (G. 2.)***Seats in a Church.***Vide Action upon the Case for a Disturbance, (A. 3.)—Esglise, (G. 3.)***Churchwardens.***Vide Esglise, (F. 1, 2, 3.)***Church-Yard.***Vide Cemetery, (A. 1, &c.)—Esglise, (E.)—Prohibition, (G. 3.)***C I N Q U E - P O R T S.***Vide Abatement, (D. 3, 5.—Franchises, (E. 1, &c.)***C I R C U I T Y of A C T I O N.***Vide Action, (H.)***C I T I Z E N.***Vide Burrough, (B. 2.)—Parliament, (D. 6.)***C I T Y.***Vide Burrough, (B. 1.)—Courts, (O. 1, &c.—P. 1, &c.)—Parliament, (D. 12.)*

C I V I L L A W.

Vide Canons.

C L A I M.

(A. 1.) Continual Claim.

IF a Disseisee, or any one, who has Title to enter into the Possession of another, makes continual Claim, his Entry shall not be taken away by a Descent afterwards from the Disseisor, or other Tenant of the Land. *Co. L. 250.*

So the Dying seised of the Feoffee, or other who has Title, as well as of the Disseisor, and a Descent to his Heir, does not take away the Entry of him who makes continual Claim. *Co. L. 251. a.*

Continual Claim is of the same Effect as an Entry; and the Continuance in Possession of the Disseisor is a new Disseisin *toties quoties*. *Lit. S. 429, 430.*

And if he in Possession had only an Estate-tail before, he has now a Fee-simple by Disseisin. *Lit. S. 429.*

(A. 2.) How it shall be made.

A Man, who makes continual Claim to prevent a Descent, ought to go to the Land or Parcel of it, if he dare. *Lit. S. 421.* And make his Claim upon the Land. *R. Mod. Ca. 44.*

And if he dare not, for fear of Death, Battery, or Mayhem, he ought to go as near to the Land as he dare, to make his Claim. *Lit. S. 421.*

Or, for fear of Imprisonment. *Co. L. 253. b.*

(A. 3.) By whom.

Continual Claim ought to be made by him who has Title to enter. *Lit. S. 416.* *Vide Forfeiture, (A. 6, 7.)—Vide Post, (B. 2.)—Vide Condition, (G. 1.)*

And therefore, if Tenant for Life, Remainder in Fee, be disseised, Claim ought to be made by him in Remainder. *Ibid.*

If he has Right of Entry, tho' he has no Title to the Profits immediately, he may make continual Claim: As, if Lessee for Years, or Tenant by Statute Merchant, Staple, &c. be ousted, and the Reversioner disseised, he in Reversion may make continual Claim, tho' he is not entitled to the present Profits. *Co. L. 250. b.*

So continual Claim by Tenant for Life is sufficient for him in Reversion or Remainder. *Lit. S. 416.*

If continual Claim be made by *A.* and then the Disseisor or his Feoffee dies seised, and the Land descends, and then *A.* dies; his Heir, upon this Claim, may enter. *Co. Lit. 250. b.*

So, if a Person who has Right of Entry commands his Servant to make Claim, and the Servant comes to the Land, and makes the Claim, it is sufficient. *Lit. S. 433.*

So, if the Master dare not go nearer the Land than *D.* and commands his Servant to go to *D.* and make Claim, and the Servant does, it is sufficient. *Ibid.*

So, if a Recluse, a Man languishing, or decrepid, commands his Servant to make Claim, and the Servant goes as near as he dare, for fear of Death, &c. and makes Claim, it is sufficient. *Lit. S. 434.*

Otherwise, if the Master was of good Health; for he did not do all that his Master dared do. *Lit. S.* 435.

(A. 4.) At what Time.

Vide Post,
(B 3)

By the Common Law continual Claim did not avail, unless it was within a Year and a Day inclusive before the Dying seised. *Co. L.* 255.

But it was sufficient if Claim was once made within the Year and Day before the Dying seised, tho' the Disseisor had Possession for twenty or forty Years after the Disseisin. *Lit. S.* 427.

And tho' after the Claim made, the Disseisor enfeoffed a Stranger, who died seised within the Year and Day, but before any new Claim. *Lit. S.* 425.

Yet by the *St.* 32 *H.* 8. 33. If a Disseisor dies seised within five Years after the Disseisin, the Entry of him who has Right is not taken away, tho' he did not make continual Claim.

But, if he survives the five Years, continual Claim ought to be made, as at Common Law. *Co. L.* 256. *a.*

When a Descent shall toll an Entry, unless it be avoided by continual Claim, *Vide in Descent*, (D. 1, &c.)

What shall be a Disclaimer, and the Effect of it, *Vide Disclaimer*, (A.—B.)

(B) Claim to avoid a Fine.

(B. 1.) How it may be made.

BY the Common Law, a Fine might be avoided by the Entry of his Claim upon Record under the Foot of the Fine (which is now taken away) by a *Præcipe quod reddat*, brought of the Land, by Entry or continual Claim. 2 *Inff.* 518. 2 *Leo.* 53. *Pl. Com.* 358. *b.*

But by the *St.* 4 *H.* 7. it must be by lawful Action or Entry.

And therefore, a Man may avoid a Fine by an Action commenced within five Years after his Right accrues.

And it is sufficient, that the Action be commenced within Time, tho' he has not Judgment or Execution till seven Years, or after. *Pl. Com.* 358. *b.*

So a Man may avoid a Fine by actual Entry, where his Entry is not taken away.

By a Claim to be Heir, at the Gate; if at the same Time he enters upon the Land, or House, tho' he does not make his Claim there. *Skin.* 412.

So, by his Claim among his Neighbours, as near the Land as he can, when he dare not enter, and his Entry was congeable. *Pl. Com.* 358. *b.* *Vide Ante*, (A. 2.)

But if an Action was commenced, and afterwards discontinued, that does not amount to a Claim to avoid a Fine. *D.* 1 *Vent.* 45. *R. Dal.* 107.

Nor an Entry of his Claim upon Record *sub pede Finis*. *R.* 4 *Leo.* 104.

So the Delivery of a Declaration in Ejectment does not amount to an Entry. *R.* 1 *Sand.* 319. 1 *Mod.* 10. 1 *Vent.* 42.

Tho' the Defendant afterwards appears upon it, and confesses Lease, Entry, and Ouster. *R.* 1 *Sand.* 319. 1 *Vent.* 42.

[There must be an actual Entry to avoid a Fine; and if the Demise is laid before the Time of that Entry, an Ejectment cannot be maintained. *By all the Judges in Parliament. Barrington v. Parkhurst*, *H.* 11 *G.* 2. *Str.* 1086. *Andr.* 125.]

[But if the actual Entry is before the Fine, and the Demise laid after the Entry and before the Fine, it is good, though the Ejectment was brought after the Fine. *Musgrave v. Shelly*, *P.* 21 *G.* 2. 1 *Wils.* 214.]

So a Bill in *Chancery* is not sufficient to avoid a Fine. *Dal.* 116.

So an Entry by *Cestuy que Trust*, without a *Subpæna*, is not sufficient to avoid a Fine, as to the Trust. *Ca. Ch.* 268, 278.

And no Claim or other Act can be sufficient to avoid a Fine, as to a Trust, but a *Subpœna*. *Ca. Ch.* 278. 2 *Ca. Ch.* 126.

So an Entry is not sufficient to avoid it, where the Fine makes a Discontinuance; for it ought to be by Action. 1 *Ver.* 213.

So by the *St.* 4 & 5 *Ann.* 16. No Claim, or Entry, of or upon any Lands, &c. shall be of Force to avoid any Fine levied, or to be levied with Proclamations in *C. B.* County Palatine, or Grand Sessions of *Wales*, unless upon such Entry, or Claim, an Action shall be commenced within one Year after, and prosecuted with Effect.

[Actual Entry is not necessary to avoid a Fine, without Proclamations. *Jenkins v. Pritchard*, *H.* 30 *G.* 2. 2 *Wilf.* 45.]

So an Entry into Land not comprized in the Fine, claiming that which was comprized, is not sufficient. *Hard.* 400.

Nor is an Entry in Land in one County, claiming Land in another, sufficient for the Land in the other County. *Hard.* 401.

Nor a Claim at a Gate in the Street, without Entry upon the House, or Land. *Skin.* 412.

Chancery will not supply a Defect in an Entry to avoid a Fine. *Ca. Ch.* 278.

(B. 2.) By whom.

A Claim to avoid a Fine may be made by him who has a present Right. *Pl. Com.* 359. a. *Vide Ante*, (A. 3.)—

So, if a Stranger, of his own Head, enters to avoid a Fine, and he who has the Right assents afterwards within five Years, it is sufficient. *Co. Lit.* 245. a. *Condition*, (G. 1.)

So, if one avoids a Fine by Entry or Claim, it shall be avoided as to all others. *Pl. Com.* 358. b.

But an Entry by a Stranger to avoid a Fine, without the Assent of the Party, precedent, or subsequent, is not sufficient. *Ca. L.* 245. a. *R.* 9 *Co.* 106. a. *R. Cro. El.* 561.

So an Entry by a Stranger, for a Condition broken, does not avail without an express Assent. *R.* 2 *Cro.* 57.

So an Entry by him in a remote Reversion, or Remainder does not avail; for it ought to be by him who had the present Right. *Pl. Com.* 359. a.

(B. 3.) At what Time.

An Entry, Action, or Claim to avoid a Fine, by the Common Law, ought to be made within a Year and a Day. *Pl. Com.* 357, 358.

But by the *St. de Donis*, 13 *Ed.* 1. The Issue in Tail, or he in Reversion, *neesse non habet opponere Clameum*; for, as to him, the Fine *ipso Jure est nullus*.

Yet the Fine of Tenant in Tail makes Discontinuance, which ought to be avoided by *Formedon* by the Issue, or him in Remainder or Reversion.

So an Infant, a Man of nonsane Memory, in Prison, or out of the Realm, was not bound to make Claim within the Year and Day. *Pl. Com.* 359. b.

And not being bound to make Claim, a Non-claim, by the Common Law, does not prejudice them for ever. *Pl. Com.* 360. a.

So, if a Man of full Age, &c. who ought to make Claim, dies within the Year; his Heir within Age, &c. was exempted for ever. *Pl. Com.* 360. *Cont. ibidem* 371, 2.

So by the *St.* 34 *Ed.* 3. 16. Non-Claim was ousted as to all Persons.

For more of Title Claim, *Vide Condition*, (O. 5.)—*Fine*, (K. 1, 2.)—*Forfeiture*, (A. 4.)—*Franchises*, (A. 1, 2.)—*Officer*, (E. 6.)—*Release*, (E. 2.)

C L E R G Y.*Vide Appeal, (G. 9.)—Justices, (Y. 1, &c.)***C L E R K.****Six Clerks.***Vide Chancery, (B. 7.)***County Clerk.***Vide Viscount, (B. 2.)—County.***Clerk of the Market.***Vide Market, (H.)***Clerk of the Peace.***Vide Justices of Peace, (D. 5.)***Clerk of the Pipe.***Vide Courts, (D. 13.)***Ignorance, or Disposition of the Clerk:***Vide Amendment, (D. 1, 9.—E. 1, 2.—G. 2.—H. 3.—T. 1, &c.—V. 1, &c.)
and many other Places in the same Title.***C O D I C I L.***Vide Devise, (D. 3.)***C O I N, and C O I N A G E.***Vide Justices, (K. 7.)—Money, per Totum.—Prærogative, (D. 39.)***C O L L O Q U I U M.***Vide Action upon the Case for Defamation, (G. 7, 8, &c.)***C O L L U S I O N.***Vide Covin.***C O L O U R.***Vide Pleader, (3 M. 40, 41.)*

C O M M A N D.**Command of Forces.***Vide Prærogative, (C. 3.)***C O M M E N C E M E N T.****Commencement of a Lease.***Vide Estates, (G. 8, 9.)***Commencement of Parliament.***Vide Parliament, (E. 1.)***Commencement of Terms.***Vide Temps, (C. 1, &c.)***C O M M E N D A M.***Vide Prærogative, (D. 18, &c.)***COMMISSION and COMMISSIONERS.****Commission to take an Answer.***Vide Chancery, (K. 3.)***Commission of Array.***Vide War, (B. 3.)***Commission, and Commissioners of Bankruptcy.***Vide Bankrupt, (D. 1, &c.)***Commission for Examination of Witnesses.***Vide Chancery, (P. 2, &c.)***Commissioners of the Great Seal.***Vide Chancery, (B. 1.)***Commission of Justices.***Vide Justices, C. 2. G. 1.)—Prærogative, (D. 29.)***Commission of Partition.***Vide Parcener, (C. 10.)***Commission of the Peace.***Vide Justices of Peace, (A. 6, &c.)*

Commission of Rebellion.

Vide Chancery, (D. 5.)

Commission for Review.

Vide Prærogative, (D. 16.)

Commission, and Commissioners of Sewers.

Vide Sewers.

Commission for Visitation.

Vide Visitor, (A. 3.)

Commission, and Commissioners of Charitable Uses.

Vide Uses, (N. 14, &c.)

COMMITTEE.

Vide Parliament, (E. 6, &c.)

COMMON.

(A) Common.

COMMON imports a Privilege to take a Profit in Common with many.
Co. L. 122. a.

And a Man may have Common of Pasture, Turbary, or Piscary. *F.N.B. 180. L.*

So Common of Estovers in a Wood, Minerals, &c. *Co. L. 122. a.*

Common is incident to the Land to which it is appendant; and tho' it is to be taken in another Parish, it shall be charged, &c. where the Land lies. *1 Sal. 169.*

[Lands which are stinted for five Months, and open for seven, and enjoyed with the other Common, is Part of the Waste and Common of the Manor, and is included in a Reservation of the Waste, and all Mines in it. *Gibson v. Smith, P. 1741. 2 Atkyns 182.*]

(B) Appendant.

THERE are four Kinds of Common of Pasture; *Appendant, Appurtenant, Common in Gross,* and *Common pur Cause de Vicinage.* *Co. L. 122. a.*

Common Appendant ought to be Time whereof, &c. *1 Rol. 396. l. 40.*

For it cannot begin at this Day. *1 Rol. 396. l. 42. 26 H. 8. 4. a.*

Common Appendant is of Common Right. *1 Rol. 396. l. 44.*

For if a Man had enfeoffed others, before the Statute of *Quia Emptores terrarum*, of Lands, Parcel of his Manor, the Feoffees should have Common, for their commonable Cattle, within the Wastes, &c. of the Lord, as incident to their Feoffment. *2 Inst. 85, 6. Per 2 J. 1 Rol. 396. l. 45. 4 Co. 37.*

Common Appendant shall be for the whole Year.

Or, for a Time limited; as, for the whole Year, except when the Lord depastures his Cattle. 1 Rol. 396. l. 49.

For the whole Time after Severance, until the Land be sown again. 1 Rol. 397. l. 8.

And in such Case, if only Part be sown again, the Common continues in the Residue.

For the Time after the Hay removed, till *Candlemas*. 1 Rol. 397. l. 10.

From such a Day to such a Day. 1 Rol. 397. l. 12.

As long as he inhabits such a House, or pays so much. 1 Rol. 397. l. 5.

For the Time after Severance, till the re-sowing every two Years, and for the whole Year every third Year. 1 Rol. 397. l. 19.

Until the Re-sowing with the Assent of the Commoners. R. 1 Leo. 73.

Common shall be Appendant to Arable Land, not to a House. 1 Rol. 397. l. 28, 29.

Nor to a Meadow, &c. nor any other than Arable Land. 26 H. 8. 4. a. 4 Co. 37. b. 1 Rol. 397. l. 29.

Vide Appendant and Appurtenant, (B. 3.)

Nor to Lands improved out of the Waste, within Time of Memory. 1 Rol. 397. l. 31.

Yet if a Man prescribes for Common appendant to a House, Cottage, &c. it will be well, for it has a Curtilage, &c. R. 1 Sal. 169. R. 2 Jon. 227.

And it may be appendant to a Manor, Carue of Land, &c. which comprehend a House, Meadow, &c. but it shall be intended appendant only to the Arable in it. R. 4 Co. 37. b.

So, if the Arable be converted to Pasture, the Common remains. 4 Co. 37.

Common Appendant shall be only for Beasts of the Plough, which till the Land; as Horses, Oxen, &c. or for Cattle which compost the Land; as Cows and Sheep. 1 Rol. 397. l. 38. 4 Co. 37. a.

And therefore, if a Man prescribes for Common Appendant for all Cattle, it will be bad; for that extends to Swine, Goats, Geese, &c. 1 Rol. 397. l. 43.

But, regularly, the Cattle for which Common Appendant is claimed, ought to be *levant* and *couchant* upon the Tenements to which, &c. 1 Rol. 398. l. 1.

Yet a Man may claim Common Appendant for a certain Number of Cattle. 1 Rol. 398. l. 7.

(C) Appurtenant.

COMMON Appurtenant originally began by express Grant.

And a Man must prescribe for it. Co. L. 122. a.

Or it may begin within Time of Memory. Gro. Car. 482. 26 H. 8. 4. a.

As, if a Man claims Common for all Cattle, it is Common Appurtenant; for it includes Swine, Goats, Geese, &c. 1 Rol. 397. l. 44. *Vide Infra*.

If he prescribes, that he, and all those whose Estate he has in such a House, have Common in such a Place for two Beasts. 1 Rol. 399. l. 39.

That all the Inhabitants in an antient Messuage in such a Vill have Common in such a Place; but it cannot extend to Habitations erected *de novo*. R. Sav. 81.

If a Man by Bargain and Sale sells B. to another, and afterwards grants Common to the Bargainee for all Cattle which manure B. and afterwards the Deed is inrolled; the Bargainee shall have Common as appurtenant to B. tho' his Estate in it was not perfect at the Time of the Grant. R. 1 Rol. 400. l. 7.

Tho' the Grant had no Reference to the Bargain and Sale. R. 1 Rol. 400. l. 7.

So, if he grants Common for Cattle *levant* and *couchant* upon Land, which he shall purchase within a Month. R. 1 Rol. 400. l. 19.

Or, for Cattle *levant* and *couchant* upon B. and he afterwards purchases it. Dub. 1 Rol. 400. l. 27.

If

If a Man grants Common to another within his Manor or Lands of *D.* it is good, tho' it does not appear that there is any Waste there; for it is granted generally, within his Lands of *D.* *R. upon a special Demurrer, Cro. Car. 599.*

So, if he prescribes for Pasturage in a Meadow for two Horses till the Hay be mowed, it is good. *R. 2 Cro. 27.*

A Man may prescribe for Common, as appurtenant to his Manor, or Freehold, for all Cattle. *1 Rol. 401. l. 8.*

Or, for Hogs *levant* and *couchant*. *1 Rol. 401. l. 29.*

Or, for a certain Number of Cattle, as 300 Sheep, &c. without saying, *levant* and *couchant*. *1 Rol. 401. l. 15. 2 Cro. 27. R. 2 Mod. 185.*

So, for Cattle *levant* and *couchant* upon a Messuage *cum Pertinentiis*; for this comprehends a Curtilage of an Acre or more, upon which they may be *couchant*. *R. 2 Jon. 227.*

So the Lord may claim Pasturage for two Horses in 1000 Acres of Meadow till it be cut for Hay; for so large a Quantity cannot be much prejudiced by only two Horses. *R. 2 Cro. 27.*

(D) In Gros.

COMMON in Gros is such as is not Appendant or Appurtenant to any certain Land. *Co. L. 122. a.*

And ought to be claimed by Prescription, or by Deed. *Ibid.*

As if a Man who has Common Appurtenant for a certain Number of Cattle, grants it over to another, it shall be Common in Gros. *R. 1 Rol. 402. l. 10. Cro. Car. 433. 2 Lev. 67.*

So, if a Man grants Common to another for his Cattle *ubicunque* the Cattle of the Grantor go, it will be Common in Gros.

And if he doth not restrain the Cattle of the Grantee to any certain Number, it is a Common in Gros *sans Nombre*.

So, if he grants Common *quandocunque averia sua ierint*. *Cro. Car. 599.*

So, Common for the Inhabitants of antient Messuages in such a Town. *2 Leo. 44.*

So, Common to the Mayor and Burgeesses of such a Town. *R. 2 Lev. 246.*

Yet Common in Gros *sans Nombre* is not good, if there be not some Restraint or Limitation; as, if a Corporation prescribes for all of the Corporation, for all their Cattle commonable, without saying, *levant* and *couchant* within the same Town, it is ill. *R. 1 Sand. 346. but Sand. not satisfied. 1 Mod. 6. R. Jon. 298.*

If *A.* claims Common *sans Nombre*, he ought to say, *levant* and *couchant* upon such Land. *R. 2 Mod. 185.*

But Common Appendant never can become Common in Gros. *1 Rol. 401. l. 52.*

Nor, Common Appurtenant for Cattle *levant* and *couchant* upon such Tenements. *1 Rol. 402. l. 2. Per Hale, 2 Lev. 67.*

And, if Common Appurtenant be granted with a Parcel of Lands to which, &c. it shall be Appurtenant to such Parcel. *R. 1 Rol. 402. l. 15. Cro. Car. 432.*

(E) Pur Cause de Vicinage.

COMMON *pur Cause de Vicinage* is, when two or more Towns have Common in the Fields within their Towns, which are open to the Fields of the neighbouring Towns, and the Cattle, put to use their Common there, escape into the Fields of the neighbouring Towns, & *e contra*. *4 Co. 38. b.*

And therefore, this Common is but an Excuse for a Trespass. *Co. L. 122. a. 4 Co. 38. b.*

So, where several Persons have Lands intermixt in an open Field, and put their Cattle at *Shack*, *viz.* at large, to depasture there, which cannot be without tref-

trespassing the one upon the other; this is in the Nature of Common *pur Cause de Vicinage*. 7 Co. 5. a.

And if any one incloses, and after the Inclosure the others have used after Harvest to open his Gates, and to intercommon there, the Usage determines the Right, and the Owner who inclosed cannot exclude the others. 7 Co. 5. *Vide Infra*.

Tho' he refuses to intercommon with them. 7 Co. 5.

When there is Common *pur Cause de Vicinage*, one Commoner cannot put his Cattle into the Lands of another Vill, or Manor, &c. but into his own Lands only, and they must escape into the other. Co. L. 122. a. 4 Co. 38. b.

And if one Vill or Manor has 100 Acres, and the other only 50, the latter can use the Common only with Cattle proportionable to the 50 Acres. 7 Co. 5. b.

And he can use it only for Cattle *levant and couchant* within his Tenement or Vill; for it is in the Nature of a Common Appendant.

And therefore it ought to be claimed from Time whereof, &c. as Common Appendant, tho' it be not so. *Per Wray*, 4 Co. 38. a.

If Common be allowed *pur Cause de Vicinage*, the one Lord of the Manor or Vill may inclose, and oust the others of Common there. Co. L. 122. a. R. 4 Co. 38. b.

So, if the Owner of Land, where there is *Shack*, incloses, he shall hold in Severalty, where by Usage the Inclosers there have done so. 7 Co. 5. b.

If several Freeholders, who have Lands in a Common Field, intercommon, one of them cannot prescribe to inclose against the others. *Adm. 2 Mod. 105. Vide supra*.

(F) Common ; how it shall be used.

(F. 1.) When it excludes the Owner.

IF Tenants of a Manor have Common in the Wastes, they cannot exclude the Lord; for he by Common Right may put in his Cattle. Co. L. 122. a. 1 Rol. 396. l. 10.

So a Grantee of Common cannot exclude the Owner. 1 Rol. 396. l. 13. 399. l. 2.

Tho' the Grantee has Common *sans Nombre*. 1 Rol. 396. l. 13. Co. L. 122. a.

Nor Tenants, who claim Common of *Estovers*. 2 Cro. 256, 7.

And they cannot prescribe to exclude the Owner of the Soil; for the Word, *Common*, imports it. Co. L. 122. a. 2 Rol. 267. l. 30.

If the Owner of the Soil aliens, saving his Common; he may afterwards depasture there. 1 Rol. 396. l. 25.

And if there was not any Saving, the Alience shall have Common. 1 Rol. 396. l. 30.

But the Lord or Owner of the Soil, by Custom, may be restrained to two or three Beasts. *Cont. 2 Rol. 267. l. 26. R. Yel. 129.*

Or, he may be restrained to a certain Time.

So the Tenants of a Manor may prescribe, that after the Grass is mowed and put in Cocks, the Lord only shall put in his Cattle till *Michaelmas*, and then the Tenants only till *Lady-day*. *Per Brampton*, 2 Rol. 267. l. 10.

So a Man may prescribe, or alledge a Custom, to have the sole or several *pasturam Terræ*, or *pasturam Terræ*, and exclude the Owner of the Soil. Co. L. 122. a.

So the Copyholders of a Manor may alledge a Custom to have the sole Pasturage in such a Place, and to exclude their Lord; for such Usage may have had a good Commencement. R. 2 Sand. 326. 2 Lev. 2. Pol. 13. 1 Mod. 74.

So the Freeholders may prescribe, that they, with the customary Tenants, and the Copyholders may alledge a Custom, that they, with the Freeholders, have the sole Pasturage. *Semb. 1 Sand. 352. Dub. 3 Mod. 250.*

So a Tenant may prescribe to have all Thorns, &c. growing upon such a Place; by which the Owner shall be excluded. *R. 2 Cro. 256, 7.*

[By *St. 13 G. 3. c. 81.* Arable in common Fields shall be ordered as Three-fourths in Number and Value of Occupiers direct for six Years. Cottager or Commoner without Land is not excluded his full Right, unless he consents in Writing for an annual Payment. If Occupiers agree not to depasture in Common, and allot what shall be such Common for Cottagers only, as shall be deemed an Equivalent by a Majority of them who have not compounded, they shall not have Common on the other Part. Person having separate Sheep-walk, or Pasture for Cattle, not excluded from his Right, unless he consents.]

[Balks, &c. may be ploughed with Consent of Lord of Manor, and Three-fourths of Occupiers, except where it is a Road. Boundary-stones shall be erected.]

[Lords and three-fourths of Commoners may let one-twelfth Part of Wastes for four Years, the Rents to be employed in improving the Residue.]

[Or Assessment may be levied for improving stinted Commons, as Lord and Majority of Occupiers direct.]

[Majority, with Lord's Consent, may postpone opening Commons, stinted as to Time for twenty-one Days.]

[Two-thirds of Commoners, with Lord's Consent, may open and shut Common Pastures, but a Portion shall be reserved for those dissenting.]

[Stinted Right of Common for Horses, &c. may, by Majority of Commoners, be commuted for Sheep.]

[Rams must not remain on Commons, from 25th August to 25th November.]

[Persons otherwise disabled may agree under this Act.]

[Tithe-Owners shall receive no Gratuity for Tithes, but by Half-yearly or yearly Payments.]

[The Consent of Occupiers is not valid, without an Authority from Proprietor.]

(F. 2.) With what Cattle.

Common Appendant, or Appurtenant for Cattle *levant* and *couchant*, may be used with Cattle which he hires or borrows to plow, or manure his Land: for they are his Cattle. *1 Rol. 402. l. 39, 401. l. 39.*

And which yield Nurture for his Family. *1 Rol. 401. l. 43.*

So, with Rabbits, or other Beasts of Warren, as well as other Cattle. *R. Lut. 108.*

Common in a Forest may be used with Sheep. *Lut. 81. Vide in Chase. (O, 3, 4.)*

Tho' it be in the Fence Month. *Lut. 81. If he prescribes for it. Pol. 447.*

But he who has Common Appendant, or Appurtenant for Cattle *levant* and *couchant*, cannot use the Common with the Cattle of a Stranger. *1 Rol. 402. l. 34. 2 Sand. 327. Semb. Lut. 107.*

Nor can he license his Tenants at Will to put their Cattle there. *1 Rol. 402. l. 36.*

Nor can he use the Common with Cattle which he agifts. *1 Rol. 402. l. 34.*

Or, which he has to sell. *1 Rol. 401. l. 46.*

Nor can he grant over his Common to another; for it is for Cattle *levant*. *R. 2 Cro. 15.*

So, he, who has Common in *Gros sans Nombre*, cannot license a Stranger to put Cattle there. *2 Sand. 327.*

Yet he who has Common for a certain Number of Cattle may put in the Cattle of a Stranger. *1 Rol. 402. l. 43. Cont. l. 34. Dub. 2 Cro. 575.*

So he, who has the sole Pasture may license a Stranger to put his Cattle there. *R. 2 Saud. 327. 2 Lev. 2. Pol. 13. 1 Mod. 74.*

And a Licence *pro hac vice* may be by Parol. *2 Lev. 2. Cont. Semb. 2 Sand. 328.*

So he may use it for Cattle not *levant* and *couchant*. R. 2 Lev. 2.

Yet after a Verdict a Licence shall be intended by Deed, tho' not pleaded. R. 2 Sand. 328.

(G) When the Lord may improve it.

THE Lord could not improve the Land where others have Common by the Common Law. 2 Inst. 85. viz. against others who have Common by Grant; but against his Tenants it was otherwise. 2 Inst. 474. 1 Rol. 365.

But now, by the *St. of Merton*, 20 H. 3. 4. the Lord may improve, leaving sufficient Pasture, Ingress, and Egress for his Tenants.

And by the *St. W.* 2. 13 Ed. 1. 46. the *St. of Merton*, which extends to the Lord and his Tenants, shall hold between the Lord and others who have Common.

And therefore, the Lord may improve his Wastes against those who have Common Appendant, or Appurtenant for Cattle *levant* and *couchant* upon their Tenements.

So, if the Lord has Common in the Lands of the Tenant, the Tenant may improve. 2 Inst. 474.

So, if the Lord aliens the Soil, where the Common was taken, the Alienee may improve. 2 Inst. 87.

The Lord may improve *toties quoties*, if there be sufficient Common left for his Tenants. *Ibid.*

And, if it be sufficient at the Time of the Improvement, tho' it afterwards appears to be insufficient, the Improvement stands. *Ibid.*

If the Lord makes a Feoffment of Part of the Waste, the Feoffee may inclose; for the Feoffment is an Improvement. *Ibid.*

By the *St. W.* 2. 46. None shall be aggrieved by an Affise of Common of Pasture, by reason of Windmill, Berkery, (viz. Sheep or Tan-house,) Cow-house, necessary Augmentation of his Court-yard or Curtilage. 2 Inst. 476.

And for these Improvements the Lord, &c. shall not be aggrieved, tho' sufficient Common be not left. 2 Inst. 476. Dub. 1 Lev. 62.

And these Instances are only for Example; for the Statute extends by Equity, where the Lord builds an Habitation for his Beast-keeper. 2 Inst. 476.

Where he builds a new House for his own Habitation, and enlarges the Curtilage. *Semb.* 1 Lev. 62. 1 Sid. 79.

But he ought to say, that it was for his Habitation, and that it was necessary. R. 1 Lev. 62. 1 Sid. 79.

If the Lord improves and incloses, and the Fences are thrown down by Persons unknown, by the *St. W.* 2. 46. the Towns adjacent, if they do not indict the Misdoers, shall be distrained to repair the same Fences. 2 Inst. 476.

If they be thrown down by Night or by Day, if the Persons be not known. *Lut.* 157.

And this, if the Misdoers are not indicted within a Year and a Day. 2 Inst. 476. *Lut.* 158. 1 Rol. 365. *Diēt.* that a *Distringas* lies if the Misdoers are not indicted within a convenient Time, tho' the Year be not passed. *Cro. Car.* 440.

And therefore, a Writ shall go to the Sheriff to inquire what Malefactors threw down the Fences, and if he returns, that it was by Persons unknown, a *Distringas* goes against the Inhabitants of the next Towns, and to inquire of the Damages. *Lut.* 141, 170. *Cro. Car.* 280, 440.

But a *Distringas* does not go for cutting down Trees, if the Fences are not thrown down. R. Ray. 487.

The Writ need not shew a Title to improve. R. *Cro. Car.* 280.

And it lies for the Owner of the Waste. *Sbo.* 106.

For the Grantee of the Common. *Sbo.* 106.

[The Proceedings upon a *Noctanter* must be of the Crown Side in B. R. *Rex v. Sudbury*, H. 11 G. Str.]

At the Return of the *Distringas*, the Inhabitants may appear and plead to it, for the *Distringas* contains a *Scire facias*. *Lut.* 157. *R.* 1 *Sid.* 107.

And therefore, there is no Occasion for a *Scire facias* after the *Distringas*. *Lut.* 157.

And the Inhabitants may plead, that the Persons were known. *Lut.* 175, 176. *R.* 1 *Lev.* 108.

That the Damages are excessive. *Lut.* 147, 177. *R.* 1 *Sid.* 212. 1 *Mod.* 66.

Or any Matter, which excuses the throwing down of the Fences. *Lut.* 144, 176.

That the Misdoers are indicted. *Cro. Car.* 440.

And some Inhabitants may plead one Plea, and the Inhabitants of another Vill, another Plea. *Lut.* 176.

So two of every Vill may plead for all. 1 *Lev.* 108.

If the Vills plead to the Damages, there shall not be Judgment for the Erection of the Inclosures till the Plea be determined. 1 *Mod.* 66.

But if the Vills do not plead to the Excessiveness of the Damages, they shall be bound by them, tho' the Jury afterwards find less Damages. *R.* 1 *Sid.* 212.

And if at first they do not take Protestation to the Damages, they cannot afterwards traverse. *Ibid.*

And if they do not come at the Return of the *Distringas*, they cannot afterwards plead. *Semb. Cro. Car.* 280.

If the Vills do not plead, another *Distringas* goes to levy the Damages found. *Cro. Car.* 280. *Jon.* 306.

But the Lord cannot improve against him, who has Common in *Gross sans Nombre*. 2 *Inst.* 86.

Nor when he has Common in *Gross*, tho' it be for a certain Number. 2 *Inst.* 86, 475. *Semb.* 1 *Rol.* 365.

So the Lord cannot improve, where the Tenant has Common of *Turbary*, *Piscary*, *Eftovers*, &c. 2 *Inst.* 87.

So the Lord cannot, upon Pretence of an Improvement, dig Pits for Coals, &c. 1 *Sid.* 106.

So the Lord cannot improve, without leaving sufficient Common.

Tho' he assigns sufficient in other Lands. 2 *Co.* 25.

Tho' he alledges a Prescription to improve; for that denies the Right of Common. *R.* *Jon.* 375.

If the Lord improves, and does not leave sufficient Common, the Commoner may throw down the whole Inclosure; for it stands upon his Common. 2 *Inst.* 88.

But in an Affise in such Case, the Jury cannot find generally for the Plaintiff, but ought to assign, how much shall be sufficient. *Ibid.*

[By *stat.* 29 G. 2. c. 36. Owners of Common, with Consent of Majority in Number and Value of Commoners; Majority of Commoners, with Consent of Owners; any Persons with Consent of both, may inclose any Part of Common for Growth of Wood. If Wood is destroyed, Offender may be punished according to 1 & 6 G. 1.; if not convicted in six Months, the Owner shall have Satisfaction from the adjoining Parishes, &c. as for Fences overthrown by *stat. Westm.* 2. Person cutting Wood on Common shall incur the same Penalty.]

[By *stat.* 31 G. 2. c. 41. The Recompence is to be paid to Persons interested, in Proportion to their Interest. Tenants for Life or Years determinable on Lives, may consent for their Term, but that binds not after Determination of their Estate.]

(H) What Interest the Commoner has.

THE Commoner has no Interest in the Soil where he takes his Common; and therefore, he cannot meddle with the Soil to dig there, &c. *Bridg.* 10.

He cannot take Wood, Hay, or other Profit there growing. 2 *Leo.* 202. *Bridg.* 10.

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He cannot cut down Bushes, Fern, &c. without special Custom; tho' they prejudice his Common. *Bridg.* 10.

[A Commoner, tho' he has by Custom a Right to cut Fern, may not scatter the Ashes which a Stranger has made by cutting and burning it. *Woodson v Newton*, 7. 13 G. Str. 477.]

Nor grant his Common to the Use of another. *Bridg.* 10.

Nor make a Trench to let out Water which furrounds it. 1 *Rol.* 406. l. 17. *Semb.* 12 H. 8. 2. 15.

Nor stop up Coney-borows; tho' his Cattle fall and perish in them. 1 *Rol.* 405. l. 25. 2 *Bul.* 116.

[Even if the Common is furcharged, but must bring his Action. *Cooper v. Marshal*, P. 30 G. 2. 1 B. M. 259. *Cope v. Marshal*, P. 30. G. 2. 1 B. M. 268. 2 *Wilf.* 51.]

Nor kill the Rabbits. R. 1 *Rol.* 405. l. 15. 20. 2 *Leo.* 201. 2 *Bul.* 116.

Tho' he alledge a Custom, or Prescription to do it. *Semb.* *Bridg.* 10.

He cannot enter upon the Soil, when he does not put his Cattle there. 1 *Rol.* 406. l. 8.

Nor agist the Cattle of a Stranger there. 2 *Leo.* 202.

He cannot maintain Trespass for Damage to the Soil, or Grass; for, he has no Interest, but to take the Pasture by the Mouths of his Cattle. 12 H. 8. 2. 2 *Rol.* 552. l. 7.

Nor, an Action upon the Case against a Stranger, if his Rabbits go upon the Common; for he may kill them. R. *Cro. Car.* 387. 1 *Rol.* 405. l. 39.

But a Commoner may justify his Entry, to put his Cattle upon the Common. Or, to see whether the Grass be good, for the depasturing of his Cattle. 1 *Rol.* 406. l. 10.

So he may reform an Abuse to the Soil; as, he may dig down Mole-Hills. 1 *Brownl.* 228. 12 H. 8. 2.

Fill up with Earth Holes dug there. 1 *Brownl.* 228.

Let out Water from a Pond made there by the Lord. *Ibid.*

Make a Causeway for Cattle to come there. *Per Pollard*, 12 H. 8. 2.

So he may throw down Inclosures, which prevent his coming to his Common. *Semb.* 2 *Inst.* 88. *Bridg.* 10.

Put in his Cattle, tho' the Owner has sowed the Land. 2 *Leo.* 202.

Throw down the Inclosure of the Common, tho' he do not put his Cattle there at the same Time. R. *Litt.* 38.

So he may throw down Fences, which are erected upon his Common. R. 2 *Mod.* 65.

So he may distrain the Cattle of a Stranger there *Damage-feasant*. 1 *Rol.* 405. l. 42. *Adm. Vel.* 129. 2 *Leo.* 202.

Or drive them out with a little Dog; without being compelled to distrain. R. 4 Co. 38. b.

So, if the Lord, by Custom, be restrained to a small Number of Cattle, and he puts more there; they may be distrained by him who has Common. *Per* 3 *J. Vel.* 129.

So, if the Lord put in his Cattle before the Time for Common, when by the Custom it should be fresh. R. 1 *Rol.* 405. l. 55.

[Wherever there is Colour of Right for putting in Cattle, Commoner cannot distrain, where no Colour he may, so he may distrain a Stranger's Cattle, but not those of a Commoner tho' he exceeds his Number. Where Writ of Admeasurement lies he cannot distrain. Whether he may distrain Cattle furcharged where the Right of Common is for a Number certain Q. *Hall v. Harding*, P. 9 G. 3. 4 B. M. 2426.]

So a Commoner shall have an Action upon the Case against him, who prejudices his Common, an Affise, or a *Quod permittat*. *Bridg.* 10. *Vide Post*, (I.)

Tho' the Prejudice to the Common be by digging Clay, and laying and carrying it across the Common; tho' he has no Interest in the Clay or Soil. R. *Godb.* 344. 2 *Rol.* 308, 344.

Tho' the Defendant himself has Common there. R. *Godb.* 344.

But if a Commoner avows a Distress for *Damage-feasant*, he ought to alledge, *quod Communiam tam amplo modo habere non potest.* R. 3 Lev. 104.
Vide Post, (I.)

(I) What Remedy the Commoner shall have.

An Assise, &c.

IF the Commoner has an Inheritance, or Estate for Life, in his Common, and is disseised, he shall have an Assise. *F. N. B. 180. L. Vide Assise, (B. 2.)*

Tho' the Lord himself disseises him; as, if he sur-charges the Common, or approves, and does not leave sufficient for the Commoner. *F. N. B. 125. D.*

So, if the Commoner be disseised, he may have a *Quod permittat* in the County, or *C. B.* *F. N. B. 123. F. Vide quod permittat.*

Or, if his Ancestor was disseised; but not in other Degrees. *F. N. B. 123. H.*

So, if Tenant in *Antient Demesne* be deforced of his Common, he may have a Writ of Right Close for it. *F. N. B. 11. K.*

If a Commoner sur-charges the Common, another Commoner may have a Writ of Admeasurement of Pasture, whereby the Number of the Cattle with which the Defendant, the Plaintiff, and other Commoners, who are not Parties, may common, shall be ascertained. *F. N. B. 125. B. 126. H.*

And this Writ is *Viscontiel*, and not returnable; upon which the Plaintiff shall make Plaint in the County-Court, as in *Replevin*; and the Sheriff by Precept, shall warn the Defendant; and if he pleads nothing, or confesses it, he shall make Admeasurement. *F. N. B. 125. C. G.*

And upon this shall go an *Alias* and *Pluries*, and if nothing be done upon it, nor Cause shewn, an Attachment against the Sheriff. *F. N. B. 125. F.*

Or it may be removed by *Pone* into *C. B.* where the Plaintiff shall count, and have Admeasurement. *F. N. B. 125. F. 126. A.*

By the *St. W. 2. 7.* After Removal into *C. B.* a *Distringas* goes to make Proclamation at two County-Courts, and upon Default, Judgment. *F. N. B. 125. G. 126. C. 2 Inst. 368.*

By *W. 2. 8.* If the Defendant in Admeasurement of Pasture, afterwards sur-charges, a Writ of *De secunda Superoneratione* lies; upon which he shall render Damages, and forfeit the Cattle sur-charged to the King. *2 Inst. 370. F. N. B. 126. E.*

But the Writ of Admeasurement of Pasture does not lie by the Lord; nor by Tenant against the Lord, nor for Common *sans Nombre.* *F. N. B. 125. D.*

So, if a Commoner be disturbed, whereby he cannot use his Common, or cannot use it in *tam amplo modo*, he may have an Action upon the Case. *9 Co. 112. b. Vide Action upon the Case for a Disturbance, (A. 1.)*

So, if the Lord, or a Commoner, sur-charges the Common, whereby the Plaintiff has not sufficient Common, an Action on the Case lies. *Lut. 107. Atkinson v. Teasdale, P. 12 G. 3. 3 Wils. 278.*

So, if the Lord, or another, drives his Cattle out of the Common. *Lut. 103.*

If a Man claims Common, where he has no Right, the Owner seised in Fee shall have a *Quo Jure.* *Vide Quo Jure.*

[If Plaintiff claiming Right to cut Rushes on a Common cuts some which Defendant takes away, Trover lies. *Rackham v. Jesup. M. 13 G. 3. 3 Wils. 332.*]

[Against a Stranger for cutting and taking away Rushes. Trespass and Trover in one Declaration. *Beau v. Bloom, M. 14 G. 3. 3 Wils. 456.*]

Vide Ante, (H.)

(K) What Remedy the Lord shall have.

SO, if the Lord has Prejudice in his Soil where the Common is, he shall have Remedy by Action, as in his other Lands.

[In Trespass by the Lord against a Commoner, for destroying his Peat and filling

filling up the Holes, if Defendant justifies under Common appendant to his House, that Plaintiff had dug Holes, and laid up Heaps, whereby he could not enjoy *tam amplo*, &c. therefore justifies removing Heaps, and filling Holes, doing as little Damage as possible; and Plaintiff replies *de injuria sua propria absque tali*, &c.: Sufficiency of Common left cannot be given in Evidence. *D'Ayrolles v. Howard*, P. 3 G. 3. 3 B. M. 1385.]

If the Cattle of a Stranger are in the Common, he may drive them out, or impound them. 3 Lev. 41.

Or maintain Trespass.

So, if the Lord sees the Cattle of a Stranger, he may drive the Cattle of a Commoner with them to Pound upon the Waste, in order to sever them, without a Custom for doing it. R. 3 Lev. 41.

So, by Custom, he may drive the Cattle of a Commoner, to see whether the Cattle of a Stranger be there, or whether the Common be sur-charged; but not without a Custom alledged. 3 Lev. 41. 2 Lev. 87.

And if the Common be sur-charged, he may detain the Cattle driven, till Satisfaction for the Trespass, without a Prescription for it. R. 2 Lev. 87.

If the Tenant himself sur-charges the Common, the Lord may distrain the Beasts, as *Damage-feasant*. F. N. B. 125. D.

So, if the Tenant puts in Cattle not *levant* and *couchant*, where he has Common only for Cattle *levant* and *couchant*. 2 Rol. 706. l. 50.

Or the Lord shall have Trespass against his Tenant.

But if the Lord sets up a Stack of Corn, &c. upon the Common he cannot drive away the Cattle which have Common there; for it was his own Fault. R. 2 Cro. 271.

(L) How Common shall be extinguished.

IF a Man purchases Land where his Common is to be taken, whereby he has as high an Estate in the Land in which, &c. as in the Land to which the Common is Appendant or Appurtenant, the Common shall be extinguished. R. 4 Co. 38. a. R. Cro. El. 570. Mo. 462, 3. *Vide Suspension*. (B. &c.)

So, if a Copyhold to which Common belongs, is destroyed, the Common is gone. *Vide Copyhold*, (K. 6.)

So, if he, who has Common Appurtenant, purchases Parcel of the Land in which, &c. the Whole shall be extinguished. Co. L. 122. a. R. 8 Co. 79, R. 1 And. 159.

So, if he, who has Common in Grofs, &c. Co. L. 122. a.

But if a Man, who has Common Appendant, purchases Part of the Land in which, &c. it shall be apportioned; for it is of common Right. Co. L. 122. a. R. 4 Co. 38. a. R. Mo. 463, 644. 8 Co. 79. a.

And he ought to prescribe for the Whole till such a Day when he purchased, &c. 4 Co. 38.

So, if a Man, who has Common Appurtenant, sells Parcel of the Land to which, &c. it shall be apportioned. Co. L. 122. a. R. 8 Co. 79.

And the Alienee may prescribe as for Common Appurtenant to his Parcel. 8 Co. 79.

Or, if Common be for a certain Number, the Owner may sell all his Common with Parcel of his Land to which, &c. and the Whole shall be Appurtenant to that Parcel. R. 1 Rol. 402. l. 15. Cro. Car. 432.

Yet, if a Commoner purchases the improved Part of the Waste, his Common shall not be extinguished; for by the Approvement it was wholly severed from the Manor. 2 Inst. 87.

(M) How suspended.

SO, if a Commoner who has Common Appurtenant, takes a Lease of Part of the Land in which, &c. for Life or Years; all his Common shall be suspended during the Term. R. 8 Co. 79. a.

Vide Suspension.

(N) When it is not destroyed.

IF all the Inhabitants of a Vill have Common in such a Place, and the antient Messuage of any of them falls, and a new one is built upon the same Foundation, the Common remains. *R. 2 Leo. 45.*

Or, if he builds a new House in the same Place. *2 Leo. 45. Godb. 97.*

But if the Inhabitants of a Vill claim Common, and any one builds a new Messuage there, where there was none before, he shall not have Common; for it belongs only to the antient Inhabitants. *R. 2 Leo. 44.*

(O.) When revived by a new Grant.

IF a Common be extinguished by Unity of Possession, if a Lease be made of the Land to which, &c. *with all Commons therewith used, or enjoyed;* that amounts to a new Grant of the Common for Years, if there be an Averment that it was used. *R. Cro. El. 570.*

Vide more concerning Common in Copyhold, (K. 6.)—Chancery, (2 P.)—Pleader, (3 K. 24.)

Tenant and Tenancy in Common.

Vide Abatement, (E. 10.—F. 6.)—Chancery, (3 V. 4, &c.)—Devise, (N. 8.)—Estates, (K. 8.)

C O M M O N A N N O Y A N C E.

Vide Justices of Peace, (B. 24, &c.)—Leet, (L. 12, 13.)

C O M M O N B E N C H.

Vide Courts (C. 1, &c.)—Pleader (C. 4, 11, &c.—3 B. 2.—Quod permittat, (D. 2)

C O M M O N C O U N C I L.

Vide Franchises, (F. 25.)—London, (F.)

C O M M O N L A W.

Vide Chancery, (C. 1.—D. 9.—X.—4 V.)—Copyhold, (K. 4.—P. 3.)—Ley, (B.)—Parliament, (R. 12, 23, 27.)—Prohibition, (F. 10.—G. 22, Trade. (A. 6, 7.)

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C O N D I T I O N.

(A. 1.) Condition in Deed.

A Man may annex to an Estate a Condition, by the Performance or Non-performance of which the Estate may commence, or may be enlarged, or defeated. *Co. L. 201.*

And this may be by exprefs Words in the Deed, or by Implication of Law. *Ibid.*

An exprefs Condition cannot be without Deed. *Co. L. 225.*

And therefore, a Man cannot plead a Condition to defeat an Estate of Freehold, without shewing the Deed. *Co. L. 225. Vide Pleader*, (O. 1, &c.)

Otherwise, where a Condition is annexed to a Chattel Personal or Real; as a Term for Years, Ward, &c. *1 Rol. 413. l. 20, 25.*

So a Condition to a Freehold may be referred to a Matter not in Writing, and may be supplied by Averment:

As, if a Corrody be granted for Life, *sec. quod per A. prius usitat. fuit*; it may be averred, that the Corrody of A. was upon Condition to attend the Master, &c. *1 Rol. 413. l. 50.*

If an Annuity be granted *pro Consilio* generally, it may be averred, that the Grantee was learned in the Law, and the Annuity was for his Counsel in the Law. *1 Rol. 413. l. 52.*

So a Condition precedent, upon which an Estate shall be created, may be without Deed. *Co. L. 216. a.*

(A. 2.) By what Words it shall be created.

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of a common
Person.
Vide Post,
(A. 9, 10.)

Divers Words of themselves make an Estate upon Condition. *Lit. S.* 328.

As, *sub Conditione.* *Lit. S.* 328. 10 *Co.* 42. *a.*

Proviso Semper. *Lit. S.* 329.

And the Word, *Proviso*, makes a Condition tho' joined with other Words; as, *Provided always, and it is covenanted.* *Co. L.* 203. *b.* 2 *Co.* 71. *b.* 1 *Rol.* 410. *l.* 30.

Provided, and it is agreed, &c. 2 *Co.* 71. *b.* *R. Cro. Car.* 128.

And therefore, if the Word *Proviso*, be the Speaking of the Grantor, Feoffor, Donor, &c. and obliges the Grantee, &c. to any Act, it makes a Condition, in whatever Part of the Deed it stands; and tho' there be Covenants before or after, it is not material. *R. By all the Judges,* 2 *Co.* 70, 71, &c. *Cromwell.* *R. Dy.* 311. *b.* *Per 2 J. Dy.* 13. *b.*

So, tho' it stands indifferent, whether it be the Word of the Lessor or the Lessee; as, *Provided, and it is agreed between the said Parties;* for it shall be referred to the Lessor. 1 *Rol.* 407. *l.* 50. *Dub. Dy.* 152. *Acc. Dy.* 6. *b.*

And, tho' all the Residue of the Words be the Speaking of the Grantee, and Words of Covenant, as, *Provided, and the Grantee covenants, &c.* *R.* 2 *Co.* 71. *b.* *R. Mo.* 707. *R. Jon.* 169.

So Words of Limitation, if they cannot be taken as a Limitation, shall be taken for a Condition. *Eq. Abr.* 105.

Otherwise, if the Word, *Proviso*, be annexed only to make a Qualification, and not to defeat the Estate. *Mo.* 307. 2 *Co.* 72. *a.* *Mo.* 707.

[*Proviso*, if Lessee commit Waste the Lease shall determine; is a Condition, not a Covenant. *Birchall v. Smethurst, T.* 1722. *Bunb.* 114.]

So the Words, *Ita quod*, make a Condition of themselves. *Lit. S.* 329.

And, *quod si contingat.* *Lit. S.* 330.

But not without a Conclusion, that it shall be lawful to the Lessor to re-enter. *Lit. S.* 331. *Pol.* 75.

So other Words make a Condition, if there be added a Conclusion with a Clause of Re-entry: As, *If.* *Co. L.* 204. *a.*

Or, tho' the Conclusion does not give a Re-enty, but says only, *that if the Feoffee, &c. doth, or doth not, such an Act, the Estate shall cease, or, shall be void.* *R.* 1 *Rol.* 408. *l.* 15.

Or, *that the Feoffment shall be void.* *R.* 1 *Rol.* 408. *l.* 20, 25.

Or, *that the Deed of Feoffment and Livery shall be void;* for that is of the same Effect as if he had said *the Feoffment.* *Dub.* 2 *Rol.* 408. *l.* 30.

So, if after the Feoffment, the Feoffee by another Deed grants, *that if he doth not such an Act, the first Deed shall be void.* 1 *Rol.* 408. *l.* 38.

So, if the Conclusion be, *that the Feoffor shall take back his Estate.* 1 *Rol.* 408. *l.* 50.

So, *ea Intentione*, with a Clause of Re-entry, makes a Condition. *Semb.* 1 *Rol.* 407. *l.* 37. *Dy.* 138. *b.*

So, to avoid a Lease for Years, which is but a Chattel, there is no need of such precise Words as to avoid an Estate of Freehold. *Co. L.* 204. *a.*

And therefore, if the Lessor says, *quod non licebit for the Lessee to sell, grant, &c. sub pœnâ Forisfacturæ*, that makes a Condition. *R. Dy.* 65, 6. *Co. L.* 204. *a.*

Or says, *and the Lessee shall dwell on the Premises on Pain, &c.* *Co. L.* 204. *a.* *Dy.* 79. *a.*

So, if the Lessee covenants *that he will, &c. sub pœnâ Forisfacturæ.* 1 *Rol.* 408. *D.—Semb. Cro. El.* 202. *R.* 2 *Cro.* 398. 1 *Leo.* 246.

So in Grants executory, the Cause, or Consideration of the Grant makes a Condition. *Co. L.* 204. *a.* 10 *Co.* 42. *a.* 1 *Sand.* 320. 2 *Sand.* 352.

As, if a Man grants an Annuity *pro Acrâ Terræ*, or *pro Decimis*, which are evicted, the Annuity ceases. *Co. L.* 204. *a.*

Or, *pro Consilio*, or *quod præstaret Consilium*, if the Grantee refuses his Counsel. *Co. L.* 204. *a.*

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Otherwise, if a Man grants an Estate of Inheritance, or Freehold, *pro Consilio*, or *pro Acrâ Terræ*, the Annuity does not cease if the Counsel be refused, or the Land evicted. *Co. L. 204. a.*

Yet a Feoffment by a Woman *Causâ Matrimonii prælocuti* determines upon the Marriage, or if the Feoffee refuses the Marriage. *Co. L. 204. a.*

Otherwise, if the Feoffment be by the Man to the Woman; for the Woman shall be favoured in respect of the Modesty of her Sex, which does not permit her to take Counsel in such a Case. *Co. L. 204. a.*

If a Condition has false *Latin*, yet if the Sense may be known, it is good. *1 Rol. 413. l. 30.*

So in the King's Grant, Words make a Condition, which do not make a Con-

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dition in the Deeds of a Common Person. *Co. L. 204. a.*

As, *ad Effectum*, or, *eâ Intentione*. *Ibid.*

So, *ad faciendum*, or, *faciendo*. *Ibid.*

Ad Propositum, &c. *Ibid.*

Ad solvendum. *10 Co. 42. a.*

But, if at the End of a Charter, by which a Grant is made of an Advowson, there be a Clause, *quod concessimus that the Grantee may amortise to a Chantry to sing for the Souls of our Progenitors*; this does not amount to a Condition, but to a Licence. *R. 43 Ed. 3, 33, 34. Fitz. Condition 7. 1 Rol. 407. l. 30.*

So Words in a Will make a Condition, which will not make it in a Deed: As, (A. 4.)
if a Man devises Land to another *ad faciendum*, or *eâ Intentione that he do such a* ^{In a Will.}
Thing; this makes a Condition. *Co. L. 204. a.*

Vide Devise, (N. 9, 10, 11.)

So, if he devises to another *ad faciendum*, or, *ad propositum, that he do*, &c. *Co. L. 204. a.*

So, if he devises *to sell*. *1 Rol. 401. l. 45. Co. L. 236. b.*

Or, *ad solvendum*, or, *paying*. *Co. L. 236. b. 1 Leo. 174. R. Cro. El. 146. Mo. 853.*

So a Devise to *A. provided, and my Will is, that he keep it in Repair*, makes a Condition. *R. 1 Leo. 174.*

So there shall be a Condition in a Will, tho' there be no Words that the Estate shall cease; as, a Devise to a Wife, *provided that she shall have the Rent only if she departs out of London*. *Per Cur. Cro. El.*

But if the Words be insensible, and the Intent uncertain, they shall not be construed as a Condition.

A Devise to *A. and his Heirs, upon Trust that he shall do*, &c. is a Trust, but does not make a Condition. *R. Mo. 594.*

So in Obligations there need not be such precise Words; For, if the Words be, (A. 5.)
The Condition is, that if A. do not grant, &c. the Obligor covenants that he will ^{In Obliga-}
grant; it is a good Condition. *R. 1 Rol. 409. l. 10.* ^{tions.}

So if the Words be, *Now it is agreed that if A. pay, the Bond shall be void*. *R. 1 Rol. 409. l. 15.* ^{Vide Obliga-}
^{tion, (B. 1. E.)}

(A. 6.) What Words do not make a Condition.

But in Grants of a common Person, *ad faciendum, ad effectum, ad propositum*, or, *eâ Intentione*, do not make a Condition. *Co. L. 204. R. Dy. 138. b.*

So Words of Covenant or Grant of a Lessee do not make a Condition. *Per 2 J. Dy. 6. a.*

So Words in Restraint of a Grant do not make a Condition; as, if the Lessee grants *Fire-bote, provided that he do not take it of the great Trees*; it will be Waste, but no Cause of Re-entry, if he does take it of the great Trees. *R. 3 Leo. 16.*

So Words insensible do not make a Condition: As, a Lease for forty Years, upon Condition *if she lives so long, and keeps herself sole*, without more, does not make a Condition; for the Intent is uncertain. *R. 1 Rol. 411. l. 23. Poph. 99. Cro. El. 414.*

Nor

Nor Words to a foreign Intent; as, if a Feoffment be to *A. & si contingat that he dies in the Life of the Feoffor, that he pay an Annuity to B.* Per Pol. 75.
Or, repugnant, or uncertain. Pol. 76.

(A. 7.) To what Estate it may be annexed.

A Condition may be annexed to an Estate of Inheritance, Freehold or for Years.
So it may be annexed to a Grant of Tithes by the Clergy. 1 Rol. 412. l. 53.
If a Feoffment be of two Acres, a Condition may be, that he shall re-enter into one. 1 Rol. 412. l. 50.

So it may be annexed to an Use, and shall be executed by St. 27 H. 8. so that the Donor and his Heirs may take Advantage of the Condition. R. Sav. 77.

(A. 8.) In what Conveyance.

A Condition may be annexed to a Devise, as well as to another Conveyance. 1 Rol. 412. l. 25.

And to a Devise since the St. 32 & 34 H. 8. as well as to a Devise by the Common Law. 1 Rol. 412. l. 27.

Or, to a Devise of an Use by the Common Law. 1 Rol. 412. l. 25. Dy. 127.

So a Lessee may surrender to the Lessor, upon Condition. 1 Rol. 412. l. 20.

And a Surrender of a Copyhold may be upon Condition. 1 Rol. 412. l. 17.

So a Release of an Estate may be upon Condition.

And a Confirmation. 1 Rol. 412. l. 22.

And a Release of a Right. Co. L. 274. b. 1 Rol. 412. l. 15.

So a Contract may be upon Condition. 1 Rol. 413. l. 4.

And a Charter of Pardon. Co. L. 274. b.

And a Grant of Denization. Ibid.

So a Release of a personal Thing may be upon a Condition precedent, but not upon a Condition subsequent; for a personal Action once suspended shall be extinguished. R. 1 Rol. 412. l. 30, 35.

So, an Attornment. Co. L. 274. b. 2 Co. 68. a. R. 9 Co. 85. b. 1 Rol. 412. l. 45.

So, a Manumission of a Villein. Co. L. 274. b.

But a Condition cannot be released upon Condition; for the Condition annexed to the Release shall be void, and the Release shall be good. Co. L. 274. b.

(A. 9.) How it shall be annexed.

The Condition may be contained in the same Deed.

Or, indorsed upon the Obligation, or Deed. 1 Rol. 413. l. 10.

Or, may be contained in another Deed executed upon the same Day. 1 Rol. 414. l. 20.

So a Condition to defeat an Estate may be annexed to the Reservation of the Rent, explaining the Manner of Payment. R. Mo. 52.

But if a Disfeisee release his Right, and the Disfeisor by his Deed at a subsequent Day, grant, that the Release shall be upon such a Condition, the Condition is void. 1 Rol. 414. l. 15.

(A. 10.) Who shall be bound by a Condition.

Vide Post,
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If an express Condition be annexed to an Estate made to a *Feme Covert*, she shall be bound by it. 1 Rol. 421. l. 32.

Or, to an Estate made to an Infant. 1 Rol. 421. l. 35.

Or, to an Estate made to any one of full Age, who dies; his Heir within Age shall be bound by the Condition. R. 1 Rol. 421. l. 37.

So a Condition in Law, annexed to an Office which requires Skill or Confidence, binds an Infant and *Feme Covert*. Co. L. 233. b.

So if an Infant or *Feme Covert* does Waste, it shall be a Forfeiture. Ibid.

But if an Infant or *Feme Covert* aliens in *Mortmain*, it is not an absolute Forfeiture. *Ibid.*

(B.) Condition Precedent.

(B. 1.) What shall be.

A Condition is Precedent, or Subsequent.

[There are no technical Words to distinguish Conditions precedent and subsequent; but the same Words may indifferently make either, according to the Intent of the Person who creates it. *Robinson v. Comyns*, H. 9 G. 2. C. T. T. 164.]

A Condition precedent is such as ought to be performed before the Estate vests, or the Grant or Gift takes Effect.

As, if a Man leases Land for Years, upon Condition, *that the Lessee, if he pays such a Sum within two Years, shall have the Fee.* Co. L. 216. a.

If a Man binds himself, *if he recovers twenty Acres, to give a Moiety to B.* if he recovers only ten Acres, he is not bound to give any Part. 1 Rol. 433. l. 21.

If a Man grants a Sum for the doing of such an Act, or, to such an one if he does it: this is a Condition precedent, for the Duty commences by the Performance. 1 Rol. 414. l. 25 ad 35.

So, if he acknowledges that he owes so much, and then binds himself in a Penalty for the Payment. R. 1 Rol. 414. l. 35.

If a Submission to an Award be *ita quod fiat*, &c. this is a Condition precedent. 1 Rol. 416. l. 3.

If a Devise be of the Residue, *after Debts and Legacies paid*; it is a Condition precedent that those be first paid. R. 1 Rol. 415. l. 35.

Or of Land, *that it shall be sold, if the Personal Estate be not sufficient for the Payment of Debts.* R. Jon. 328.

If a Settlement be in Trust, *that if A. marries B. after the Age of Sixteen Years, and they have Issue Male, the Estate shall be to A. and B. for their Lives*; it shall be a Condition precedent, that there be the Marriage and Issue Male, before the Estate vests. R. Ca. Parl. 84.

So, if a Condition be annexed to a Thing, which cannot be done but on a Condition precedent, it shall be construed to be a Condition precedent: As, if a Man releases an Obligation to A. *provided that B. pays him 20l. at a future Day.* R. 1 Rol. 415. l. 15.

So in all personal Contracts, the Word *Pro*, makes a Condition precedent: As, if I contract to sell a Horse for 10l. *Hob.* 41.

[Deed-poll to accept Stock when the Receipts should be delivered, and to pay for it at a Day certain, makes a Condition Precedent, and Plaintiff must aver a Tender. *Lock v. Wright*, T. 9 G. Str. 569.]

Otherwise, generally, where there are mutual Covenants. R. 1 Sand. 320. R. 2 Sand. 156.

Yet, if A. covenants to assure Land, and B. covenants for the Performance of it to pay; he is not bound to pay till the Land be assured. 2 Sand. 156.

[On a Contract to transfer Stock on Payment of Money, the Payment of the Money is not a Condition Precedent, but a concurrent Act; if the Transferrer does not attend, the Plaintiff need not shew he had the Money ready; if he attends, the Plaintiff must lay down the Money, tho' not so as to Part with it till Transfer. *Merrit v. Rane*, T. 7 G. Str. 458.]

[If A. contracts to transfer Stock, and B. in *Consideratione Præmissorum* to pay for it; the Transfer is not a Condition Precedent. *Blackwell, v. Nash*, M. 9 G. Str. 535.]

Vide Chancery, (2 Q. 8.)—*Pleader*, (C. 51.)

(B. 2.) Condition to have a Fee, when good.

Land may be conveyed for a less Estate, upon Condition that if such a Thing be performed, the Grantee shall have a Fee. Co. L. 216.

And such a Condition precedent may be annexed to an Estate-tail, which does not merge by the accruing of the Fee, as well as to an Estate for Life, or Years. *R. 8 Co. 75. a. 76. a. Ld. Stafford.*

And to Rents, Advowsons, &c. which lie in Grant, as well as to an Estate in Land. *R. 8 Co. 75. a.*

But where such Condition is annexed, there ought to be a particular Estate granted, as a Foundation upon which the Fee shall accrue: As, an Estate-tail, for Life or for Years. *8 Co. 75.*

And the particular Estate ought to be permanent; and therefore, to an Estate at Will such Condition to have a Fee cannot be annexed. *Per Coke, 8 Co. 75. a.*

So, if the particular Estate granted be for Years, but subject to be destroyed upon a Contingency, it is not sufficient: As, if an Estate for Years be granted, upon Condition, *that if he pay ten Shillings within a Year, the Lessee shall have it for Life, and if he pay twenty Shillings after the Year, he shall have the Fee;* the Condition to have the Fee is not good; for if he pays the ten Shillings, by the Accruing of the Estate for Life, the Term for Years was merged. *Ibid.*

And the Estate for Life, being only possible and contingent, is not sufficient to support the Condition to have a Fee. *Ibid.*

And as the particular Estate ought to be permanent, the Privy of the Estate ought to continue; for, if the Grantee or Lessee assigns, the Estate in Fee cannot accrue. *8 Co. 75. b.*

Or, if the Grantee accepts a Release for Life, or in Tail from the Lessor. *Ibid.*

Or, if a particular Estate be granted to two, and they make Partition. *8 Co. 75. b. 76.*

So, if the Grantee assigns, tho' afterwards he takes back the same Estate. *8 Co. 75. b.*

Otherwise, if one Lessee dies; for then the Privy does not determine. *8 Co. 75.*

Or, if the Lessee leases for a less Term. *Ibid.*

Or, leases for the whole Term, upon a Condition, and enters for the Condition broken. *Ibid.*

Or, if the Lessor dies, or aliens the Reversion. *Ibid.*

The particular Estate and the Condition to have a Fee ought to be granted by the same Deed, otherwise the Fee will never accrue. *8 Co. 77. a.*

Or, by different Deeds executed at the same Time. *Ibid.*

But tho' the Condition be precedent to the Accruing of the Fee, it does not determine the particular Estate to which it is annexed; as, if a Lease be made to *A. B. and C.* and if *A.* dies living *B.* then to *B.* and his Heirs; tho' this Contingency happens, the Estate of *C.* is not determined. *Pol. 76.*

(B. 3.) At what Time an Estate shall vest upon a Condition precedent.

If a Lease be for Years, with a Condition, that if the Lessee does such a Thing, he shall have the Fee, and Livery be made to the Lessee; he has the Fee immediately, tho', by the Words, the Performance ought to precede the Estate; for the Livery cannot expect *in futuro.* *Co. L. 217.*

But, generally, the Estate does not vest till the Condition precedent performed: And therefore, if a personal Thing be granted upon a Condition precedent; the Property does not vest till the Condition performed.

So, if a Release be of an Obligation, or personal Action, upon a Condition precedent; the Action, &c. is not suspended till the Condition performed. *R. 1 Rol. 412. l. 35.*

So, if an Advowson, or other Thing which lies in Grant, be granted for Years, with Condition to have a Fee; the Fee does not vest till the Condition performed. *Co. L. 217. b.*

So, if the King grants for Years, with Condition to have the Fee; for there no Livery is necessary. *Ibid.*

So, if a common Person grants for Years, and by a subsequent Deed gives the Fee, upon a Condition precedent, to the Lessee; for then there is no Need of Livery. *Ibid.*

Or, if he grants for Life with such a Condition, and makes Livery; for then the Livery has Effect, and does not expect. *Co. L. 217. b.*

After the Condition performed, the Estate in Fee vests without other Solemnity; otherwise it could never vest. *8 Co. 76. b.*

Tho' it be in the Case of the King. *Ibid.*

(C) Condition subsequent.

What shall be.

A Condition Subsequent is such as defeats an Estate by some Subsequent Act. As, if a Fine be to the Use of another, or a Feoffment, &c. upon Condition, that if such an Act be afterwards performed, the Estate shall be void.

So, in every Case, where the Intent appears, that the Estate shall be vested till the Condition be performed, it shall be a Condition subsequent: As, if a Fine be to *A.* in Fee if *B.* does not pay so much before Michaelmas, and if he pays, then to *B.* in Fee; for it appears that *A.* shall have the Land till *B.* pays. *R. 1 Rol. 415. l. 45.*

So a Devise to *A.* if he lives till his Age of twenty-one Years, upon Condition, that if he dies before, it shall go to *B.* and his Heirs, shall be a Condition subsequent; for the Intent appears, that *A.* shall take immediately. *R. 3 Lev. 132.*

A Devise of a Term to *A.* and that if his Wife permits his Enjoyment for three Years she shall have his Goods as Executrix, but if she disturbs him, his Son shall be Executor; the Wife may sue as Executrix within the three Years, for the Words, that the Son shall upon Disturbance, shew the Intent, that the Wife shall be Executrix in the mean Time. *R. Cro. El. 219.*

(D) What Conditions are not good.

(D. 1.) If they are impossible.

If a Condition precedent to a Feoffment, &c. be impossible at the Time, or afterwards becomes impossible, the Feoffment shall be of no Effect: For, till Performance, the Estate cannot vest. *Co. L. 206. 1 Rol. 420. l. 35.*

If a Condition subsequent to a Feoffment be impossible at the Time of the Making, the Estate of the Feoffee is absolute, and the Condition shall be void. *Co. L. 206. a. 1 Rol. 420. l. 30.*

So, if the Condition to an Obligation, Recognizance, &c. be impossible at the Making, the Obligation is single. *Co. L. 206. a. 1 Rol. 420. l. 30. R. 3 Lev. 74.*

So, if a Condition to a Feoffment, &c. be possible at the Making, and afterwards becomes impossible by the Act of God, the Estate of the Feoffee is absolute; for, being vested, it cannot be divested without the Performance of the Condition, which was for the Benefit of the Feoffee. *Co. L. 206. a. 219. a. 1 Rol. 449. l. 50. R. 1 Sal. 170.*

So, if it becomes impossible by the Act of the Feoffor himself. *Co. L. 206. b.*

But if the Condition of an Obligation, Recognizance, &c. was possible at the Making, and afterwards becomes impossible by the Act of God, of the Law, or of the Obligee himself, the Obligation shall be saved. *Co. L. 206. a. 1 Rol. 449. l. 35. 451. l. 40, 45. Vide Post, (D. 7.)*

So, if a Condition be in the Disjunctive, and gives Liberty to do one Thing or another at his Election, and the one Part becomes impossible: As, to enfeoff *A.* or make him his Executor, and he dies before the Obligee. *R. Mo. 357. Cro. El. 277. Per 3 J. Cro. El. 398. 5 Co. 22. a. Poph. 98. 1 Rol. 450. l. 35. R. Jon. 171, 2. 181. 2 Mod. 202, 203. Vide Post, (K. 1, &c.)*

Otherwise, if the Disjunctive does not give Liberty to do the one Thing, or the other. *1 Rol. 450. l. 50. 451. l. 5. Semb. 3 Mod. 232.*

And

Or,

And if a Man covenants, or promises to do a certain Thing at a certain Time, and it becomes impossible by the Act of God, he shall not be excused. *1 Rol. 450. l. 20. Vide Action upon the Case upon Assumpsit, (G.)*

(D. 2.)
What shall be
said impossi-
ble.

If a Condition be to do a Thing which by no Means can be done, it shall be said to be an impossible Condition: As, *to go from London to Rome in three Hours.* *1 Rol. 420. l. 10.*

To assign a Commission of Bankrupts; for the Commission cannot be assigned. *R. 1 Rol. 419. l. 50.*

But if the Condition be improbable, and out of his Power to do, yet it shall not be said to be impossible.

As, if the Condition be, *that a married Man shall marry such a Woman;* for it is possible that his present Wife may die before him, and the other Woman. *1 Rol. 419. l. 45.*

That the Pope shall be in London within a Day. *1 Rol. 420. l. 8.*

That he will indemnify against B. upon an Obligation by A. to C. tho' it does not appear that B. is concerned. *1 Rol. 420. l. 20.*

So, tho' it be out of human Power: As, *that it shall rain To-morrow;* for it is possible. *1 Rol. 420. l. 5.*

(D. 3.) If a Condition be contrary to Law; in a Feoffment, Gift, &c.

So, if a Condition precedent to a Feoffment be illegal, or repugnant, the Estate can never vest.

If a Condition subsequent to a Feoffment be to do a Thing which is *malum in se*, the Condition shall be void, and the Estate remains absolute: As, a Condition *to commit Murder, or Robbery, &c.* *Co. L. 206. b.*

So, if a Condition upon a Feoffment, &c. be to do a Thing contrary to the Obligation or Rule of Law: As, a Feoffment upon Condition, *that a Daughter shall inherit, and not a Son.* *1 Rol. 418. l. 42.*

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So, if it be repugnant to a Grant: As, a Feoffment, &c. upon Condition, *that he shall not take the Profits;* the Estate remains absolute, and the Condition is void. *Co. L. 206. b. 7 H. 6. 43. b.*

A Warranty, upon Condition, *that it be void.* *1 Rol. 419. l. 20.*

So a general Warranty, upon Condition, *that he shall not have in Value;* yet he may rebut, and then it is not wholly defeated; but he might rebut without the Words, *(against all Men,)* and therefore they are defeated. *1 Rol. 419. l. 25.*

So a Grant by a Bishop rendring Rent to him and his Successors, *and if it be not paid to the Chapter in the Vacation, that it shall be void:* The Condition is repugnant, and therefore void. *R. Mo. 52.*

So a Lease to A. upon Condition, *that he shall not take the Profits for two Years.* *2 Leo. 132.*

Or, to A. B. and C. upon Condition, *that if C. takes the Profits during the Lives of A. and B. his Estate shall cease.* *Ibid.*

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To the Estate.

So, if a Condition upon a Feoffment be repugnant to the Nature of the Estate: As, a Feoffment, upon Condition, *that the Feoffee shall not alien;* the Estate is absolute, and the Condition void. *Co. L. 206. b. 223. a.*

So, if a Grant, Release, Confirmation, or Devise in Fee be made, upon such a Condition. *Co. L. 223. a.*

So, if a Term for Years, or Chattel Real or Personal be granted or assigned, upon such a Condition. *Co. L. 223. a. Semb. Cont. 223. b.*

So, a Feoffment or Gift in Tail, upon Condition, *that the Wife shall not be endowed, or the Husband shall not take by the Curtesy;* the Condition is void. *1 Rol. 418. l. 25. Co. L. 224. a.*

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So, a Gift in Tail, upon a Condition, *that the Donee shall not levy a Fine, or suffer a Recovery, or make a Lease within the St. 32 H. 8.* the Condition is void.

R. 6 Co. 41. 10 Co. 38. b. — Cont. as to the Lease, Co. L. 123. b. Acc. as to the Fine and Recovery, Co. L. 224. a. Hob. 170. *Vide infra.*

So, a Condition to a Gift in Tail, *that the Donee shall not be bound by a collateral Warranty.* 10 Co. 39.

Or, *that the Donee after Possibility shall be punished for Waste.* Ibid.

Or, *that the Donee shall not make a Grant for his own Life.* 6 Co. 43. a. Cont. Co. L. 223. b.

Or, *that the Donee shall not levy a Fine within the St. 4 H. 7.* 1 Rol. 418. l.

30. Otherwise, of a Fine at Common Law. Ibid. l. 39. *Vide supra.*

So a Condition, *that the Donee shall not effectually go to alter, &c.* for an Attempt, without more. is not effectual; and if an Act effectual is done, the Estate is gone to another. R. Jan. 59.

So, a Lease to A. and his Assignes, upon Condition, *that he shall not alien.* Hob.

170.

Or, *that he shall not use such a Room, or Part;* for it is not excepted. Ibid.

But a Feoffment, upon Condition, *that the Feoffee shall not alien to such a particular Person,* is not repugnant; for his Alienation is not totally restrained. Lit. S. 361.

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not be repug-
nant.

Or, *that he shall not alien in Mortmain.* Co. L. 223. b.

So a Condition to a Feoffment before the St. *Quia Emptores Terrarum* is good, *that he shall not alien without Licence.* Co. L. 223. a.

Or, by the Lord, *that he shall not alien,* generally. Semb. Co. L. 223. a.

And now, since the Stat. such a Condition to a Feoffment by the King is good; for he may reserve a Tenure to himself. Co. L. 223. a.

A Feoffment, upon Condition, *that he shall not alien other Land;* is good now. Ibid.

So a Condition to a Gift in Tail, *that he shall not alien in Fee, or pur autre vie,* is not repugnant; for such Alienation, without a Recovery, will make a Discontinuance. Lit. S. 362. 1 Rol. 418. l. 35. 21 H. 7. 11. 6 Co. 41. b.

So, if such Condition be, where the Gift is to A. in Tail, Remainder to him in Fee. R. 11 H. 7. 6. b.

So a Feoffment to Husband and Wife, upon Condition, *that they shall not alien,* restrains an Alienation, except by Fine. Co. L. 224. a. 6 Co. 41. b.

A Feoffment to an Infant, upon such Condition, is good to restrain an Alienation during his Infancy. Ibid.

So such a Condition, in a Feoffment to an Ecclesiastical Corporation, is good. Co. L. 224. a.

So, if a Lease to commence at a future Day be, upon Condition to be void, if the Lessee dies before the Commencement, or before the End of Term, it is not repugnant. R. 1 Rol. 418. l. 50.

(D. 7.) If a Condition be contrary to Law; In Obligations, &c.

If a Condition of an Obligation be to do a Thing which is *malum in se*, the Condition and also the Obligation is void: As, if an Obligation be with Condition *to kill another.* Co. L. 206. b.

To maintain, and use such a one as his Wife, who is the Wife of another. R. Mo. 477.

[Bond from A. to B. reciting they had agreed to live together, A. to maintain B. and leave her Annuity of 60 l. if he quits her, or she out-lives him; if she leaves him, he is not to maintain her any longer, or leave the Annuity; the Bond is illegal and void; it is not *Premium Pudicitie*, but *Premium Prostitutionis*. Walker v. Perkins, M. 5 G. 3. 3 B. M. 1568.]

So, if the Condition be, *to enlarge him out of Prison, or suffer his Escape.* R. Hob. 14. R. Hard. 464.

So, if the Condition becomes impossible by the Act of God, of the Law, or of the Obligee, the Obligation shall be saved. R. Mo. 855. *Vide Ante*, (D. 1.)

So, if the Condition be to perform Covenants which are void by Statute, or by Law. *Vide Covenant, (F.)*

[But Condition to resign a Benefice on Request, generally, is good; and the Court will not suffer it to be argued. *Peele v. Com. Carlol, M. 6 G. Str. 227. Turner v. Hawkins, T. 4 G. Fort. 351.*]

[So Bond with Condition that if Defendant hire *A.* as his Servant in *B.* for such Time as shall gain him Settlement in *B.* and permit him to gain Settlement there, or if *A.* gains Settlement by Defendant's Assistance any where out of *C. &c.* is a good Bond. *Whiting v. Punchard, P. 10 G. 3. 3 Wilf. 50.*]

(D. 8.) Otherwise, if contrary to a Maxim of Law, or Repugnant.

But if the Condition of an Obligation, &c. be only to do a Thing contrary to a Maxim of Law, or repugnant to the Nature of the Grant or of Estate, the Obligation is good; for he may do it, if he will forfeit his Obligation.

As, if an Obligation be, with Condition to make a Feoffment to his Wife; tho' it cannot be by the Rule of Law, the Obligation is good. *Co. L. 206. b.*

To do an Act, which will be Maintenance. *1 Rol. 417. l. 45.*

So, if an Obligation be, that the Feoffee shall not take the Profits of his Estate. *Co. L. 206. b.*

Or, that the Feoffee shall not alien. *Ibid.*

So, if the Condition of an Obligation, &c. was impossible at the making, the Obligation is single. *2 Leo. 189. 3 Lev. 74. Vide Ante, (D. 1.)*

So, if it be to perform Covenants in an Indenture, &c. which becomes void by Rasure, &c. *1 Leo. 282.*

Yet, if the Condition be Part of the Obligation, and incorporated with it, if that becomes impossible, the Obligation shall be void; as, if the Condition of a Recognizance by Bail be impossible. *1 Sal. 172.*

(E) Condition expounded.

When liberally.

THE Words of a Condition shall be liberally expounded to serve the Intent of the Parties; as, if the Condition of an Obligation be, *Whereas A. will surrender a Copyhold to B. if they so long live, then the Obligation shall be void;* it shall be Part of the Condition, that *A.* make the Surrender. *R. 1 Rol. 409. l. 30.*

So, a Condition, *That if A. discharge a Recognizance, and whereas he hath agreed to free the Obligee from two Bonds, the Condition is, that if A. save him harmless from the said two Bonds, then, &c.* it extends to the Recognizance, as well as to the two Bonds. *R. 1 Rol. 409. l. 40.*

If the Heir confirms the Grant of his Father as to a Walk in a Forest, &c. and by the same Indenture grants another Walk, upon Condition, *that he do not cut Trees in aliqua Parte Premissorum;* if he cuts in the Part confirmed, it is within the Condition. *R. 1 Rol. 422. l. 20.*

If a Man promises, *that he will not discharge A. out of Execution without the Consent of B.* and afterwards he releases the Execution, upon which *B.* recovers against him in *Assumpsit;* an Obligation by *A.* to indemnify him against all Suits which may arise upon this Release, extends to this *Assumpsit.* *R. 1 Ro. 422. l. 30. 431. l. 45. Vide Post, (I.)*

If a Condition be, *to assure Lands discharged of all prior Incumbrances, except a Lease for Years upon the antient Rent;* if he assures, but before that, and after the Condition, he makes a Lease for Years upon the antient Rent, it is no Breach. *1 Rol. 433. l. 30.*

If a Condition be, *to re-enter, if no Distress be found;* this shall be expounded of a reasonable Distress; and therefore, if a lock't Cupboard remains there, he may enter. *R. 1 Rol. 428. l. 35.*

To perform all Articles in the Indenture, does not extend to Land excepted out of the Lease, tho' it be mentioned in the Indenture. R. 1 Rol. 431. l. 25.

If a Condition be, that if he dies without Issue, he by his Deed or Will shall give Land to B. it shall be understood, that he shall make such Settlement or Disposition in his Life-time, which shall take Effect, if he dies without Issue. R. per 3 J. Jon. 180.

If a Condition be, to re-pay 500l. of the Portion, if his Wife dies within two Years after the Marriage without Issue; if she has Issue, he is not bound to re-pay, tho' the Wife and also the Issue die within two Years. R. 1 Sid. 102.

If a Condition be, that the Lessee shall not assign without the Assent of the Lessor; he cannot give, grant, or sell; for those are Assignments. Mo. 11.

If a Condition be, to deliver so many Shoes to A. a common Carrier, for the Use of the Obligee; a Delivery to the Porter of A. is sufficient, for the Master shall be bound by it. R. 2 Mod. 309.

If a Condition be, that there is no Incumbrance but an Estate for Life; an Estate for the Life of B. where his Wife by the Custom has Free-Bench, is not a Breach. 2 Ver. 45.

If a Condition be in a Lease by two Lessors, that the Lessee shall enjoy, without Disturbance or Incumbrance made by them; a Lease by one Lessor will be a Breach. R. Lat. 161.

If a Condition be, that the Lessee shall enjoy; this shall not be extended to tortious Acts: And therefore, if he be disturbed without Title, it is not a Breach of the Condition. R. 1 Rol. 430. l. 35.

So, tho' the Words are express, that he shall enjoy without the Interruption of any. Semb. Cont. 3 Leo. 44.

So in Covenant. R. Jon. 197.

If a Condition be, to save harmless concerning the Buying of Goods at such a Price; it extends to the Title of the Goods, not to the Price. R. Al. 95.

If a Condition be, that he shall not molest A. in his Lands or Goods upon any Account; for it shall be intended of a tortious Molestation. R. Cro. El. 705.

So a Condition shall not be construed to extend to Things of common Right. R. 1 Rol. 434. l. 20.

As, if a Condition be, that A. shall enjoy such Land immediately upon his Death; and at his Death the Land was sown with Corn, and his Executor takes the Emblements; the Condition does not extend to it. R. 4 Leo. 1.

[If a Man binds himself by Bond to leave his Children jointly 200 l. and leaves four Children, and by Will gives the eldest Son Land worth more than 50 l. and to the other three 50 l. apiece, payable at twenty-one; this is not Performance. Taylor v. Bird, M. 24 G. 2. 1 Wilf. 280.]

(F) To what it extends.

If a Devise be to A. in Tail, Remainder to B. in Tail, upon Condition, *Vide Ante*, that he, they, or any of them shall not discontinue, &c. the Condition extends (A. 10.) only to the Remainder. 1 Rol. 422. l. 5. R. 5 Co. 68.

A Gift to A. in Tail, Remainder to him in Fee, upon Condition, that he shall not alien, extends only to the Estate-Tail; for it is repugnant to the Fee. Co. L. 224. a.

So a Lease, upon Condition, that the Lessee or his Assigns shall not alien, unless to his Brother; if the Lessee assigns his Term to his Brother, He shall not be restrained by the Condition. R. 1 Rol. 422. l. 10. *Vide Post*, (Q.)

That the Lessee shall not sell, &c. without the Assent of the Lessor; the Executor of the Lessee, after the Death of the Lessor, may sell. Dy. 65. b. Mo. 11.

(G) Condition performed.

(G. 1.) By whom it may be.

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gainst whom
Covenant lies,
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nant, (B. 1,
&c.—C. 1,
&c.)

IF a Feoffment be upon Condition, *that the Feoffor pay so much at such a Day,* and before the Day he dies, the Heir may pay it; for he has an Interest in the Land, and the Feoffee has the same Advantage if the Payment be by the Heir, as if it were by the Feoffor himself. *Lit. S. 334.*

So a Fine to the Use of A. in Fee, but if B. pays so much before Michaelmas to A. for Life, and to B. in Fee; B. dies before Michaelmas; his Heir may pay. *Dub. 1 Rol. 420. l. 45.*

If a Devise be to a Wife for Life, and after to A. his Son in Fee, with a Proviso, *that if B. pays 500l. to A. within three Months after the Death of the Wife, B. shall have it to him and his Heirs;* B. dies before the Wife; his Heir may pay. *R. Eq. Abr. 107. Marks v. Marks, M. 5 G. Str. 129.*

So an Executor or Administrator may pay. *Lit. S. 337. Co. Lit. 209. a.*

Or the Ordinary, if there be no Executor or Administrator. *Co. L. 209. a.*

So, if the Heir be within Age, his Guardian may pay in respect of his Interest. *Co. L. 206. b.*

So every one, who has an Interest in the Condition, or in the Land, may perform the Condition: As, if a Feoffee, upon Condition to pay at Michaelmas, enfeoffs another before Michaelmas; the second Feoffee may pay. *Lit. S. 336.*

So the Feoffee himself, after his Feoffment to the other, may pay. *Ibid.*

So a Servant by the Command of the Feoffee may pay. *1 Rol. 421. l. 47.*

So, if an Heir be an Idiot, a Stranger may pay for him. *Co. L. 206. b.*

So, if a Stranger, in any Case, pay in the Name, and without the Privity of the Feoffor or his Heir, and the Feoffee accept it; it will be a good Performance. *Co. L. 207. a.*

So, if two be enfeoffed, upon Condition to re-enfeoff him for Life, Remainder in Fee to B. and one re-enfeoffs him; it shall be good for a Moiety, tho' the Condition be entire; for, by his Acceptance, the Feoffor dispensed with the Condition. *Dy. 69, 70.*

But if a Stranger of his own Head offers to perform a Condition, the Feoffor need not accept it. *Lit. S. 334.*

So, if a Condition be, *that the Feoffor pay,* without limiting a Time for Payment; the Heir, &c. cannot pay, for the Feoffor had Time only during his Life. *Lit. S. 337.*

(G. 2.) To whom it ought to be performed.

If a Condition be, *to pay, on such a Day, Money to A. his Heirs or Assigns;* it may be paid to any one named in the Condition: And therefore, the Money may be paid to the Heir of the Feoffee, after his Death; tho' he has an Executor to whom the Money belongs. *R. 5 Co. 96. Vide Chancery, (4 A. 9.)*

So it may be paid to the Heir, after Assignment by the Feoffee. *R. 5 Co. 96. 1 Rol. 421. l. 5.*

So, if a Condition be, *to convey to A. his Heirs and Assigns;* and A. dies; the Conveyance shall be to his Heir. *Semb. Jon. 181.*

So, if the Feoffee assigns all his Estate, the Payment may be to the Feoffee himself, or to his Assignee; for the Words of the Condition give him an Election to pay to the one or the other. *Co. L. 210. a.*

And after the Death of the Feoffee, the Payment may be to the Heir, or Assignee. *Ibid.*

So, if a Condition be, *to pay to A. his Heirs or Executors*; the Payment may be to the Heir or Executor, at the Election of the Feoffor. *Co. L. 210. a.*

If it be, *to pay to the Feoffor, his Heirs or Assigns*; it may be to the Heir, or Executor; for he is an Assignee in Law, and there cannot be any other Assignee of a bare Condition. *Co. L. 210. a. 5 Co. 97. a.*

If a Condition be, *to lease to A. or his Assigns*; he ought to lease to those whom A. names; for he cannot have other Assigns. *R. 1 Rol. 421. l. 20.*

If a Condition be, *that he pay to the Feoffee, without more, on such a Day*, and he dies before the Day; the Payment ought to be only to the Executor or Administrator, and cannot be to the Heir. *Lit. S. 339.*

So the Payment may be to any deputed by the Feoffee. *1 Rol. 421. l. 50.*

If a Condition be, *that he pay to the Feoffee, his Executors or Assigns*; Payment to any Executor is sufficient. *Per Manw. 3 Leo. 103.*

And it is safer to pay to an Executor, tho' within Age, than to an Administrator *durante minore etate.* *R. 3 Leo. 103.*

But if a Condition name any to whom the Payment shall be, it cannot be paid to another: As, a Feoffment upon Condition, *that he pay to the Feoffee or his Heirs*; the Payment ought to be to the Heir, and cannot be to the Executor. *Lit. S. 339. Co. L. 210. a. R. 5 Co. 96. b. 97. a.*

So it cannot be paid to an Assignee; for he is not named. *R. 5 Co. 96. b. 1 Rol. 421. l. 10.*

So, if a Condition be, *to pay to the Feoffee, his Heirs or Assigns*, and the Feoffee grants for Life or Years; the Payment cannot be to the Grantee; for no Assignee is intended, who has not an Assignment of all his Interest, viz. in Fee, in Tail, or for Life with Remainder in Fee. *R. 5 Co. 97. a.*

So, if the Feoffee makes his Executor, the Payment cannot be to him; for an Assignee in Law shall not be intended, where there may be an Assignee in Fact. *R. 5 Co. 97. a. Co. L. 210. a.*

If a Condition be, *to pay to such whom the Obligee shall name by his Will*, and he does not name any; the Payment shall not be to his Executor, for there ought to be an express Nominee. *R. 1 Rol. 422. l. 25.*

(G. 3.) At what Time.

If a Condition upon a Feoffment, Obligation, &c. be to do a single Act, or Labour, which concerns himself only; he shall have Time to do it during his Life. *Co. L. 208, 9.*

And shall not be bound to do it upon Request. *Co. L. 209. a.*

As, if a Feoffment, Obligation, &c. be upon Condition, *that the Feoffee, Obligee, &c. go to Rome, Jerusalem, &c.* the Feoffee has Time to go, during his Life. *Ibid.*

Or, *that a Stranger go to Rome, &c.* *Ibid.*

So, if a Condition be to do an Act, without limiting any Time; he who has Benefit by it may do it at what Time he pleases: As, if a Condition of a Feoffment be, *that upon Payment of 10l. the Feoffor may re-enter*; he may pay it when he pleases. *Pl. Com. 16. a.*

If a Condition be to do a local Thing to the Feoffor or Obligee himself, he has Time during Life, unless he be hastened by Request; as, if a Feoffment or Obligation be upon Condition, *that he re-enseoff the Feoffor or Obligee.* *Co. L. 208. b. 1 Rol. 438. l. 15, 40. Co. L. 219. a. 220. a.*

So, if it be, *that he re-enseoff the Feoffor, and a Stranger.* *Co. L. 219. b.*

Or, *re-grant to the Feoffor in Tail, Remainder to a Stranger.* *Ibid.*

So, if a Devise be to A. upon Condition, *that she marry B.* Time shall be allowed to A. to marry at any Time during her Life. *Per Holt, Skin. 320.*

So, if a Devise be upon Condition, *that A. marry him before her Age of 21 Years*, and B. dies before such Age; A. shall have the Land till her Age of 21 Years. *Ibid.*

(G. 3.)
When he has
Time during
his Life.
Tho' there
be a Request.

(G. 4.)
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Time during
his Life.
Unless where
hastened by
Request.

(G. 5.)
When to be
performed
immediately.

But where a Condition is to do a transitory Thing without limiting any Time, it ought to be done immediately, viz. in convenient Time; as, an Obligation to pay Money, to deliver Charters, &c. Co. L. 208. a. 1 Rol. 436. l. 15 to 35. An Obligation to deliver up an Obligation in which A. and B. are bound. R. 6 Co. 30. b.

A Devise upon Condition to pay Debts; they ought to be paid in convenient Time. 1 Rol. 437. l. 20.

Or, to sell for Payment of Debts. 1 Rol. 437. l. 25.

To find Security for Payment. R. 1 Rol. 438. l. 25.

If a Man be bound to make further Assurance, &c. he ought to execute it immediately when required, without taking Time to advise with Counsel. 1 Rol. 440. l. 5, 15. 441. l. 30, 45. Per 2 J. Barkley Cont. Jon. 314. Vide Post, (H.)

So, if a Condition be to do a local Thing, which may be done in the Absence, and without the Concurrence of the Obligee, it shall be performed immediately: As, an Obligation, that he acknowledge Satisfaction upon Record in B. R. Co. L. 208. b. 1 Rol. 436. l. 30.

So, if a Condition be to do a Thing transitory or local, to a Stranger: As, to pay Money to a Stranger. Co. L. 208. b. 1 Rol. 437. l. 15. 438. l. 5.

To enfeof a Stranger; he ought to do it immediately, for otherwise the Stranger will lose the Profits in the mean Time. Co. L. 208. b. 1 Rol. 439. l. 30.

Otherwise, if the King has Land upon such Condition. Dy. 139.

Or, if it be, to the Stranger in Tail, Remainder to the Feoffor. 1 Rol. 438. l. 22. Cont. Co. L. 219. b.

So, if a Condition be to do a local Thing to the Feoffor, or Obligee himself, it ought to be done immediately, where the Intent of the Parties will be otherwise frustrated: As, an Obligation to grant an Annuity to the Obligee, for his Life, to be paid annually at Easter; it ought to be granted before Easter: otherwise it cannot be paid annually at Easter during his Life. Co. L. 208. b. 1 Rol. 439. l. 15.

If A. promises to sell a Lease of Tithes made to B. for his Life, and by him assigned to A. and to pay the Money raised by the Sale, or otherwise to re-deliver the Assignment; he ought to do it in convenient Time, and has not Time to sell during his Life; for then perhaps by the Death of A. the Lease will expire. R. 1 Rol. 436. l. 40.

So a Promise to procure the King's Grant, of a Ward, shall be done in convenient Time; for otherwise the Profits in the mean Time will be lost. R. 1 Rol. 437. l. 40.

So, if a Feoffment be made, upon Condition to give back the Advowson to the Feoffor for his Life; it ought to be given back before an Avoidance happens. R. 2 Co. 78. b. Co. L. 222. b.

If a Covenant be to make a Lease to B. who shall pay 20l. as a Fine; B. ought to request the Lease in a convenient Time. R. Bridg. 41.

But where a Condition is to be performed immediately, he shall have a reasonable Time to perform it, according to the Nature of the Thing to be done. Vide Post, (H.) 1 Rol. 449. l. 12.

So, if it be to be performed upon Demand. 1 Rol. 449. l. 12. 443. l. 17.

But if he refuses upon Demand, it is broken, tho' he performs it within a reasonable Time afterwards. 1 Rol. 449. l. 15.

If a Condition be to make an Obligation immediately by the Advice of B. he shall have a reasonable Time to obtain the Advice of B. 1 Rol. 443. l. 15.

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performed
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mited.
What shall be
the Time in-
tended.

If upon a Writ returnable die Lunæ prox. post Cras. Trin. an Arrest be on the last Day, and an Obligation of the same Date, to appear die Lunæ prox. post Cras. Trin. he ought to appear the same Day. Dub. 1 Rol. 444. l. 30.

If a Condition be to pay at Mich. without more; he ought to pay at the next Mich. R. 1 Rol. 444. l. 50.

If a Condition be, to pay A. D. 1599. upon the 12th of October next after Date; it shall be paid the 12th of October, Anno 1599, tho' that be not the October

October next after Date: For the Intent appears, that it be paid *Anno* 1599, and the subsequent Words shall be construed to stand with the precedent; or if they cannot, they shall be void. R. 1 Rol. 444. l. 40.

If an Obligation, dated 17th November, 12 Jac. be, upon Condition, to pay the 21st November ensuing 5l. and 5l. more on the 20th of December next after; the first 5l. shall be paid on the 21st of November, 12 Jac. for, ensuing, refers to the Day, not to the Month. R. 1 Rol. 442. l. 20.

If a Condition be, to pay when A. comes to his House 10s. and 10s. at Mich. and 10s. at St. Andrew then next; the Payment of the latter Sums ought to be at the next Mich. and St. Andrew; and not at those Feasts after A. comes to his House. 1 Rol. 442. l. 25.

If a Condition be, to pay *citra, infra, vel ante Festum*; it ought to be paid before the Feast-Day. 1 Rol. 442. l. 30.

But if it be, in *Festo*, it ought to be paid upon the Feast-Day. 1 Rol. 442. l. 35.

If a Condition be, to pay within forty Days after a Ship returns from her Voyage to the Port of D. or to another Port where the Goods are unladen, the Ship returns to the Port of P. and there unlades; Payment ought to be in forty Days after the Arrival, and not after the Unlading: For that is but the Description of the other Port. R. 1 Rol. 442. l. 40.

[In Debt on Bond, the Condition whereof reciting, "That a Marriage was intended between A. and B. but at B.'s Request to be deferred to her Father's Death; that A. and B. had mutually engaged not to intermarry but with each other; in Consideration thereof, and for Provision for A. if said Marriage should not take Effect, and that B. should intermarry with any other Person, or die before the Marriage, or refuse to marry A. on her Father's Death, B. had agreed that A. in either of the Cases aforesaid should have 1200 l. of her Fortune, and 5l. per Cent. Interest from the Date; Now, if B. within a Month of her Inter-marriage with any Person but A. or within a Month after her Father's Death, pay A. 1200 l. and 5l. per Cent. Interest from the Date, or her Heirs, &c. within a Month of her Death pay A. 1200 l. then, &c." and B. afterwards marries another Man in her Father's Life-time, the Bond is forfeited, and the Money then payable, for the Law will supply the Words, *which shall first happen*. Semb. Box v. Day, P. 17 G. 2. Wilf. 59.]

If a Condition be to pay Money at such a Day, it is sufficient if it be paid before the Day, if the Party accepts it; for that amounts to Payment upon the Day. R. 1 Rol. 440. l. 30, 35. 473. l. 30. Co. L. 212. b.

So, if it be to enfeof such a one at a future Day; it is sufficient if he enfeof before the Day. 1 Rol. 440. l. 40.

Or, to enfeof after the Death of A. and he enfeoffs in his Life-time. 1 Rol. 440. l. 45.

If it be to pay at or before such a Day; he may pay at any Time before, if he comes to the Obligee, or meets him at the Place appointed for Payment. R. Cro. El. 14.

But Payment before the Day will not give a collateral Advantage: And therefore, if a Condition be, upon Payment the 1st of May to re-enter; if he pays before, he cannot re-enter till the 1st of May. R. 1 Rol. 473. l. 30.

So it is sufficient, if it be performed at the last Part of the Time limited: As, if the Parliament enacts, that A. shall be convicted, if he does not surrender himself within a Quarter of a Year; it is sufficient, that he be surrendered on the last Day of the Quarter. 1 Rol. 442. l. 15.

If a Condition of an Obligation be to pay at or before 29th Sept. next; a Tender shall not be good without Notice, unless it be upon the last Day, viz. 29th Sept. R. Cro. El. 14.

And a Tender may be the last Instant of the Day. Adm. Mo. 122.

An Obligee, &c. to whom a Condition is to be performed, need not attend the whole Day. Vide 1 Rol. 443. l. 7.

(G. 9.)

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It may be
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Day limited.

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Or at the last
Part of the
Day.

(G. 9.) In what Place it shall be performed.

If a Condition of an Obligation be to pay Money to the Obligee, at a Day certain, without limiting any Place; the Obligor is to seek out the Obligee if he be within the Realm. *Lit. S. 340.*

So, if a Feoffment be upon such Condition; for it is a Sum in Grofs, and collateral to the Land. *Lit. S. 340. 1 Rol. 445. l. 30, ad 40.*

So, if a Condition be, that a Stranger shall shew a Deed to his Counsel upon Request; after Request made, the Stranger ought to seek out his Counsel. *1 Rol. 443. l. 35.*

But if a Condition be, to deliver a weighty Thing, as Corn, Timber, &c. the Obligor, before the Day, ought to enquire where the Obligee will appoint the Delivery. *Co. L. 210. b. 4 Leo. 46.*

If a Condition be to pay Rent; it is sufficient, that it be tendred, or paid, upon the Land. *Co. L. 210. b.*

And it may be tendred upon the Land, tho' he be bound by Covenant to pay, *1 Rol. 443. l. 52.*

Or, bound under a Penalty to pay. *1 Rol. 444. l. 2.*

So, if a Condition be to pay, &c. at a Place certain, without limiting any certain Time; the Party ought to give Notice to the Obligee of the Time when he will pay. *Co. L. 211. a. 8 Co. 92. b. 1 Rol. 449. l. 5.*

Or, if he meets the Obligee or Feoffee at the Place at any Time, he may pay. *Co. L. 211. a.*

Or, if the Obligee receives the Money at another Place, it is sufficient, tho' he need not. *Co. L. 212.*

So, if a Condition be, that a Stranger make a Feoffment, or do another Act to a Stranger at such a Day; he who is to make the Feoffment ought to give Notice to the Feoffee, and request him to be upon the Land. *Co. L. 211. a.*

If a Condition be to do an Act at such a Place upon Request, the Request may be in any Place: As, to deliver at *Rotterdam super Requisitionem de eodem*; the Request in any other Place, to deliver there, is good. *R. 1 Rol. 443. l. 20.*

If a Place certain be limited for Payment, he is not bound to pay at another Place. *1 Rol. 445. l. 52. 444. l. 7.*

Neither need the other accept it in another Place. *1 Rol. 446. l. 5, 10. 444. l. 10. Lit. S. 343.*

But Acceptance at another Place is sufficient. *Lit. S. 343.*

(G. 10.) How a Condition shall be performed

(G. 10.)
All Incidents.
How Per-
formance shall
be pleaded.
*Vide in Plead-
er, (C. 58,
&c.)*

If a Condition be to do a Thing; he ought to do all that which depends upon the Performance. *1 Rol. 422. l. 45.*

As, if a Condition be to stand to an Award concerning a Partition; if it awards a Partition, and that he levy a Fine for Confirmation, he ought to levy the Fine; for it depends upon the Partition, and enforces it. *1 Rol. 433. l. 47.*

(G. 11.)
Strictly per-
formed.

So he ought to perform it strictly: As, if a Condition be to enter a *Retraxit*, and he discontinues; it is not a Performance. *1 Rol. 426. l. 32.*

To appear at the Suit of such a one in B. R. and he appears there the same Term in another Suit; tho' this be an Appearance in Law, it is not a Performance. *R. 1 Rol. 426. l. 40.*

To pay to the Obligee; Payment to his Wife, without more, is not a Performance. *R. Rol. 427. l. 10.*

To enfeoff one, and he enfeoffs him and others. *1 Rol. 427. l. 45.*

That two shall enfeoff, and one enfeoffs the Whole. *1 Rol. 421. l. 45.*

(G. 12.)
According to
the Intent.
Vide Ant,
(E.)
Vide Post,
M. 1.)

So, if a Condition be, that it shall be lawful for the Lessee to enjoy; if the Lessor enters upon him wrongfully, it is a Breach; for the Intent was, that the Lessor should not interrupt him. *R. 1 Rol. 427. l. 15. R. Cro. El. 544.*

That

That the Lessee shall not parcel out his Land from the House; if he leases to another the House and Part of the Land, and afterwards leases the other Part it is a Breach. R. 1 Rol. 427. l. 20.

That he assure Land which was bargained and sold to him; tho' the Bargain and Sale were void, yet he ought to assure the Land, which was pretended to be bargained. R. 1 Rol. 427. l. 30.

That he acquit him; if he gives an Acquittance, but does not acquit him in Fact, it is not sufficient. 1 Rol. 433. l. 43.

That he enjoy without Damage for Want of Warranty; if he does not render in Value upon the Warranty, is not sufficient. 1 Rol. 433. l. 37.

That he shall not alien; and he gives to his Son. 1 Rol. 433. l. 50.

If a Recognizance be, upon Condition to try an Indictment the next Term, and a Trial is had, but the Verdict quashed for a Defect in the *Venire facias*; the Recognizance is forfeited, for it ought to be an effectual Trial. R. Mod. Ca. 179.

So a Condition ought to be performed truly and *bona fide*, and not colourably; (G. 13.) and therefore, if it be agreed, that the Money shall be paid at the Day limited by the Condition, but shall be returned immediately to him who pays it; the Condition is not performed. Co. L. 209. b. Ought to be performed *bona fide*.

If a Condition be, *quod licitum foret to A. to see all the Accounts of the Testator*, and one of the Executors refuses to shew them, and the other, who was bound with such Condition, says, that he does not deny it; it is not a Performance, for he ought to shew all the Accounts. R. 1 Rol. 431. l. 5.

But it is sufficient, if the Substance of the Condition be performed. Vide (G. 14.) 1 Rol. 426. l. 8. But it is sufficient, if it be performed in Substance.

If a Condition be, *that he suffer the Lessee to enjoy without the Interruption of any*; an Entry of a Stranger by an elder Title is not a Breach, for the Word, *suffer*, is Passive. 1 Rol. 425. l. 45.

So a Condition, *that he permit Land to descend*; tho' his Son is outlawed, and cannot take. R. 1 Rol. 426. l. 5.

That he deliver Letters Patents; and he delivers an Exemplification of them. 1 Rol. 426. l. 10.

That he enfeoff; and he conveys by Lease and Release. Semb. 1 Rol. 426. l. 12. Co. L. 207. a.

That he grant the Reversion; and he enfeoffs, and the Tenant re-enters. 1 Rol. 426. l. 15.

That he give Licence to carry Goods; and the Party is disturbed by a Stranger. 1 Rol. 426. l. 25, 20.

That he withdraw his Suit; and he discontinues. 1 Rol. 427. l. 5.

That the Lessee may enjoy without Molestation, and a Rent-seck is issuing out of the Land; it is not a Breach, for the Possession is not incumbered with it. 1 Rol. 434. l. 15.

And if the Rent-seck be to the Queen, who may distrain of Common Right by her Prerogative; it is not a Breach, for he is not bound to discharge Things of Common Right. R. 1 Rol. 434. l. 20. Vide Ante, (E.)

A Condition, *that he pay to A. and other Parishioners of B. if he pay to A. and two others*, it is sufficient. R. Mo. 68.

If A. be bound by Recognizance to perform the Will of B. and to satisfy all Bequests according to his true Intent, who devised Lands held in Capite to C. in Fee; if the Heir enters for the third Part, it is not a Breach.

[A Note for Payment of Money on a South-Sea Contract, is a Performance or Composition as well as a Bond. *Fotheringham v. Mozato*, P. 1722. *Bunb.* 108.]

(H) Condition to make Assurance.

If a Condition be to levy a Fine, or make an Assurance, without saying, at whose Charge; it shall be at the Costs of him, who is bound to do it. 1 Rol. 422. l. 50.

And the Obligor ought to sue a Writ of Covenant for the Fine, in the Name of the Obligee. 1 Rol. 422. l. 52. Cont. 1 Rol. 438. l. 40. D. Cont. 5 Co. 127. a.

If a Condition be to make Assurance, he ought to make an effectual Assurance; and therefore, if it be to make a Feoffment, a Charter of Feoffment, with a Letter of Attorney to make Livery, is not a Performance, if Livery be not made.

1 Rol. 425. l. 35. To surrender a Copyhold, is not performed by a Surrender to Copyhold-Tenants, if it be not presented at the next Court. R. 1 Rol. 425. l. 20.

If a Man bargains and sells Land by Indenture, and covenants to make a good Estate before Christmas next; an Inrolment of the Indenture before is not sufficient, but he ought to levy a Fine, make a Feoffment, &c. R. 3 Leo. 1. Bend. pl. 62. And. 27.

If a Covenant be to make Assurance, &c. he ought to do every Thing that is necessary to be executed by him, tho' without some other Act, as Livery, Inrolment, &c. the Assurance is not complete. R. 1 And. 56.

But if a Condition be to make such a Release, &c. as A shall direct; if he executes that which A directs, it is enough, tho' it be not sufficient. D. 5 Co. 23. b.

So, if it be to make a sufficient Estate by the Advice of A. who advises that which is not sufficient. 5 Co. 23. b.

So it ought to be an absolute Assurance; for if a Man be bound to make an absolute Assurance of a Copyhold, a Conditional Surrender is not a Performance. R. 1 Rol. 425. l. 10.

So, if he be bound to make Assurance, generally. 1 Rol. 425. l. 15.

If a Condition be, to make a Conveyance of such Land, or, to assure such Land; he ought to make any Conveyance or Assurance that shall be required.

So, if it be to do all Acts for Assuring. Yel. 45.

And if a Conveyance, generally, be required, he ought to execute some Sort of Conveyance. R. Yel. 45.

If a Fine, or Bargain and Sale be afterwards demanded, he ought to do it; for he is bound to do all Acts *toties quoties* he shall be required. *Ibid.*

If a Note of a Fine to be acknowledged before a Judge of Assise be required; he ought to do it, tho' a Writ of Covenant is not depending; for it is preparatory. R. Mo. 810. 2 Cro. 251.

If a Common Recovery be required; he ought to do it. 1 Rol. 427. l. 25.

If it be to make Assurance at the Costs of the Obligee; he ought to make, tho' not necessary, all the Assurances required. Per 2 J. Mo. 570.

If the Condition be, to make such Assurance for Money as Counsel shall devise, and he devises an Obligation of 1000l. for Payment of 100l. he ought to execute it. 1 Rol. 423. l. 25.

Otherwise, if it be to make such reasonable Assurance. 1 Rol. 423. l. 30.

If it be to make an Obligation, and he tenders an Obligation which binds his Heirs; he ought to execute it. 1 Rol. 424. l. 32.

If there be a Receipt for Purchase-Money contained in it; he ought to execute it. Dub. Mo. 367.

If a Condition be to assure to such an one as B. shall name; an Assurance to B. himself is good; for his Acceptance is a Nomination of himself. 1 Rol. 424. l. 10.

To assure to B. and his Heirs; if B. dies, it shall be made to his Heir; for the Copulative shall be construed in the Disjunctive. R. 1 Rol. 450. l. 50.

But if the Condition be, to make an Assurance or Conveyance, and a Warranty or Covenant be in the Deed; he is not bound to execute it. 1 Rol. 424. l. 37. R. 2 Cro. 571. 2 Rol. 191. R. 1 Leo. 29. Dub. 1 Sid. 467. R. 1 Mod. 67. Per 2 J. And. Cont. 2 Leo. 130. Per Co. 1 Rol. 71.

So he is not bound to execute an Obligation, or Statute for Enjoyment; for that is not an Assurance. 2 Cro. 115.

Yet a Conveyance with reasonable Covenants he ought to execute. Cont. 2 Cro. 571. Acc. Ray 190. 1 Mod. 67.

So,

So, tho' a Condition be to make such Assurance as Counsel shall advise, and the Counsel advises an Obligation. 1 Rol. 423. l. 10. 2 Cro. 115.

So, if it be such Assurance of an Annuity as Counsel shall advise, and he advises an Obligation. Dub. 1 Rol. 423. l. 20.

Otherwise, if, all Acts for Assurance which Counsel shall devise. Per Popb. 1 Rol. 423. l. 15.

So, if it be all reasonable Acts for Assurance. R. Yel. 45.

So he is not bound to execute an Assurance, which contains more than the Condition; as, a Fine of four Houses, where the Condition was for two only; tho' the Use of the other two will be to the Conusor. R. 1 Rol. 425. l. 5. R. 1 Sid. 467.

If a Condition be to make such reasonable Assurance of Land in Fee, reserving Rent to the Feoffor in Fee, as Counsel shall advise, who devises a Feoffment reserving Rent in Fee; it is not good, for it will be a Rent-seck, and the Deed belongs to the Feoffee. R. 1 Rol. 423. l. 35.

So, tho' the Agreement be to do it by Deed, and he devises a Feoffment by Deed Poll; for it belongs to the Feoffee. 1 Rol. 423. l. 30.

Otherwise, if the Feoffment was by Indenture. Semb. 1 Rol. 423. l. 45.

If a Condition be to be bound with A. which imports a joint Obligation, he need not execute an Obligation joint and several. R. 1 Rol. 424. l. 40.

Tho' it be, by such a Writing and in such a Sum as B. shall agree, and he agrees to an Obligation joint and several. Semb. 1 Rol. 424. l. 45.

If a Condition be to assure to B. as his Counsel shall advise; if B. himself devises, he is not bound to do it. R. 5 Co. 19. b. Cro. El. 297. R. Cont. Cro. El. 465. 1 Rol. 466. l. 20.

Otherwise, if it be, as Counsel may advise. Semb. 1 Rol. 424. l. 5.

And if his Counsel advises B. who gives Notice of it to the Obligor, it is well, and more proper than if Counsel advises the Obligor himself. R. 5 Co. 19. b. 1 Rol. 424. l. 15. Vide Cro. El. 298.

Otherwise perhaps, if it was, as Counsel advises the Defendant himself. Per Popb. Cro. El. 298.

If it be to make a Release upon the Performance of all of the other Part, who was to make a Feoffment at the Charge of B. he need not make the Release before the Feoffment, tho' B. did not tender the Charge. Dy. 371. a.

If a Condition be to assure as Counsel advises; it is sufficient, that it be notified what Sort of Conveyance his Counsel advises. Per Popb. Mo. 595.

But if it be as Counsel devises, he ought to tender the Conveyance engrossed. Ibid.

And if a Condition be to make such Assurance as the Obligee or his Counsel shall advise; he ought to give Notice to the Obligor what Assurance is devised or advised. 5 Co. 23. b.

So, if it be such Release, &c. as A. his Counsel shall advise; he ought to procure A. to direct the Release. R. 5 Co. 23. b. Cro. El. 716. D. Cont. 1 Leo. 105.

If it be to make such Assignment as Counsel shall advise; he ought to procure Counsel to advise. Dub. 3 Mod. 192.

But if it be to make such Release, &c. as a Judge, or a Stranger shall advise; the Obligor ought to procure his Advice. R. 5 Co. 23. b.

Or, such as satisfies his Counsel; the Obligor ought to tender a Release to the Counsel of the Obligee, to know if he be satisfied with it. R. 2 Lev. 95.

So, if it be to assure at the Charge of the Obligee, &c. he ought to notify what Assurance he will make, before the other need tender the Charges. R. Mo. 454. Ow. 157. 5 Co. 22. b. Cro. El. 517. 2 Mod. 75. Vide Election, (A. 1, 2.)

Or, to make any particular Conveyance, as a Feoffment, &c. he ought to notify what Feoffment, and how he will make it. R. 5 Co. 22. b. Cro. El. 517.

But if a Condition be to assure such Land to another, he ought to make the Assurance at his Peril.

So, if it be to assure at the Charge of the Obligee; he ought to assure without a Tender of the Charges, for the Obligee does not know what Charge shall be paid till

till the Obligor gives Notice what Assurance he will make. R. 5 Co. 22. b. Mo. 454. Cro. El. 517. Ow. 157.

So, if it be to make a Feoffment or other particular Assurance; the Obligor shall do the first Act, and give Notice what Feoffment, &c. he will make. 5 Co. 22. b. Per Walmsley, but the other Judges Cont. Cro. El. 517.

Or, to make the Assurance which his own Counsel shall devise; he ought to procure his Counsel to devise. Per Gawdy, 1 Rol. 464. l. 1.

If it be to assure Land, upon Request; he ought to make a good Estate at his Peril, without a Tender of a Conveyance by the Obligee: For the Request does not relate to the Manner of Conveyance, but to the Time. R. 1 Rol. 465. l. 5. R. Mo. 682.

So, if a Condition be to make, and upon Request to seal an Obligation. Z. 1 Rol. 465. l. 25.

If a Condition be to execute a Release to the Satisfaction of the Counsel of the Plaintiff; he ought to do it without a Tender. R. Ray. 232. 1 Vent. 255. 1 Mod. 104.

If a Condition be, that two make an Assurance as shall be devised, and the Assurance be devised and tendred to one, who refuses; the Condition is broken, for he need not tender to both together. 1 Rol. 454. l. 45.

If a Condition be to make such Assurance as the Obligee shall devise; he ought to execute it immediately when it is tendred, and shall not have Time for advising with his Counsel. R. 2 Co. 3. 1 Rol. 424. l. 25. 440. l. 5, 15. 441. l. 35. R. Dy. 338. a.

So, if it be, such Assurance as the Counsel of the Obligee shall devise, and he tenders a Surrender, &c.

So, if he tenders a Letter of Attorney to make a Surrender, he ought to take Notice of the Law, if it be an Assurance within the Condition, and shall not have Time for advising. R. 1 Rol. 441. l. 45. Cro. Car. 299. Vide Jan. 314.

But if he advises a Fine, he shall have a reasonable Time to do it. R. 1 Rol. 441. l. 40. 466. l. 15.

If he be bound to make Assurance at his own Costs as shall be required; the Obligee cannot require more Assurances than are necessary. Mo. 570.

If it be to surrender a Copyhold upon Request; he shall have a reasonable Time for it. Semb. Godb. 445.

If a Request be to surrender by Attorney; he need not do it: for the Covenantor has his Election how he will surrender. Godb. 445. Jan. 314.

(I) Condition to indemnify.

A Condition to indemnify against A. is broken by his threatening to beat the Obligee, by reason of which he dares not go about his Business. 1 Rol. 453. l. 12.

If a Condition be to save harmless from an Obligation in which he is bound to A. the Obligor ought to discharge it by Release, or otherwise. 1 Rol. 432. l. 25.

So, if it be to save harmless from all Suits and Demands concerning that Obligation. 5 Co. 24. a.

And therefore, if he pays the Money at the Day, tho' he was not sued or arrested for it; the Condition is broken. R. 5 Co. 24. a. R. 1 Rol. 433. l. 5.

So, if the Obligation be forfeited, whereby he is liable to be sued. Semb. 1 Rol. 432. l. 30.

A fortiori if he be sued, tho' the Obligation be satisfied before Execution, R. 1 Rol. 432. l. 45.

So, if a Condition be to be discharged of Tithes; it shall be broken if he be sued for Tithes, tho' they be not recovered. 1 Rol. 430. l. 10.

If a Condition be to save harmless from all Actions which may arise upon the releasing of D. out of Execution; he ought to indemnify him from an Action upon his Promise not to release. R. 1 Rol. 431. l. 45.

To save harmless from all Legacies ; he ought to indemnify from a Decree in a Court of Equity for a Legacy. R. 1 Rol. 430. l. 5.

But if a Condition be to save harmless from all Things contained in an Indenture, he is not bound to indemnify from a collateral Thing ; As, from an Obligation in which he is bound to perform the Covenants in the same Indenture. 1 Rol. 432. l. 35.

Nor, from Actions, in which he has a lawful Defence without the Obligor. 1 Rol. 432. l. 42.

So a Covenant to indemnify from all Rents payable to the Lessor, is not broken, if the Rent be in arrear. 1 Rol. 433. l. 10.

Or, if an illegal Distress be taken for the Rent. Ibid.

[If a Covenant be to save harmless against a Seizure made by A. it extends to it, whether the Seizure be tortious or not ; but if a general Covenant to save harmless, it extends not to tortious Acts. Perry v. Edwards, M. 7. G. Str. 400.]

So a Condition to perform an Award, by which A. shall be acquitted of such a Matter in a Bill in Chancery depending against him, is not broken by the Filing a new Bill against him for the same Matter, if no Process issues against him. R. 1 Rol. 432. l. 20.

So, a Condition to save without Damage from all prior Incumbrances by him ; a prior Assignment by him to B. is not a Breach, if B. does not enter nor disturb the Possession. R. 1 Rol. 430. l. 15.

So a Bill in Chancery, alledging that a Lease was in Trust for the Lessor, is no Breach ; for it does not meddle with the Possession. R. 1 Rol. 430. l. 45.

So, tho' the Words are large, they shall not be extended beyond the Intent ; as, if a Condition be, to save harmless from the Damages A. shall sustain on Account of a Bastard ; he ought to indemnify from the Charge of maintaining it, but not from a legal Prosecution against A. for it. R. Lut. 669.

So, if a Covenant be to save harmless upon Request ; if a Damage happens before Request, he is bound to indemnify : As, if a Statute be extended before Request. R. Mo. 189.

(K) Condition in the Disjunctive.

(K. 1.) How performed.

IF a Condition be in the Disjunctive, he who ought to do the first Act shall have an Election to do the one, or the other. Co. L. 145. a.

As, if a Condition be to enfeoff of such or such Land, to pay Gold or Silver, to deliver one Thing or another ; the Obligor has an Election to do the one, or the other. 1 Rol. 446. l. 20.

So, if it be to enfeoff, pay, &c. at the Request of the Obligee ; for his Request only ascertains the Time of the doing it. 1 Rol. 446. l. 25, 30. 467. l. 5.

So, if it be to do at Mich. at his Request, or at the Feast of Easter. 1 Rol. 446. l. 40.

But where the Disjunctive goes only to the Time, and that is referred to the Request of the Obligee, it gives the Election to him ; As, to do at Mich. or before, at the Request of A. 1 R. 446. l. 35, 37.

If a Condition be that before Mich. he make a Lease for thirty-one Years if A. assents, otherwise, for twenty-one Years ; A. does not assent ; he ought to make a Lease for twenty-one Years before Mich. 1 Rol. 446. l. 15.

[A. devises Lands to Trustees to pay the Rents to his Son B. during Life, then to stand seized to the Use of B.'s Wife for Jointure, then to the Use of Sons of B. then to the Use of Daughters of B. then to A.'s Daughters C. and D. Provided if B. marries a Woman without competent Fortune, or without the Consent of the Trustees, then after B.'s Death to stand seized to the Use of C. and D. B. marries a Woman with competent Fortune but without Consent of Trustees. This is sufficient Performance of this Condition Precedent, especially as it is a Condition in Restraint of Marriage. Long v. Dennis, P. 7 G. 3. 4 B. M. 2052.]

(K. 2.) When it shall be excused.

If the Condition be in the Disjunctive, and the Obligor has an Election to do the one Thing or the other, if one Part becomes impossible by Default of the Party, he shall not be bound to perform the other Part; As, if it be to *make such Assurance to A. as A. shall devise, or upon Default to pay 500l.* If A. does not tender an Assurance, he need not pay the 500l. R. 1 Rol. 446. l. 45. 2 Mod. 202, 203.

To deliver an Obligation, or execute a Release which A. shall tender; and he does not tender a Release. R. 1 Rol. 447. l. 10.

So, if one Part becomes impossible by the Act of God. *Vide Ante*, (D. 1.)

But where the Election is not affixed to the Obligor till one Part be requested by the Obligee; if it be not requested, the Obligor ought to do the other Part. 1 Rol. 447. l. 20.

So, if one Part was impossible at the Time of the Making; he ought to do the other Part. 1 Rol. 450. l. 40, 45.

So, if a Condition be *to make a Lease to A. for Life before Mich. or to pay to him 100l.* A. dies before Mich. and before the Lease made; he ought to pay 100l. to his Executor. R. 1 Sal. 170.

Or, if a Condition be *that his Son convey to B. and his Heirs before Mich. or shall pay 70l.* and B. dies before Mich. he ought to pay the 70l. Semb. 3 Mod. 232.

So, if a Condition be *that a Stranger appear, or pay so much*; if he cannot appear, he ought to pay. R. Ray. 373.

(K. 3.) What shall be a Condition in the Disjunctive.

If a Condition be in the Copulative, but it is impossible to be so performed; it shall be taken in the Disjunctive; As, if it be *that A. and his Heirs or Executors do such a Thing.* 1 Rol. 444. l. 20.

That A. and his Assigns do it. 1 Rol. 444. l. 25.

(K. 4.) Annuity *pro Consilio*.

If an Annuity be granted *pro Consilio impendendo*; he ought to give his Counsel on Demand, for otherwise the Annuity determines. 1 Rol. 435. l. 5.

Otherwise, if it was *pro Consilio impenso & impendendo.* 1 Rol. 435. l. 10.

But the Grantee need not travel, or do any Thing but give his Counsel, where he may be found. 1 Rol. 434. l. 30.

Otherwise, if a Physician, who has an Annuity *pro Consilio & Auxilio.* Semb. 1 Rol. 434. l. 40.

So, if it be granted *pro Servitio & Consilio.* 1 Rol. 434. l. 45.

And he need not travel with him, tho' the other is willing to pay his Charges. 1 Rol. 434. l. 47.

So he need not set his Hand to a Bill in Chancery. R. 1 Rol. 434. l. 50.

So, if the Grantor does not disclose his Case, the Grantee shall be excused. 1 Rol. 434. l. 33.

So, if the Grantee gives such Counsel as he is able; it is sufficient, tho' it be not good. 1 Rol. 434. l. 35.

(L) When Non-performance shall be excused.

(L. 1.) If done as near to the Condition as it can be.

IF the Condition be performed in Substance, it is sufficient. *Vide Ante*, (G. 14.)

So, if it be performed as near the Intent of the Condition as can be: As, if a Condition be, *that the Feoffee shall give the Land to the Feoffor and his Wife,*

and the Heirs of their Bodies, &c. and before the Estate is re-given, the Feoffor dies; the Condition will be performed, if the Feoffee gives it to the Wife for Life without Impeachment of Waste, Remainder to the Heirs of the Body of the Husband upon the Wife begotten. *Lit. S.* 352.

Or, that he shall give an Estate to a Layman in Frankalmoigne, (which cannot be;) it is sufficient if he makes an Estate to him for Life. *Co. L.* 219. b.

Or, that he give an Estate in Frankmarriage to A. with a Daughter of the Feoffor, (which cannot be;) it is sufficient if he make an Estate to them for their Lives. *Ibid.*

If a Condition be to enfeoff two before such a Day, and one dies, he ought to enfeoff the other. *R. 1 Rol.* 451. l. 2.

Or, to enfeoff A. and his Heirs, and A. dies; he ought to enfeoff the Heir; for [and] shall be taken as a Disjunctive [or]. *R. 1 Rol.* 450. l. 50.

So, if an Obligation be to convey to A. and his Heirs by Feoffment or Will, &c. and A. dies in the Life-time of the Obligor; he ought to convey to his Heir. *R. Pal.* 552.

So, as well when the Condition is to defeat as to create an Estate. *Semb. Cont. Co. L.* 219. b. But the Instances there acc. where no Prejudice ensues to the Parties.

As, if a Condition be, that if A. and B. pay such a Sum, at such a Day, the Feoffment shall be void, and A. dies before the Day; B. may pay it. *Co. L.* 219. b.

(L. 2.) If the Feoffee accepts another Thing in Satisfaction.

So, if a Condition be to pay such a Sum at such a Day, and the Feoffee or Obligee accepts a Horse, &c. or other collateral Thing in Satisfaction. *Co. L.* 212. b. *R. 9 Co.* 79. *Peytoe.* *1 Rol.* 456. l. 5. (L. 2.) When it may be accepted.

So, if a Condition be, that a Stranger pay to the Feoffee; and he accepts a collateral Thing in Satisfaction. *Co. L.* 212. b.

Or, if he accepts a less Sum before the Day, in Satisfaction. *Ibid.*

Or, if he accepts a less Sum at the Day, and gives an Acquittance for the Whole in Satisfaction, under his Seal; for the Deed makes it to be in Satisfaction of the Whole. *Ibid.*

Or, accounts with the Obligor at the Day, and discounts so much due from the Obligee to him. *1 Rol.* 471. l. 5.

So, if the Feoffee or Obligee accepts a Chose in Action, in Satisfaction; as, a Statute for Payment of Money at a subsequent Day. *Co. L.* 212. b.

Or, another Obligation for Payment at a future Day. *Ibid.* *D. Cont.* 2 *Cro.* 100. & *Semb.* that the Law is *Cont. Vide Post,* (L. 3.) (*Vide 1 Mod.* 225. *Hob.* 68. *Cro. Car.* 86.)

So, if he accepts a Copyhold surrendered to his Use, in Satisfaction. *R. 1 Rol.* 471. l. 25.

So, if a Promise or Contract, without Deed, be to do a collateral Thing; Money, or another Thing may be accepted in Satisfaction. *9 Co.* 79. b.

But if a Condition be to do a collateral Thing; the Feoffee or Obligee cannot accept Money, or another Thing in Satisfaction; for a Contract in Writing for a collateral Thing shall not be altered by an Accord without Writing. *Co. L.* 212. b. *R. 9 Co.* 79. *R. 1 Rol.* 455. l. 50. (L. 3.) When not.

As, if a Condition be to deliver an Horse, &c. if the Obligee accepts Money, or other Thing in Satisfaction, it is not sufficient. *Co. L.* 212. b.

Or, to give a Recognizance for 20l. and he accepts 20l. *Ibid.*

To perform Covenants in an Indenture. *R. Dal.* 106.

So, if a Condition be to pay Money to a Stranger; it ought to be performed strictly, and it is not sufficient that the Stranger accepts a collateral Thing in Satisfaction. *Co. L.* 212. b.

So it is not sufficient, if the Feoffee or Obligee accepts a less Sum in Satisfaction, at the Day, without a Deed which acquits the Whole. *Co. L.* 212. b. for a less Sum cannot be a Satisfaction for a greater.

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And it ought to be a real and full Satisfaction. *Vide Accord*, (A. 1, 2. B. 1, &c.)

So it is not sufficient, if the Conusee of a Statute, or Recognizance accepts an Obligation in Satisfaction; for it is of less Force. 1 *Rol.* 470. l. 37.

So it is not sufficient, if the Obligee, after Judgment upon an Obligation, accepts another Obligation for a greater Sum in Satisfaction. R. 2 *Cro.* 579.

Or, after the Day of Payment, accepts a Statute, or Recognizance (which is of a higher Nature) in Satisfaction. R. 6 *Co.* 44. b. 45. b. *Cro. Car.* 86. 1 *Rol.* 470. l. 50. *Vide Ante.* (L. 2.)

Or, after the Day, accepts another Obligation in Satisfaction. 2 *Cro.* 579. *Cro. Car.* 86.

Or, at the Day, accepts another Obligation for the same Sum at a future Day, in Satisfaction. *Vide Ante.* (L. 2.)

Or, another Obligation by the Obligor and another. R. *Hob.* 68, 9. *Cro. El.* 727. 1 *Rol.* 470. l. 30.

Or, another Obligation with a Penalty, where the first was single. R. *Cro. El.* 716, 727.

So, if the Obligee, before the Day of Payment, accepts another Obligation for the same Sum. D. 2 *Cro.* 100. R. if he accepts an Obligation generally. *Cro. El.* 716, 727. *Cro. Car.* 86.

Or, a Bill sealed. R. *Mo.* 872.

So, if a Condition be to pay Money; an Agreement to accept a collateral Thing in Satisfaction is not sufficient, if it be not executed. 1 *Rol.* 456. l. 15, ad 30. *Vide Accord*, (B. 1, &c.) 1 *Rol.* 470. l. 40.

(L. 4.) By Default of the Party.

(L. 4.)
As. upon
Tender and
Refusal.

So the Non-performance of a Condition may be excused by the Default of the Feoffee or Obligee; As, if the Feoffor or Obligor makes a legal Tender of the Money, to the Feoffee or Obligee, at the Day and Place appointed, and he refuses to accept it. *Co. L.* 207.

Who may make a Tender, and to whom, *Vide Ante.* (G. 1, 2.) and at what Time and Place, *Vide Ante.* (G. 3, &c. G. 9, &c.)

A Tender may be in Bags or Purfes, without shewing or reckoning the Money. *Co. L.* 208. a.

And it is sufficient, if the whole Sum be in the Bag, or more. R. 5 *Co.* 115. 2.

So, if a Condition be to enfeoff, &c. upon Payment of so much Money; a Tender and Refusal is tantamount. *Dal.* 106.

If, pursuant to a Condition upon a Feoffment, &c. the Money be duly tendered, and refused; the Feoffee loses the Money for ever; for it is a Sum in Gross, collateral to the Land, and he has not any Remedy for it by Law. *Lit. S.* 335, 338.

So, if a Condition of an Obligation be, to do a collateral Thing, as to deliver Corn, Timber, &c. Tender and Refusal is a perpetual Bar. *Co. L.* 207. a.

So, if a Statute, Recognizance, or Obligation be single, and afterwards there be a Defeazance that it shall be void upon Payment of a less Sum; if such Sum be tendred and refused, it shall be lost for ever; for it is collateral. *Co. L.* 207. a.

Otherwise, if an Obligation be for Payment of a less Sum; this being a Duty and Part of the Obligation, shall not be lost by Tender and Refusal, for if he pleads a Tender he shall say *Uncore prist.* *Co. L.* 207. a.

How a Tender shall be pleaded, *Vide Pleader*, (2 G. 2—2 W. 28, 49.—3 K. 23.—3 M. 36.)

So, if a Condition be to do any collateral Act, if it be duly tendred and refused, the Performance shall be excused. 1 *Rol.* 458. l. 15. 455. l. 20, ad 35. R. 3 *Lev.* 24.

(L. 5.)
By voluntary
Absence.

So the Performance of a Condition shall be excused by the Absence of the Feoffee or Obligee, when his Presence was necessary for the Performance; as,

If a Condition be, *that he enfeoff the Obligee*, and he, having Notice of the Time, is absent. 1 Rol. 457. l. 30, 32.

If a Condition be *to pay Rent*, and the Lessee is ready, but no body comes to receive it for the Lessor. 1 Rol. 459. l. 35.

But if his Presence is not necessary, his Absence shall not excuse, tho' the Act is to be done to him; as, if a Condition be *to sing Matins at such a Day, in his Manor, for A. and his Family*; tho' they be absent, he ought to sing. 1 Rol. 457. l. 45.

To give a Statute, or Obligation to the Obligee; for it may be done in the Absence of the Obligee. 1 Rol. 457. l. 40.

To grant an Estate to one for Life, Remainder to B. tho' B. be absent, the Condition shall not be excused. 1 Rol. 457. l. 45.

So, if a Covenant be *that an Horse shall run, &c. giving Notice to A. tho' A. absconds*, by which Notice cannot be given, yet the Horse ought to run the Race. R. 1 Sal. 214.

So the Performance of a Condition shall be excused by the Obstruction of the Obligee: As, if a Condition be *to build an House*; and he, or another by his Order, hinders his coming upon the Land. 1 Rol. 453. l. 50.

(L. 6.)
By the Obstruction of the Obligee.

Or, says that it shall not be built. 1 Rol. 454. l. 2.

Or, interrupts the Performance. 1 Rol. 454. l. 5, 20.

So, if a Condition be *that the Lessee shall leave a House in good Plight*; and Fire out of the Chimney of the Lessor next to it consumes it. R. 1 Rol. 454. l. 15.

If an Annuity be granted, *till a Benefice be given to the Grantee*, and he is presented; but found unfit. R. 1 Rol. 435. l. 17.

So, if there be a Recognizance to the King for Appearance; and the Party is imprisoned by A. and B. who act by lawful Authority of the King. Semb. Mo. 122.

But it ought to be an Obstruction which disables the Performance. Vide Post, (M. 5.—N.)

And Performance shall not be excused by the Negligence of the Obligor.

Nor by the Act of a Stranger. Vide Post, (L. 14.)

So the Non-performance of a Condition shall be excused by the Default of him who ought to do the first Act; As, if a Condition be *to resign a Benefice for a Pension, to be agreed between them*; the Obligee ought to agree the Pension, and tender the Deed of it. 1 Rol. 458. l. 10.

(L. 7.)
By Default in doing the first Act.

To enfeoff such an one as the Obligee or Feoffee shall name; he ought to give Notice whom he names. 1 Rol. 463. l. 2.

Who ought to do the first Act. Vide Election. (A. 2.)

If a Condition be *that a Bailiff shall arrest a Mau at the Suit of B.* he need not, till B. delivers to him a proper Warrant; for this belongs to B. and it would be Maintenance in the Obligor, and the Law will understand the Words as is proper. R. 1 Rol. 465. l. 40.

That a Bell shall be carried to the House of the Obligor, by the Men of M. and there weighed, and put in the Fire in their Presence, and then the Obligor shall make a Bell in Tone and Sound agreeable to the others; it shall be weighed and put into the Fire by the Obligor, for it belongs to his Occupation. 1 Rol. 465. l. 50. Pl. Com. 15. b.

So, if a Condition be to do a Thing upon the Performance of an Act by the Feoffee or Obligee, which is secret, and lies only in his Breast, the Performance of the Condition is excused, till the Feoffee or Obligee gives Notice that he has performed the first Act: As, if a Condition, Covenant, or Promise be *to pay as much for Goods as every other pays*; the Obligee shall give Notice how much another pays. 1 Rol. 463. l. 25. Hob. 51. R. 2 Cro. 432. 1 Rol. 468. l. 50.

(L. 8.)
In not giving Notice. When Notice is necessary. Vide Post, (L. 9)

To account before such Auditors as the Obligee shall name; he ought to give Notice what Auditors he has assigned. R. 1 Rol. 462. l. 50.

To execute such Deed or Assurance as the Oblige or his Counsel shall devise. *Vide Ante, (H).*

To pay so much to A. and B. at their full Age; the Condition is not broken till Demand, or Notice of full Age. *R. 2 Cro. 37.*

So a Title to Land shall not be defeated by a secret Condition, or Conveyance, to which he is a Stranger, without Notice of it given to him: As, if a Father covenants to stand seised, or devises to his eldest Son, upon Condition that he do such a Thing; the Heir shall not lose his Estate by the Non-performance of the Condition, without Notice of it. *R. 8 Co. 92. a. Frances. R. 3 Mod. 34. Vide Post, (L. 9.)*

So if a Condition be, to pay Rent to the Lessor or his Assigns; the Lessee shall not lose his Estate by Non-payment to the Bargainee of the Reversion, without Notice of it. *Per Wray, 3 Leo. 96. Per Popb. 5 Co. 113. Agreed, 8 Co. 92. Vide Post, (O. 1, 2.) Vide Copybold, (M. 4.)*

If a Condition be, that if his Heir does not pay Rent, it shall be to his Executors, and if they do not pay, to his younger Son; the Estate shall not be forfeited by the Non-payment of the Executors, till Notice that the Heir did not pay. *R. 2 Cro. 145.*

When Notice shall be given of the Time of performing a Condition, *Vide Ante, (G. 9.)*

How Notice shall be given, *Vide Pleader, (C. 73, &c.)*

How Request shall be made, *Vide Post, (L. 11.)*

(L. 9.)
When not.

But generally, every one, who has an Interest in Land, shall take Notice at his Peril of Acts done concerning the same Land: And therefore, the Grantee or Bargainee of the Reversion shall distrain for Rent, shall have Waste, without Notice to the Lessee of the Assignment. *5 Co. 113.*

If a Bailiff of a Bishop collects Rent of a Lessee of his Predecessor, not warranted by *St. 1 El. 19.* among other Rents, and pays it to the Bishop; this Acceptance of the Rent affirms the Lease, without other Notice. *R. Cro. Car. 95. 1 Rol. 476. l. 15.*

Especially, where no one is bound to give Notice: As, if a Husband seised for Life, Remainder to his Wife for Life, Remainder to his Son in Tail, makes a Feoffment with Warranty, which bars the Son, and after his Death the Wife joins with the Son in a Fine; the Estate of the Wife is forfeited, without Notice of the Feoffment. *R. Cro. Car. 392. 1 Rol. 856. l. 25.*

If a Woman Lessor marries, the Lessee ought to take Notice, and pay his Rent to the Husband; for if he afterward pays to the Wife, without his Consent, he shall pay over again to the Husband. *R. 2 Cro. (617.)*

So every one ought to take Notice of a Condition, &c. contained in the same Deed by which he claims: As, if a Devise be to A. upon Condition that he do not marry without Consent; the Devisee shall take Notice of the Condition at his Peril; for it is limited in the same Conveyance by which he claims, and no one is bound to give Notice. *R. Mod. 87, 311. 1 Vent. 204. 2 Lev. 22. Vide infra.*

If a Devise be for Charitable Uses, and if not performed, that it shall be to the Mayor and Commonalty of London, there needs no Notice. *R. Cro. Car. 577.*

So, if a Fine be to the Use of A. in Fee, but if B. pays 10 s. before Mich. to him in Fee; B. dies; his Heir shall take Notice at his Peril of this Condition. *R. 1 Rol. 469. l. 25.*

So, if a Devise be to an Heir, upon Condition that he do not marry under 1000 l. he ought to take Notice of the Condition; for he takes his Estate by the same Will, and no one is bound to give Notice, *R. Cart. 172.* And there it is said, that this differs from the Case of *Frances, 8 Co. 92.* where the Condition was, that he should not hinder the Executor doing such an Act, which is named by the Will, and cannot be known, without Notice of it. *Cart. 172.*

So, if a Devise be upon Condition, that he do not marry without Consent, &c. *R. Ray 237. 2 Lev. 22. Vide supra.*

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Tho' the Devisee be an Infant. R. 1 Mod. 86. 1 Vent. 200. Vide Infant.

So, if a Condition, Covenant, or Promise be to do an Act to a Stranger, or upon Performance of an Act by a Stranger, there needs no Notice; for it lies equally in the Knowledge of the Obligor and Obligee, and the Obligor takes upon himself to do it: As, if a Condition be to pay when A. marries, there needs no Notice when A. marries. R. 1 Rol. 462. l. 10. 468. l. 13. *Vide Pleader. (C. 75.)*

Or, when A. returns into the Realm. R. 2 Cro. 492. 1 Rol. 463. l. 6.

Or, when A. rides to York five Times in six Days. 1 Rol. 463. l. 12.

So, to pay, if A. does not pay. R. 2 Cro. 684. R. 1 Rol. 462. l. 25. 463.

l. 45. To pay so much as A. shall name. R. 2 Bul. 144. R. Cro. Car. 133. 1 Rol.

464. l. 5. To pay for all the Acres above twenty so much as measured by A. R. 1 Rol.

462. l. 5. To discharge from all Escapes by A. R. Hob. 14.

To stand to the Award of A. R. 1 Rol. 464. l. 40. 468. l. 7.

Or, to pay all Arrears which shall be found upon Account before A. 8 Co. 92.

b. 1 Rol. 468. l. 5.

To pay the Costs which shall appear due by his Attorney's Bill. R. 1 Rol. 467.

l. 30. R. 4 Mod. 230.

To pay so much as shall be recovered by A. 1 Rol. 468. l. 10.

So, if a Condition, Covenant, or Promise be to do, upon the Performance of any certain and particular Act by the Obligee himself, he ought to do it, without Notice by the Obligee, that the Act is performed; for he takes it upon him to do it at his Peril: As, if a Condition be to pay so much when the Obligee marries, there need not be Notice of his Marriage. R. 2 Cro. 102. 228. Yel.

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R. Poph. 164. R. Cro. Car. 34. Hut. 80. 1 Rol. 463. l. 20. Per Ch. J.

1 Sid. 36.

Or, when the Obligee delivers a Horse to B. Per Yel. 1 Rol. 461. l. 45.

Or, comes to London, &c. Per Dod. 2 Bul. 145. R. 1 Rol. 462. l. 15. Per

Warb. Cont. Hob. 68. R. Cont. 1 Bul. 44. Dub. Ow. 108. Acc. Hut. 80.

1 Rol. 469. l. 5.

Or, becomes Surety for his Father. 1 Leo. 105. R. 2 Cro. 287.

So, to pay so much as the Obligee borrows of B. Per 3 J. 1 Bul. 12. R. 1 Rol.

467. l. 50.

Or, for so many Acres as shall appear when they are measured. R. 2 Cro. 472,

391. 1 Rol. 462. l. 45. 469. l. 10, 15.

Or, to pay so much as he shall sell at to B. R. 2 Cro. 432. 1 Rol. 463. l. 36.

To surrender to the Obligee or his Assigns upon Demand; he ought to surrender to the Assignee upon Demand, without Notice of the Assignment. R. Poph.

136. 1 Rol. 465. l. 10.

To pay when he delivers Wood to B. to his Use. R. 1 Rol. 464. l. 30.

So, to pay so much as will content him for such a Journey; there need not be Notice how much will content him. R. 1 Leo. 123.

To repay 20 l. if he dislikes such Land; there need not be Notice that he dislikes it. R. Cro. El. 834. 1 Rol. 464. l. 20.

To deliver Corn on Shipboard at such a Port; there need not be Notice when the Ship is ready. R. 1 Rol. 464. l. 25.

To pay upon the Return of a Ship from Hamburg to D. 1 Rol. 469. l. 40.

So, if several are bound by Obligation, Covenant, &c. to do an Act, upon Notice to them; Notice to one is sufficient. R. Mo. 555.

So, if an Act ought to be done upon Notice to B. the Absence of B. by which Notice cannot be given, excuses Notice. R. 1 Sal. 214.

When Notice is not necessary of a By-Law, &c. Vide Pleader, (C. 75.)

If a Condition be, that the Lessee repair, and that the Lessor find Timber; the Lessee ought to demand Timber, and give Notice how much will be sufficient. (L. 10.) In not requesting.

R. 1 Rol. 465. l. 20.

That he inrol a Deed in Guildhall; the other ought to request. 1. Rol. 458. l. 30.

That he procure his Apprentice his Freedom, if it be requested; an express Request is necessary. R. Sal. 585.

(L. 11.)
How a Request shall be made.
Vide Pleadur.
(C. 69, &c.)

If a Condition be to do upon Request, the Request ought to be certain and express: And therefore, if a Lessor ought to find Timber to the Lessee for Repairs, it is not sufficient that the Lessee demand Timber, generally, but he ought to notify how much is necessary. R. 1. Rol. 465. l. 20.

If a Condition be to *surrender a Copyhold upon Request*; it is not sufficient that he require him to seal a Letter of Attorney to make the Surrender, but he ought expressly to require a Surrender. R. 1. Rol. 467. l. 5. Jon. 314.

So the Request ought to be to the Person himself, who ought to do it. And therefore, it is not sufficient to say, that he could not find him, and made Proclamation in the Church, and at several Markets, to notify his Request. R. 1. Rol. 443. l. 45.

But where a Condition is, *to deliver Possession to the Lessor or his Assigns*, who assigns to two, a Request by one is sufficient. R. 1. Rol. 428. l. 10.

So, if a Condition be, *to make him free of a Company at the End of seven Years, if he be requested*; he ought to make Request the last Day of the seven Years at a convenient Time before Night, that the Thing may be done. R. Sal. 585.

And a Request at any Place is sufficient, tho' the Thing is to be performed at a certain Place. *Vide Ante*, (G. 9.)

So, if a Condition be to do upon Request, and he is disabled to perform; there needs no Request, for it would be in vain. R. 5. Co. 21. a. Semb. Lut. 308. *Vide Post*, (M. 2, 3.)

(L. 12.) Non-performance shall be excused by the Act of God.

So the Non-performance of a Condition shall be excused by Impossibility, or the Act of God, if there be no Default in the Party. *Vide Ante*, (D. 1, 2.)

So in a Promise, as well as in an Obligation or Condition, if the Party be disabled by the Act of God before a Breach, he shall be excused: As, if a Man lends a Horse to B. for his Use, who promises to re-deliver it upon Request, and the Horse dies before Request. R. Pal. 550.

(L. 13.) Non-performance shall be excused by Act of Law.

So the Performance of a Condition shall be excused by an Act of Law, which is necessary and inevitable; As, if a Condition be, *that the Feoffee pay so much out of the Profits annually to Charitable Uses*; if he dies, and his Heir be in Ward to the King, the Payment shall be excused; for it ought to be out of the Profits, which are transferred by Act of Law to the King. R. 1. Rol. 451. l. 30.

But if a Condition be, *that he shall be his Attorney in all Pleas*, and he is made Sheriff; this does not excuse him. 1. Rol. 451. l. 25.

If it be, *that he pay Rent to A. as long as he enjoys the Land*, and he surrenders to the Obligee. R. Mo. 597.

(L. 14.) But not by the Act of a Stranger.

If a Condition be to do a Thing, and a Stranger interrupts him; that does not excuse the Performance; As, if he disseises him. *Vide Post*, (M. 5.)

Or, recovers Goods to be delivered. 1. Rol. 452. l. 5.

Or, imprisons a Person, who ought to appear. 1. Rol. 452. l. 10.

So, if a Condition be *to do a Thing to a Stranger*, who refuses to accept it; this does not excuse, for he took upon himself to do it. 1. Rol. 452. l. 30. ad

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Or, to do by Direction, &c. of a Stranger. Lit. 13.

So, if a Condition be to surrender to a Stranger; a Surrender to another Person, by his Request, is no Performance, for he cannot vary the Condition. R. 1 Rol. 457. l. 15.

Or, after Recovery to enfeoff a Stranger; and he accepts it before the Recovery. Semb. 1 Rol. 453. l. 20.

(M) What shall be a Breach.

(M. 1.) An Act contrary to the Intent.

BUT it shall be a Breach of a Condition, if the Feoffor or Obligor acts contrary to the very Intent of the Condition; as, if a Condition be for quiet Enjoyment, and the Lessor enters upon him wrongfully. 1 Rol. 429. l. 30, ^{Vide Ante, (E.—G. 12, &c.)} 45. 430. l. 20. ^{Vide Chancery. (2 Q. 2, &c.)} *Vide Ante, (G. 12.)*

If a Condition be, that he do not let a Shop-yard, or other Thing appertaining to a House to such a one as sells Coals; and he lets the whole House. 1 Rol. 427. l. 35.

That he do not interrupt in an Office; if a new Officer be made, who ousts him, yet if the Obligor also interrupts, it is a Breach. R. 1 Rol. 453. l. 5.

That he do not make Debate about an Administration; and he causes him to be cited upon it. 1 Rol. 434. l. 2.

That he do no Waste; and he permits Waste. 1 Rol. 428. l. 20. Cont. per 3 J. 1 Rol. 428. l. 30.

That he do not assign; and he assigns in Equity. R. Ray. 460.

If a Condition be, that he enjoy without the Interruption of any; a Prosecution in a Court of Equity is a Breach. R. Ray. 371. Per Dy. Cont. 3 Leo. 71.

That he permits him to reap Corn; a Prohibition by Parol is a Breach. Ray. 371.

If a Condition be, that the Heir do not disturb by Suit or otherwise, if he enters upon him it will be a Breach. 2 Mod. 7.

So, if a Condition be, that he instruct him as his Apprentice in Chirurgery, and maintain and employ him in Domo & in Servitio, for so many Years; if he sends him to the Indies with expert Chirurgeons for his better Instruction, it will be a Breach. R. 1 Rol. 427. l. 50. Hob. 134.

Otherwise, if he sends him several Journies, within the Kingdom, where he returns after the Cure performed. 1 Rol. 445. l. 12. Hob. 134.

Or, if he sends him out of the Kingdom, when the Nature of the Service requires it: As, if he was Apprentice to a Merchant or Sailor. 1 Rol. 428. l. 5. 445. l. 15. Hob. 135.

If a Condition be, that he do not devise a Term for Years to A.; and he devises it, but his Executor does not assent; yet it shall be a Breach, for he did all that was in him to devise it. Per 3 J. 1 Rol. 428. l. 45. 2 Cro. 75.

So, if he devises it to his Executor for Payment of Debts; tho' his Executor would have it without a Devise. 1 Rol. 428. l. 52.

So, if a Condition be, that he do not alien a Term; and he devises it to his Executor. R. 1 Rol. 429. l. 5.

That he do not grant a Reversion without Licence; and he grants, but the Lessee does not attorn. Per 3 J. 1 Rol. 429. l. 10.

That he do not assign, so that it comes to A. and he assigns to B. for he puts it in the Power of B. to assign to A. R. 1 Rol. 429. l. 15.

That the Lessee or his Assigns do not alien; and the Executrix of the Lessee takes Husband, who aliens. Semb. Dy. 6. b.

(M. 2.) By a Disability to perform.

So a Condition shall be broken, if the Party has disabled himself to perform: As, if a Condition be to enfeoff the Feoffor, and he enfeoffs a Stranger. Lit.

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Or,

Or, makes an Estate in Tail, or for Life, to a Stranger. *Lit. S.* 355.
 Or, enters into Religion. *Co. L.* 221. *b.*
 Or, suffers a Recovery against him by Default. *Cq. L.* 222. *b.* if Execution
 be sued upon it. *1 Rol.* 447. *l.* 45.
 Or, a real Recovery be against him, and Execution thereupon. *1 Rol.* 448.
l. 25.

(M. 3.) Or to perform in the same Plight.

So, if he be disabled to perform in the same Plight and Condition that it was
 when the Condition was created. *Co. L.* 221. *a.*

As, if a Condition be, *to enfeoff*, and he leases for Years to another. *Lit.*
S. 356. *R.* 1 *Co.* 25. *b.*

Tho' the Lease be to commence *in futuro*. *Co. L.* 221. *a.* *R.* 2 *Co.* 59.

Tho' it be only a Possibility of a Charge *in futuro*. *Co. L.* 221. *b.*

So, if he takes a Wife: For she will be thereby entitled to Dower, if she
 survives. *Lit. S.* 357.

So, if a Woman takes Husband. *Semb. Hard.* 463.

So, if he grants a Rent-charge out of the Land. *Co. L.* 221. *b.* 222. *1 Rol.*
 447. *l.* 50.

Or, acknowledges a Statute or Recognizance. *Co. L.* 222. *a.*

Or, a Judgment be against him. *Ibid.*

So, if a Condition be, *that he re-enfeoff during his Life*, and he dies; the
 Condition is broken. *Co. L.* 222. *b.*

That he re-grant an Advowson, and before he does it the Church becomes
 void; the Condition is broken. *Co. L.* 222. *b.* *Vide Ante*, (G. 5.)

If a Condition be, *that he deliver an Obligation*, and he sues and recovers
 upon it, and then delivers it; it shall be a Breach of the Condition, for it ought
 to be delivered in the same Plight as it was at the Time of the Condition creat-
 ed. *R.* 1 *Rol.* 447. *l.* 30.

Or, *that he cancel a Statute, Recognizance, &c.* and he extends it, and then
 cancels it. *R. Ray.* 25. *1 Sid.* 48.

And if, before the Condition broken, the other ought to do the first Act, he
 need not do it, when the Party has disabled himself to perform the Condition:
 As, if the Obligor ought to make a new Lease upon a Surrender of the old;
 if he levies a Fine by which he cannot make a new Lease, the Condition is
 broken, tho' the other does not surrender. *R.* 5 *Co.* 21. *Cro. El.* 450, 479.
Vide Ante, (L. 11.)

(M. 4.) Tho' the Disability be afterwards removed.

And if a Feoffee, &c. be at any Time disabled by himself to perform; the
 Condition shall be broken, tho' the Disability be afterwards removed, and the
 Feoffor may re-enter after the Removal: As, if after a Feoffment to a Stranger
 the Feoffee takes back an Estate to him and his Heirs, the Feoffor may enter
 for the Condition broken. *Co. L.* 221. *b.* *1 Rol.* 448. *B.*

So, if the Feoffee enters into Religion, and is deraigned before the Day limit-
 ed for Performance of the Condition. *Co. L.* 221. *b.*

Or, the Wife dies. *Ibid.*

Or, a Rent-charge determines. *Co. L.* 222. *a.*

Or, the Grantee chooses to have a Writ of Annuity; by Reason of which the
 Land was never charged. *Ibid.*

But if a Disability on the Part of a Feoffor be removed before the Time of
 Performance, the Condition may afterwards be well performed: As, if a Con-
 dition be *to pay so much to the Feoffor or his Heirs, before such a Day*; if the
 Feoffor be attainted for Treason or Felony, but before the Day the Heir is re-
 stored, it ought to be paid. *Co. L.* 221. *b.*

(M. 5.)

(M. 5.) What shall not be a Disability.

But if a Condition be *to enfeoff*, and the Feoffee be disseised; this is no Disability, nor Breach of the Condition; for he may enter upon the Disseisor, and make the Feoffment. 1 Rol. 453. l. 40.

So, if he be disseised by the Feoffor or Obligee himself. *Ibid.*

So, if during the Disseisin the Feoffee takes a Wife, acknowledges a Statute, or Recognizance, &c. which dies, or is discharged, and then he re-enters; the Condition is not broken, for there never was any Possibility of Charge upon the Land. Co. L. 222. a. R. 2 Co. 60.

So, if Joint-tenants are bound, with Condition to convey, &c. and one takes a Wife; for she has no Title of Dower, if her Husband does not survive. Hard. 463.

So, if a Condition be, *not to permit a Whore in his House after Warning*; and he warns such a Woman, but afterwards commands her Stay; this Command does not disable the Removal, and therefore does not excuse the Breach. 1 Rol. 454. l. 25. 8 Co. 91. b.

If the Feoffee be disseised by the Obligee or Feoffor himself, and he does not enter and make the Feoffment within the Time limited; it will be a Breach.

So, if a Condition be, *that the Lessee shall drain off Water before such a Day*, and the Lessor enters, and continues in Possession till the Day; it will be a Breach. R. 1 Rol. 453. l. 45.

(N) What shall not be a Breach.

BUT if a Condition be, *that he permit the Executor to take Goods*; a verbal Denial is no Breach, but there ought to be some Act, as Resistance, shutting up the House, &c. R. 8 Co. 91. 1 Rol. 430. l. 50.

If it be, *that he do not molest, vex, &c. any Copyholder paying his Services*; an Entry upon him to beat him is no Breach, if he do not oust him of his Copyhold. R. Cro. El. 421. Mo. 402.

[A. demises Lands to B. for 21 Years, with Proviso of Re-entry on Breach of any of the Covenants; covenant that B. shall not assign, transfer or set over, OR OTHERWISE DO OR PUT AWAY, *this present Indenture of Demise, or the Premises hereby demised*, OR ANY PART THEREOF. (N. The Words *shall not demise*, not here). B. by Indenture demises for 14 Years; this is not a Breach of the Covenant or Condition. *Per tot. Curiam. Crusse v. Bugby, T. 11 G. 3. 3 Wilf. 234.* 2. What would be a Breach? Or, by what Means is a Tenant to be restrained from acting in this Manner?]

[Agreement that A. shall pay B. 8s. per Week during his Life and his Wife's, and the Survivor, and that B. shall not sell News-papers. B. dies and his Wife sells News-papers, this is not a Breach, and A. must continue to pay the 8s. *Cooke v. Colcraft, H. 13 G. 3. 3 Wilf. 380.*]

[Bond from A. B. and C. with Condition that A. shall faithfully serve D. a Brewer, as a *Broad (an Abroad)* Clerk, and pay him all Monies received for him. D. afterwards takes a Partner; A. continues in their joint Service, receives Money on their Account, and does not pay it; this is not a Breach in the Sureties. *Wright v. Russell, H. 14 G. 3. 3 Wilf. 530.*]

Vide Ante, (M. 1, 5.)

(O) Who shall take Advantage of a Condition broken.

(O. 1.) By the Common Law.

IF a Condition in Deed be broken, none shall take Advantage of it by Re-entry, but the Feoffor or his Heirs; for a Re-entry cannot be reserved, or given but to the Feoffor, Donor, Lessor, or his Heirs. *Lit. S. 347.*

[A Right

[A Right of Entry always supposes an Estate; and if an Estate is granted to a Man, reserving Rent, and in Default of Payment, Right of Entry is granted to a Stranger, it is void. *Smith v. Packhurst. Opinion of the twelve Judges in the House of Lords, 1742. 3 Atkyns 134.*]

And it may be reserved to the Heir, where the Feoffor himself cannot take Advantage of it. *Co. L. 214. b.*

And a Guardian in Chivalry, or Socage, may enter in Right of the Heir. *Co. L. 215. b.*

So, if a Condition to an Estate by a Corporation be broken, the Successor may take Advantage of it. *Co. L. 214. b. R. Mo. 52.*

So the King may enter in Right of an Infant in his Wardship. *1 Rol. 473. 1. 47, 50.*

So, if it be annexed to a Term for Years, the Executor or Administrator may. *Co. L. 214. b.*

So an Heir, Successor, &c. may take Advantage of a Condition in Deed broken in the Time of his Ancestor, Predecessor, or in Vacation. *R. Mo. 52.*

But by the Common Law, the Assignee or Grantee of a Reversion could not enter for a Condition broken; for to prevent all Maintenance, &c. the Common Law did not allow the Assignment of a *Chose in Action*, or of a Title to Entry, or Re-entry. *Co. L. 214.*

So, for a Condition broken upon a Lease by *Cestuy que Use*, the Feoffees could not enter, tho' they are privy in Estate. *Co. L. 215. a.*

Nor the Lord by Escheat. *Lit. S. 348.*

Nor any Assignee in Deed, or in Law. *Co. L. 215. b.*

Nor a Person in Remainder. *1 Rol. 473. l. 44.*

Yet, by the Common Law, if a Condition in Law annexed to the Estate is broken; the Assignee of the Reversion shall have Advantage of it; as, if Lessee for Life commits a Forfeiture. *Co. L. 215. a.*

So, the Lord by Escheat, and every one who has the Land, for a Breach in his Time. *Ibid.*

So, if by a Condition broken, the Estate ceases without Entry, the Assignee shall have Advantage of it: As, if a Lease for Years be, upon Condition, *that if such a Thing be done, it shall be void*; for by Breach of the Condition it is absolutely determined. *Co. L. 214. b. 1 Rol. 473. l. 55.*

Otherwise, if a Lease for Life, &c. be, upon Condition, *to be void for Non-performance*; for, notwithstanding those Words, an Estate of Freehold will not cease without Entry. *Co. L. 214. b.*

Or, if a Lease for Years be upon Condition, *that if such a Thing be done, the Lessor shall re-enter*; the Grantee of the Reversion shall not have Advantage of it, for he cannot enter. *Co. L. 215. a.*

If a Limitation be annexed to an Estate, the Grantee of the Reversion shall take Advantage of it; for the Estate determines *ipso facto* without Entry. *Co. L. 214. b.*

So, none can enter for a Condition broken, as Bailiff to another, without his Command. *R. Mo. 52.*

[An Entry by a Stranger without Authority is good, if it be assented to afterwards, and will support Ejectment, if the Assent be before the Demise in the Declaration. *Fitchet v. Adams, P. 13 G. 2. Str. 1128.*]

(O. 2.) By the Stat. 32 H. 8. 34.

And now by the St. 32 H. 8. 34. a Grantee from the King of any Reversion, &c. and all other Grantees or Assignees, &c. their Heirs, Executors, Administrators and Assigns, shall have like Advantage against Lessees, &c. by Entry, &c. as the Lessors or Grantors themselves.

And therefore, every Grantee of a Reversion by the King, or a Common Person, shall take Advantage, by this Statute, of a Condition broken. *Co. L. 215. a.*

So an Assignee of the King's Successor, tho' the King only be named. *Ibid.*

So, a Grantee of the Reversion by Bargain and Sale enrolled, tho' he is not in from the Bargainor in the *Per*, but in the *Post* by the Stat. of Uses, yet he is an Assignee within the Stat. for he claims by the Bargainor. *Co. L. 215. a. Co. 62. b. R. Mo. 98. 4 Leo. 29.*

So, if a Reversion be granted to the Use of another. *Co. L. 215. b.*
So a Grantee of a Reversion only for Life or Years, shall take Advantage of a Condition. *Co. L. 215. a.*

So, if a Devise be for Years, rendring Rent, upon Condition, and by the same Will the Inheritance is devised to *A.* and his Heirs; *A.* shall have the Reversion, and shall take Advantage of the Condition, tho' it was not a Reversion in the Devisor. *R. 2 Leo. 33.*

So, if a Bargainee of a Reversion, before Attornment, conveys to *B.* to whom the Lessee attorns; *B.* shall take Advantage of a Condition, tho' his Grantor could not for want of Attornment. *R. 5 Co. 112. b. Cro. El. 833.*

So an Assignee of an Assignee *in perpetuum.* *4 Leo. 29.*
But an Assignee of a Reversion by Bargain and Sale, by Grant, Feoffment, or Fine, shall not take Advantage of a Condition broken, before Notice of the Assignment. *Co. L. 215. a. b. Vide Ante, (L. 8.)*

And by the *St. 32 H. 8. 34.* An Assignee of a Reversion shall not take Advantage of a Condition annexed to an Estate-tail; for the Statute speaks only of Lessees. *Co. L. 215. a.*

So a Lord by Escheat, who claims only by Act of Law, shall not be an Assignee within this Stat. to take Advantage of a Condition broken. *Co. L. 215. b.*

Nor a Lord of a Villein; nor he who enters for *Mortmain.* *Ibid.*

So an Assignee of Part of a Reversion shall not take Advantage of a Condition; as, if a Lease be of three Acres upon Condition; the Assignee of the Reversion of two Acres shall not enter if the Condition be broken; for the Condition being entire, cannot be apportioned by the Act of the Parties, but shall be destroyed. *Co. L. 215. a. R. Dy. 309. 5 Co. 55. b. 1 Rol. 472. l. 35. R. Mo. 98. R. Cro. El. 833. 4 Leo. 27. Vide Post, (Q.)*

Otherwise in the Case of the King; for the King shall have Advantage of the Breach. *Co. L. 215. a. Dub. Mo. 204. R. 5 Co. 56. a.*

So a Condition may be apportioned by Act of Law; as, if a Man makes a Lease of two Acres, one of the Nature of *Borough-English*, the other at Common Law, upon Condition, and dies having two Sons; each may enter on a Breach, into his Acre. *Co. L. 215. a. Dy. 309.*

So it may be apportioned, by the Wrong and Act of the Lessee. *Co. L. 215. a.*

So an Assignee of a Reversion shall not take Advantage of a Breach of every Condition, but only of a Condition for Payment of Rent, for not doing Waste, or other Matter of like Nature: For tho' the Stat. speaks of (*other Forfeiture,*) it shall be understood only of other Forfeiture of the same Nature. *Co. L. 215. b.*

As, of a Condition to do a Thing incident to the Reversion, as Payment of Rent is. *Ibid.*

Or, to deduct out of a Rent-charge if he be disturbed. *4 Mod. 82.*

Or, for the Benefit of the Estate, as is the not doing Waste. *Co. L. 215. b.*

So is a Condition for repairing Houses, Fences, &c. *Ibid.*

For preserving the Wood. *Ibid.*

But an Assignee shall not take Advantage of a Condition for Payment of a Sum in Gross. *Ibid.*

Or, for Delivery of Corn, Wood, &c. *Ibid.*

Or, of a Condition, that the Lessee shall not assign without Licence. *Semb. Ray. 250.*

(O. 3.) How he shall enter for a Condition broken.

A Condition to a Feoffment, &c. may give an Entry generally, or a special Entry; as, *till he be satisfied, &c.* (O. 3.) Where an Entry is given If till satisfied.

If a Condition be, *that he shall enter and hold the Land till he be satisfied*; he shall have the Land only in Nature of a Distress. *Lit. S. 327.*

If a Condition be, *that he shall have the Land till he be thereof satisfied*, or Words which are *tantamount*; the Profits of the Land shall be in Part of Satisfaction. *Co. L. 203. a.*

But where a Condition is, *that he shall have the Land till he be satisfied the Rent to be paid*, without saying *thereof*, or to the same Effect; the Profits do not go in Satisfaction, but shall be taken to his own Use, as a Penalty to enforce the Payment. *Ibid.*

If the Profits are in Part of the Satisfaction; when the Rent is satisfied by Perception of the Profits, the Feoffee may re-enter. *Co. L. 203.*

Or, if the Rent be satisfied in Part by Perception of Profits, and in Part by Payment, or by Tender and Refusal, which amount to Payment. *Ro. L. 203. a.*

If the Profits go in Satisfaction, during his Perception of them, he shall not have Debt for the Rent in Arrear. *Ibid.*

So, if they do not go in Satisfaction, where the Estate, to which the Condition was annexed, was for Life, &c. for the Freehold continues in Lessee for Life, and then Debt does not lie for the Rent. *Ibid.*

If he, who enters till satisfied by the Profits, be interrupted in the Perception of the Profits by the Act of God, as by Wildfire, an Inundation of the Sea, &c. which happens without his Default; he shall (beyond the Time in which he might have been satisfied if there had been no Interruption) hold till he be satisfied. *R. 4 Co. 82. b.*

So, if he be interrupted by the Feoffee himself, he may hold over, or take his Remedy by Action against him: For he shall not have Advantage of his own Wrong. *R. 4 Co. 82.*

But where he is prevented by his own Negligence or Default, as by the Entry of a Stranger, by Enemies of the King, by Ignorance of the Condition, &c. he shall not take the Profits beyond the Time in which he might be satisfied. *R. 4 Co. 82. Sir And. Corbet.*

If Rent be granted with a Condition, that if it be in Arrear, the Grantee, his Heirs and Assigns may enter and hold the Land till satisfied by the Profits; the Assignee may enter and hold till Satisfaction. *R. 1 Sand. 112.*

And the Grant is good, tho' the Deed be not inrolled; for this uncertain Interest may attend a certain and fixt Estate. *R. 1 Sand. 112. 1 Sid. 344.*

So, if the Grant be by Deed with a Covenant to levy a Fine, which is levied of the Land accordingly; the Assignee of the Rent shall take Advantage of the Condition, which shall be transferred with the Rent, tho' it was only a Possibility. *R. 2 Rol. 48. l. 45.*

But if a Man purchases the Manor of D. and has other Land conveyed as a collateral Security, to the Use of the Vendor and his Heirs till the Purchaser be evicted by his Wife, and then to the Use of the Purchaser, his Heirs and Assigns, till satisfied the Damage had by such Eviction; if he assigns the Manor of D. the Assignee, being evicted, cannot enter into the other Land: For the Use being contingent, was not assignable before it happened. *R. 2 Rol. 49. l. 5.*

(O. 4.)
What Interest
he has.

He, who enters, has only the Pernancy of the Profits till satisfied, and no certain Interest; for the Freehold continues in the Feoffee, &c. *Co. L. 203. a.*

Tho' the Condition be, *that the Feoffor, his Heirs and Assigns enter*, &c. *R. 1 Sand. 112. 1 Sid. 344. Ray 136, 158.*

And if he enters his Interest goes to his Executors. *R. 1 Sid. 223, 262. 344, 5. D. Al. 45.*

But he who enters, may maintain an Ejectment; for he has an Interest to make a Lease for Trial of the Title. *R. 1 Sid. 345. 1 Saund. 112.*

(O. 5.)
Where the
Entry is ge-
neral.

If a Condition upon a Feoffment, or other Estate of Freehold be, *that for Non-performance the Feoffor, &c. shall enter*; if the Condition be broken, the Estate is not defeated, generally, till Entry, or Claim: And therefore, if he can, he ought to make an actual Entry. *Co. L. 218. a.*

And if the Estate lies in Grant, as an Advowson, Rent, Reversion, &c. he ought to make a lawful Claim. *Co. L. 218. a.*

So, tho' the Condition be, *that for Non-performance the Estate shall be absolutely void*; for an Estate of Freehold cannot regularly cease, without Entry, or Claim. *Co. L. 218. a. 2 Co. 50. 2 And. 8.*

So, tho' the Condition be upon a Bargain and Sale, which passes only an Use, which might cease at the Common Law without a Claim; for now, by *St. 27 H. 8.* the Possession is executed. *R. 2 Co. 53. b.*

Yet in Case of Necessity, there need not be an Entry or Claim: And therefore, if a Lease be for five Years, upon Condition, *that if the Lessee within two Years pays 20 l. he shall have the Fee*, and Livery is made, by which the Lessee has a Fee Conditional: if he does not pay, the Fee shall be revested without Entry, for he cannot enter during the Term. *Lit. S. 350.*

So, if a Rent be granted out of his Land, upon Condition; if the Condition be broken the Rent shall be extinct, without Claim, for he need not claim upon the Land which he has in his own Possession. *Co. L. 218. a.*

So, if a Feoffment be upon Condition, and before the Time of Performance, the Feoffee leases for Years to the Feoffor; and then the Condition is broken; the Feoffor, being in Possession, cannot enter. *Ibid.*

So, if a Covenant be to stand seised to the Use of himself for Life, Remainder over with Power of Revocation: if he revokes, there needs no Entry, or Claim. *Co. L. 218. b. R. 1 Co. 174.*

By whom Entry may be made, *Vide Claim, (B. 2.)*

(O. 6.) He shall be in his first Estate.

He, who enters for a Condition broken, regularly shall have the Land in his first Estate. *Co. L. 202. a. 1 Rol. 474. l. 17.*

And therefore, if Tenant for Life makes a Feoffment, and enters for the Condition broken; he shall be seised for Life, the Reversion as before. *1 Rol. 474. l. 27.*

So, if he enfeoffs him in Reversion, upon Condition. *1 Rol. 474. l. 30.*

So, if a Man grants, or devises for Life, upon Condition, Remainder over; if it be a good Condition, the Entry for the Condition broken will destroy the Remainder. *1 Rol. 474. l. 40, 45. Cont. Dy. 127. Acc. 29 Aff. 17. R. Acc. 10 Co. 41. b. 1 Rol. 472. l. 40, 45.*

And therefore, a Condition annexed to an Estate for Life, where a Remainder over is limited, shall be taken as a Limitation. *Vide Post, (T.)*

But otherwise will it be in a Case of Necessity: As, if a Man seised in Right of his Wife, makes a Feoffment upon Condition, and his Heir enters for the Condition broken, his Estate immediately ceases, and shall be vested in the Wife. *Co. L. 202. a.*

If *Cestuy que Use* made a Feoffment before *St. 27 H. 8.* upon Condition; and entered for a Breach after the Stat. he would be seised of the Estate, whereas before he had only the Use. *Co. L. 202. a.*

If Tenant in special Tail enfeoffs upon Condition, and his Wife dies, and then he enters for a Breach; he shall be only Tenant in Tail after Possibility. *Co. L. 202. b.*

So he shall not have it in his first Estate as to collateral Qualities: As, if Tenant by *Homage Ancestrel* makes a Feoffment upon Condition, and enters for a Breach; he shall not hold afterwards by *Homage Ancestrel*, for the Prescription was interrupted. *Ibid.*

So, if a Copyhold escheats, and the Lord makes a Feoffment of it upon Condition, and enters for the Breach. *Ibid.*

If Tenant for Life makes a Feoffment, and enters for the Condition broken, he shall be subject to a Forfeiture. *Ibid.*

So, if a Grantee of a Ward by the King grants to the Ward himself for 1200 l. to be paid at his full Age, his Wardship and Marriage for ever, upon Condition

dition, that if he dies within Age or before the 1200^{l.} paid, the Grant shall be void; if he dies within Age, the Wardship and Marriage are not revested. *R. Sav.* 79, 80.

Entry for a Condition broken defeats the Estate, to which the Condition was annexed, to all Intents: And therefore, if the Feoffee upon Condition dies, and then the Feoffor enters for the Condition broken, the Wife of the Feoffee shall not be endowed. *1 Rol.* 474. *l.* 10.

(P) **What shall be a Dispensation.**

Vide Copybold,
(M. 8.)
Vide Forfeiture,
(A. 11,
12.)

IF after a Condition broken annexed to an Estate of Freehold, and Notice of it, the Feoffor accepts the Rent due at a subsequent Day; it shall be a Dispensation of the Forfeiture, for he allows the Estate to have Continuance. *Co. L.* 211. *b.* *Per 3 J. Cro. El.* 553, 572.

So, if a Condition upon a Lease for Years be, for Non-payment of Rent to re-enter; the Acceptance of Rent at a subsequent Day, is a Dispensation. *Cro. El.* 553, 572.

So, if he distrains, or brings an Assise for Rent due at the same Day, or a subsequent Day. *Co. L.* 211. *b.* *1 Rol.* 475. *l.* 25.

Or, for Rent incurred at a Day precedent; for he affirms the Estate to have Continuance. *1 Rol.* 475. *l.* 30.

So, if a Condition be that he shall not assign; Acceptance of Rent from the Assignee will be a Dispensation. *R. 2 Cro.* 398.

If it be alledged, that he knew it, it is sufficient; for if he had not Notice, it shall come of the other Part. *R. 2 Cro.* 398.

But if a Condition be to do a collateral Thing; Acceptance of Rent before Notice of Forfeiture, is not a Dispensation. *R. 3 Co.* 65. *Cro. El.* 528.

So, if a Condition be to pay Money; Acceptance of Rent due before, is not a Dispensation.

So, if he afterwards accepts the Rent, by the Non-payment of which the Condition was broken, and gives an Acquittance for it. *Co. L.* 211. *b.*

So, if by a Condition broken the Estate absolutely ceases; Acceptance of Rent, due at the same, or a subsequent Day, does not affirm it: As, if a Lease for Years be upon Condition for Non-payment to be void. *R. 1 Rol.* 475. *l.* 35.

Tho' a Lease be by the King, and he afterwards accepts the Rent in the Exchequer upon Record. *R. 1 Rol.* 475. *l.* 40. *Cro. El.* 221. *2 Leo.* 134. *1 And.* 303. *Adm. Mo.* 294. *Poph.* 25, 53.

So, if a Condition be, that he do not assign without Licence, and after Notice of such Assignment, the Lessor accepts the Rent from the Assignee. *R. 1 Rol.* 476. *l.* 5. *Cro. Car.* 512.

If a Licence be to alien; the Death of him who gave it, before Alienation, is not a Countermand. *Co. L.* 52. *b.*

(Q.) **What Act destroys a Condition.**

IF after a Lease upon Condition, the Lessor grants the Reversion of Part of the Land, this destroys the Condition. *Vide Ante,* (O. 2.)

So, if the Lessor releases the Condition.

So, if a Feoffee upon Condition makes a Lease for Life, Remainder to B. and the Feoffor releases the Condition to the Lessee only; the whole Condition is gone. *Co. L.* 297. *b.*

So, if a Condition be to do such an Act, and the Lessor discharges him of Part; the whole Condition is destroyed: As, if a Condition be to plow his Land, or, build his House, and he discharges him of Part. *1 Rol.* 471. *l.* 47, 52.

So, if a Condition be to go with B. and C. and he discharges him as to B. *1 Rol.* 471. *l.* 50.

If a Condition be, that he do not demise any Part without Licence; if he licenses as to any Part, he may demise all the Residue, without Licence. *1 Rol.* 471. *l.* 42. *2 Cro.* 102. *R. 4 Co.* 120. *Cro. El.* 816.

Or,

Or, *that he and his Assigns do not demise*; if he assigns by Licence, the Assignee may afterwards demise, without Licence. *R. 1 Rol. 471. l. 35. 4 Co. 120. a. Cro. El. 816.*

Or, *that none of the Lessees demise without Licence*, and he gives Licence to one; the other Lessees may demise without Licence. *1 Rol. 472. l. 7. 4 Co. 120.*

So, if a Lessor gives Licence; the Lessee may use it after a Grant of the Reversion. *R. 2 Cro. 102.*

Or, the Death of the Lessor. *Co. L. 52. b.*

So, if a Condition be, *that he shall assign only to his Wife or Brother*; if he assigns to the Brother, He may afterwards assign to another. *R. 2 Cro. 398. Per 2 J. 3. Cont. Dy. 152. But the Opinion of the two Judges allowed. 4 Co. 120. b.*

If a Lease be upon Condition to Husband and Wife, *that if it comes to any other Hand than their own, and their Issues, the Lessor shall re-enter*; if the Husband dies, and the Wife takes another Husband, the Lessor shall re-enter. *Dub. Mo. 21.*

If a Man leases for Years upon Condition, and afterwards leases by Indenture for the same Term to another, to commence immediately; this does not destroy the Condition, for the second Lease is good only by Estoppel. *1 Rol. 472. l. 50.*

(R) Condition in Law; What is.

A Condition in Law is that, which the Law implies without any express Words of the Party. *Co. L. 232. b.*

As, to the Estate of Tenant by the Curtesy, in Dower, after Possibility, for Life, for Years, by Statute-Merchant, Staple, *Elegit*, Guardian, &c. a Condition is annexed by the Law, that they do not alien in Fee, &c. *Co. L. 233. b.*

To every Estate, that it be not aliened in *Mortmain*. *Ibid.*

So, to the Estate of Tenant by the Curtesy, in Dower, for Life, Years, &c. a Condition is annexed, that they do not commit Waste. *Ibid.*

So, to a Grant of an Office of a Parker, Steward, Bedel, Bailiff of a Manor, and other Offices, a Condition is annexed by Law, that he do that which to his Office appertains. *Lit. S. 378, 379.*

So, by the *St. 5 Ed. 6. 16.* to Offices which concern the Administration, or Execution of Justice, a Condition is annexed, that he do not purchase, or sell his Office. *Co. L. 234. a. Vide Officer, (K. 1.)*

So, to all Franchises a Condition is annexed by Law, that they be not misused. *Mir. ch. 5. S. 4. 2 Inst. 223. D. Quo. War. 11, 12.*

Who are bound by a Condition in Law. *Vide Ante, (A. 10.)*

(S) What shall be a Breach of a Condition in Law.

(S. 1.) Dereliction of an Office.

WHEN an Alienation by Tenant by the Curtesy, in Dower, for Life, Years, &c. shall be a Forfeiture, *Vide Forfeiture, (A. 1, &c.)*

When an Alienation in *Mortmain*, *Vide Capacity, (B. 2, &c.)*

When Waste shall be a Forfeiture, *Vide Waste, (F. 1, 2.)*

In all Cases where an Officer relinquishes his Office, and refuses Attendance, he forfeits his Office. *Co. L. 233. b. R. 9 Co. 50. b. Vide Officer, (K. 2.)*

So, if an Officer has a Sentence against him in the Star-chamber for Bribery, and that he be incapable of any judicial Office; his Office is not lost by the Sentence, for if he be pardoned, he may afterwards execute it. But if, after Sentence, and before the Pardon, he refuses Attendance; it is a Forfeiture. *R. Cro. Car. 55.*

(S. 2.) Abusing his Authority.

So, in all Cases where an Officer acts contrary to the Duty of his Office; it shall be a Forfeiture: As, if a Parker kills Deer, &c. without Warrant. *Co. L. 233. b. R. 1 And. 29.*

Or, destroys the *Vert*; as by cutting down, or felling of Trees, Wood, Underwood, &c. *Co. L. 233. b. 1 And. 29. R. Mo. 707. 787, 9.*

Or, pulls down the Lodge, or other Houses of the Park. *Co. L. 233. b. 1 And. 29.*

Or, surcharges the Park by Agistment, that the Deer have not sufficient Herbage. *R. Mo. 787.*

So, if a Parker refuses to execute the Warrant of his Master, or to permit it to be executed. *Per 2 J. 1 Cont. Mo. 9.*

If by Stat. an Auditor be bound to shew his Account before *Hilary* Term annually, and does not do it; it shall be a Forfeiture. *Dy. 197. b.*

So, if an Officer neglects that which by his Patent he ought to do *Sub pana Forisfactura*; As, if he does not account, or pay Money due upon an Account, at the Time appointed by his Patent. *R. Dy. 211. a.*

If he, who has an Office of the Custody of a House of the King, denies him who has the Inheritance to inhabit there; it shall be a Forfeiture. *R. 2 Cro. 18. Mo. 787.*

Otherwise, if his Servants do it of their own Head. *R. 2 Cro. 18. Mo. 787.*

So, in all Publick Offices, which concern the Administration of Justice, *Non-user*, of itself, is a Forfeiture. *Co. L. 233. a. Vide Liberties, (C. 1, 2.)*

As, Absence in a Philizer for two Years. *Dy. 114. b.*

In a Town Clerk. *1 Sid. 14. Vide Franchises, (F. 27.)*

But Absence involuntary, or for a reasonable Cause, is not a Forfeiture; As, if a Serjeant of Arms makes a Deputy by the King's Licence by *Parol* only. *R. 9 Co. 99.*

So, in private Offices, *Non-user*, if it be accompanied with any Damage to the Lord or Master, is a Forfeiture: As, if a Parker be absent for two or three Days, and in his Absence Deer, &c. are killed. *Co. L. 233. a.*

So a voluntary Neglect to attend, without a reasonable Excuse of the Absence, is a Forfeiture of the Office of Serjeant at Arms to the Lord Chancellor. *R. 9 Co. 99. Dy. 198. a.*

So Non-attendance in his Month of Waiting, is a Forfeiture of the Office of Clerk of the Signet. *D. 1 Sid. 81.*

And, if the Office was granted in Reversion, Non-attendance when the Office is void, without Notice of the Death of the former Officer. *D. 1 Sid. 81.*

So a private Officer, who has only a certain Fee to be paid by his Master, may be discharged *ad Libitum*. *Co. L. 233. a.*

But, generally, *Non-user* of a private Office, without a special Damage, is not a Forfeiture. *Ibid.*

So a private Officer cannot be discharged *ad Libitum*, where he has Profits belonging to his Office, besides his Fee; for a Grantor cannot defeat his own Grant: As, a Steward of a Manor, &c. *Co. L. 233. b.*

So he cannot be discharged *ad Libitum*, where his Fee is not paid by the Lord, but to be allowed out of the Profits of his Office. *Ibid.*

What Charges, &c. shall be avoided by an Entry for a Forfeiture, *Vide Ante, (O. 6.)*

(T) Limitation; What shall be.

SO, if an Estate be granted under a Limitation, there is a Condition in Law, that if the Contingency upon which the Estate is limited happens, the Estate determines.

As, if an Estate be granted to a Woman *durante Viduitate*. Co. L. 234. b. Jon. 58.

Or, *dum casta & sola vixerit*. Co. L. 234. b.

So, *dummodo, quamdiu, donec, quousque, &c.* are Words of Limitation. Co. L. 235. a. 10 Co. 42. a.

So, where an Estate is limited by Way of Use, it shall be a conditional Limitation; tho' it would not be a Condition by the Common Law. Pol. 78.

If a Man, by his Will, devises Land to his Heir, upon Condition, that he pays, or does such an Act, &c. and for Non-payment, &c. devises it over; this shall be taken as a Limitation, tho' there are express Words of Condition; for otherwise, the Heir, who ought to enter for the Condition broken, will take Advantage of his own Default. R. 1 Rol. 411. l. 30, 45. R. Ray. 237. R. 2 Mod. 7.

So, if an Estate be devised for Life, or Years, upon Condition, Remainder over in Fee; the Words of Condition shall be taken as a Limitation; for otherwise, by Entry for the Condition broken the Remainder will be destroyed. Cont. 10 Co. 40. b. Per Periam, acc. 1 Leo. 283. R. 2 Leo. 38. Ow. 8, 55. R. Cro. El. 919, 833. R. 2 Cro. 592. R. 1 Vent. 203. 1 Mod. 86.

[If A. on the Marriage of his eldest Son B. settles a Freehold Lease held for the Life of B. and others, in Trust to permit B. to enjoy for Life, then his intended Wife for Life, then, after being subject to a Charge for younger Children, in Trust for the Heirs-males of the Body of B. and in Default for the Heirs-males of the Body of A. and in Default for the right Heirs of A.; this Limitation to the Heirs-males of the Body of A. is not a contingent Remainder, but a Limitation of the Estate; and B. thus being in the Nature of Tenant in Tail, and also Tenant for Life, may, on the Death of his Wife and Son, bar the In-tail. Forster v. Forster, H. 1741. 2 Atkyns 259.]

[If A. devises his real Estate to his Heir at Law B. and his Heirs, on express Condition that in three Months after A.'s Death he execute to his Trustee a Release, if not, to C. and B. dies in A.'s Life-time, the Estate goes to C. and not to the Heir at Law; for this is not a strict Condition but a conditional Limitation. Avelyn v. Ward, H. 1749. 1 Vezey 420.]

So a Devise of a House to A. *provided that if he does not inhabit there, it shall be to the Lord*, will be a Limitation. Dal. 117.

So express Words of Condition shall be taken for a Limitation, if the Nature of the Case requires it. Eq. Abr. 105.

Yet, if a Remainder is not limited upon the Non-performance of the Thing to be done by the Condition, it shall be taken as a Condition, and not as a Limitation. Semb. 1 Rol. 411. l. 15. 412. l. 7.

So, if an Estate be to A. *paying, &c. and if he do not pay, to B. and if he do not perform, to the Mayor, &c.* The second Limitation will be void; for it will be a Possibility after a Possibility. Semb. Cro. Car. 577.

So, if a Freehold, or Inheritance be devised with Remainder over, upon Condition, *that if he do not go to Rome, &c. his Estate shall cease, and shall go to him in Remainder*; it cannot be taken as a Limitation, for a Freehold cannot cease. Jon. 58.

[If a Man devises Land, and Money to be laid out in Land, to Trustees, on Trust and to the Use of A. in strict Settlement, with Remainders over in strict Settlement; Provise, "That when the Person who for the Time being would (if Testator had not otherwise directed) have been intitled in Possession as Tenant for Life or in Tail, shall be under twenty-six, the Trustees shall enter and receive the Rents and Interest, and allow certain Maintenances to such Tenant for Life, or in Tail, the Rest to accumulate, and be laid out in Lands to the same Uses;" and A. attains twenty-six, marries, dies leaving his Wife enceinte of B. the Trustees take no Estate in the Premises on the Birth of B. Lade v. Holford, T. 3 G. 3. 3 B. M. 1416.]

Condition in Terrorem.*Vide Chancery, (2 Q. 6.—3 Z. 6, 7.)**Vide more of Condition, in Chancery, (2 Q. 1, &c.—4 D. 1, &c.—Estates, (A. 6, &c.)—Obligation, (E.)—Uses, (K. 4.)***C O N D U C T .***Vide Admiralty, (E. 8.)—Prærogative, (B. 5.)***C O N F E R E N C E .***Vide Parliament, (G. 24, 29.)***C O N F E S S I O N .***Vide Indictment, (K.)—Pleader, (G. 3.—Q. 5.—Y. 2.—2 W. 15.)***C O N F I D E N C E .***Vide Chancery, (4 W. 1, &c.)***C O N F I R M A T I O N .****(A) Confirmation in Fact; By what Words it shall be.**

Confirmation is when a Man confirms a defeasible Estate, or enlarges a particular Estate. *Co. L. 295. b.*

And it is expressed, or implied. *Ibid.*

By a Confirmation express, or in Fact, a voidable Estate shall be confirmed; so that it cannot be avoided; as, if a Disseisor confirms the Estate of the Disseisor. *Vide Lit. S. 519.*

And there needs not the Word, *confirmavi*; for if a Man uses the Word *Dedi*, or *Concessi*, that amounts to a Confirmation. *Lit. S. 531.*

So, *demisi*. *Co. L. 301. b.*

So, if a Man says, *Volo quod A. habeat* such Land; that amounts to a Confirmation. *Ibid.*

And a Confirmation shall be good by sealing the Deed, without Livery, or other Circumstance. *Semb. Sav. 49.*

So, if Patron and Ordinary give Licence to a Parson to make a Grant; that amounts to a Confirmation. *Co. L. 300. b.*

So, if Parson and Ordinary demise for Years to the Patron, who grants it over to B. This Assignment amounts to a Grant and Confirmation also. *Co. L. 302. a. 2 Rol. 9.*

So, if a Disseisor grants a Rent out of the Land to the Disseisor, who assigns it, and afterwards re-enters; that amounts to a Grant and Confirmation of the Rent by the Disseisor. *Co. L. 302. a.*

So, if a Disseisor grants the Land to B. for Life, or in Tail, Remainder to the Disseisor, who grants over this Remainder, to which the Tenant for Life

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attorns; that amounts to a Confirmation by the Disfeisee of the Remainder, and also of the particular Estate. *Ibid.*

So, if the Disfeisee joins in a Feoffment, &c. with the Heir of the Disfeisor, that amounts to a Confirmation by the Disfeisee. *Lit. S. 534.*

So, if a Donee in Tail grants a Rent in Fee to him in Remainder, who assigns it over; that amounts to a Confirmation of the Rent, if the Donee dies without Issue. *Semb. 1 Rol. 482. l. 45.*

So, if a Donee makes a Lease not warranted by *St. 32 H. 8.* and dies, and the Issue accepts the Rent; that amounts to a Confirmation. *Vide Estates, (B. 24. 32.)*

So, in every Case, where a Lease is only voidable; as, by an Abbot, Bishop, &c. *3 Co. 65. a.*

But a Surrender does not amount to a Confirmation. *Co. L. 301. b.*

So, if a Man bargains and sells the Reversion to Lessee for Years; that does not amount to a Confirmation to enlarge his Estate, if the Bargain and Sale be not inrolled. *Dal. 37.*

So, if there be Lessee for Years, Remainder to A. for Life, the Reversion to B. in Fee; a Charter of Feoffment and Livery, by B. to the Lessee, being void as a Feoffment, does not amount to a Confirmation to enlarge the Estate of the Lessee. *R. 1 Rol. 482. l. 40.*

So, if a Lease be absolutely void, Acceptance of Rent afterwards does not amount to a Confirmation: As, if a Lease be, upon Condition for Non-payment to be void. *Vide Condition, (P.)*

So, if a Parson, Vicar, or Prebendary leases for Years, and dies, and the Successor accepts the Rent; it is not a Confirmation, for the Lease was void by his Death. *3 Co. 65. a. Vide Post, (D. 1.)*

If a Bishop makes a Lease, which needs Confirmation by the Dean and Chapter, and dies before Confirmation, and the Rent be accepted by the Successor; the Lease shall not be affirmed. *2 Ro. 161.*

What Act by a Woman, or one at full Age shall be a Confirmation of an Estate made during Coverture or Nonage, *Vide Baron and Feme, (S. 1.)—Enfant, (C. 6.)*

(B) How a Confirmation shall enure.

(B. 1.) When confirming the Estate enures to the whole Estate.

IF a Disfeisee confirms the Estate of the Disfeisor, it is good for ever. *Lit. S. 519.*

Tho' the Confirmation was only for Life, or for Years, or for a Day, &c. for he confirms his Estate, which was a Fee-simple. *Lit. S. 519, 520.*

So, if a Disfeisor makes a Gift in Tail, and the Disfeisor confirms the Estate of the Donee only for Life, &c. this enures to confirm the whole Estate-Tail. *Co. L. 296. b.*

So, if an Estate of Freehold be confirmed in Part, or for a Time, the whole Estate is confirmed, for it is entire. *Co. L. 297. a.*

So, if an Estate be for Years. and he confirms the Demise, or Lease, or Estate of the Lessee, for Part of the Term; the Addition of Part of the Term is void, for the Demise or Estate was confirmed before. *Ibid.*

So, if a Dean and Chapter, &c. confirm a Lease only for Part of the Term. *R. 1 And. 47.*

So, if a Disfeisor makes a Joint-Estate to A. and B. and the Disfeisee confirms the Estate of B. this enures to A. for the Estate is confirmed, which was joint. *Lit. S. 522. Co. L. 297. b.*

So, if the Estate of one Joint-tenant be confirmed, that enures to his Companion. *Lit. S. 522.*

Or, if one Joint-tenant confirms the Estate of the other, it remains joint. *Lit. S. 523.*

If a Disseisor makes a Lease to *A.* and *B.* and to the Heirs of *B.* and the Disseisee confirms the Estate of *B.* for Life; this enures to *A.* and also to the Fee of *B.* for he had the whole Estate of the Fee-simple in him. *Co. L. 297. b.*

So, if a Disseisor makes a Lease for Life, &c. Remainder to *B.* in Fee, and the Disseisee confirms the Remainder; this enures to the Benefit of the particular Estate; for, if this should be defeated, the Remainder would be also defeated. *Lit. S. 521.*

So, if he makes a Lease for Life, reserving the Reversion to himself; a Confirmation of the Reversion enures to the Lessee for Life, for, by Entry upon him, the Reversion would be destroyed. *Co. L. 298. a.*

(B. 2.) When it enures only to Part.

But sometimes by apt Words a Confirmation goes only to Part of an Estate: As, if a Disseisor, or Lessee for Life, &c. makes a Lease for 100 Years; if the Disseisee or Lessor (does not confirm his Estate or Lease, but) confirms the Land to the Lessee for fifty Years, it is good for so many Years. *Co. L. 297. a.*

So, if a Lease be of forty Acres, he may confirm it for twenty Acres. *Ibid.*

So, if a Disseisor makes a Joint-Estate to two, and the Disseisee confirms only the Land to one; he has the sole Estate in the Whole. *Lit. S. 522.*

So, if a Disseisor makes a Lease for Life, &c. Remainder to another; a Confirmation of the Estate of the Lessee does not enure to him in Remainder. *Lit. S. 521.*

Or, if the Remainder be to the same Person: As, if a Disseisor gives to *B.* in Tail, Remainder to the Heirs of *B.* a Confirmation of the Estate-Tail by the Disseisee does not enure to the Remainder. *Co. L. 297. a.*

(B. 3.) When it enlarges the Estate.

If a Lessor confirms the Estate of Lessee for Years, *habend'* the said Land to him for Life; this gives to him an Estate for Life. *Lit. S. 532.*

So, if he confirms it, *habend'* the Land to him and the Heirs of his Body, or his Heirs, generally; he has an Estate-Tail, or in Fee. *Lit. S. 533. Co. L. 299. a.*

So, if a Man seised of a Rent in Fee, grants it for Life, and afterwards confirms the Estate of the Grantee, *habend'* the Rent to him and his Heirs; the Grantee has a Fee. *Lit. S. 549.*

But if a Man confirms the Estate of a Lessee for Life, &c. *habend'* his Estate to him and his Heirs; this does not enlarge the Estate, for the Estate for Life cannot go to his Heirs. *Co. L. 299. a.*

So, if a Rent be granted *de novo* for Life, and the Grantor confirms the Estate of the Grantee to him and his Heirs; this does not enlarge his Estate. *Lit. S. 548.*

And where a Confirmation enlarges the Estate, there ought to be Privy between him who confirms, and him who takes the Confirmation. *Co. L. 296. a.*

And therefore, a Confirmation by a Lessor to a Lessee for Life and a Stranger, is void to the Stranger. *1 Rol. 482. l. 27.*

So a Confirmation to enlarge an Estate, by him who has only a Right to the Reversion, is not good. *1 Rol. 482. l. 20.*

But if a Woman, Lessee for Life, takes Husband; the Lessor, by Confirmation to the Husband, may enlarge his Estate; for there is a sufficient Privy. *Co. L. 299. a.*

(B. 4.) How a Confirmation, which enlarges an Estate, operates.

If a Husband has an Estate for Life in Right of his Wife, a Confirmation to the Husband and his Heirs gives him the Fee, after the Death of his Wife. *Co. L. 299. a.*

If the Confirmation be to Husband and Wife for their Lives; this gives to the Husband a Remainder, or Interest for his Life, after the Death of his Wife. *Lit. S. 525.*

If it be to Husband and Wife, and their Heirs; they have a joint Fee-simple. *Co. L. 299. b.*

If an Estate was granted to Husband and Wife, *habend'* one Moiety to the Husband, and the other Moiety to the Wife, and a Confirmation be to the Husband and Wife and their Heirs; the Husband has one Moiety in Fee, and the Husband and Wife are Joint-tenants of the Fee in the other Moiety. *Ibid.*

If a Woman, Lessee for Years, takes Husband, and a Confirmation be to them for their Lives; they are Joint-tenants for Life, for the Term is merged in the Freehold. *Lit. S. 526.*

So, usually the Confirmation enures according to the Quality of the Estate: And therefore, if there are Tenants in Common for Life, and a Confirmation be to them and their Heirs; they have the Fee in Common. *Co. L. 299. b.*

If a Lease be to *A.* for Life, Remainder to *B.* for Life; a Confirmation to them and their Heirs, gives a Moiety to *A.* for Life, Remainder to *B.* for Life, Remainder to *A.* in Fee; and the other Moiety to *A.* for Life, Remainder to *B.* in Fee. *Ibid.*

If a Gift in Tail be to *A.* and *B.* a Confirmation to them and their Heirs, gives the Fee to them in Common; for it follows the Inheritance in them before, which they had in Common. *Ibid.*

(C) When a Confirmation is effectual.

(C. 1.) Tho' it wants Privity.

A Confirmation, which does not enlarge the Estate, shall be good, though there be no Privity: As, if Lessee for Life demises for Years, and the Lessor confirms the Estate of the Lessee for Years. *Lit. S. 516, 517.*

Or, a Disfeisor confirms a Lease by the Disfeisor. *Lit. S. 518.*

If an Infant leases for Years to *B.* who grants the Land for Part of the Years to another, and the Lessor at his full Age confirms it. *Lit. S. 547.*

Otherwise, where a Confirmation enlarges the Estate. *Vide Ante, (B. 3.)*

Or abridges the Services. *Vide Post, (D. 3.)*

(C. 2.) Tho' the Estate is gone, out of which the Grant confirmed was derived.

So, if a Disfeisor grants a Rent-charge, &c. and the Disfeisor confirms it, and afterwards enters upon the Disfeisor; the Rent remains, tho' the Estate out of which it issued be gone. *Lit. S. 527. Co. L. 300. a.*

So, if the Heir of the Disfeisor grants a Rent, and the Disfeisor confirms it, and afterwards recovers the Land; tho' the Entry of the Disfeisor was not congeable at the Time of the Confirmation. *Co. L. 300. a.*

So, if Feoffee upon Condition grants a Rent, which the Feoffor confirms, and afterwards enters for the Condition broken. *Ibid.*

So, if Lessee for Life grants a Rent in Fee, and the Lessor confirms it; the Rent remains, tho' the Estate for Life be determined. *Lit. S. 529. 1 Rol. 483. l. 25, 30.*

So, if Lessee for Life upon Condition, grants it, and afterwards the Condition is broken. *Co. L. 301. a.*

But if the Person who confirmed had only a particular Estate, his Confirmation determines with his Estate: As, if a Patron, being only Tenant for the Life of *B.* confirms a Lease of the Parson, the Confirmation is gone when *B.* dies. *2 Rol. 9.*

(D) When

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(D. 1.) If it be of a void Thing.

BUT a Confirmation of a void Thing avails Nothing: As, if B. takes from another his Villein in Gross, who confirms to B. his Estate in his Villein; it is of no avail, for he had not any Estate in him. *Lit. S. 541.*

If a Bishop in *Ireland de facto*, where there is another rightful Bishop alive, leases for Years, and the Lease is confirmed by the Dean and Chapter; yet the Lease is not good after the Death of the Lessor. *R. 2 Cro. 553. 4.*

So, if a Disseisee, before *Mich.* confirms the Estate of a Lessee by a Lease by the Disseisor, made to commence after *Mich.* for the Lessee then had only *Interesse Termini.* *Co. L. 296. b.*

If a Bishop collates to a Prebend, and dies, and before Induction the King confirms it; it is void, for he had nothing in the Prebend till Induction. *1 Rol. 483. l. 15. Vide Post, (D. 5.)*

So a Confirmation of a void Lease does not make it good. *Dy. 239. b. Vide Baron and Feme, (S. 1.)—Enfant, (C. 7.)—Ante, (A.)*

Yet, by a Confirmation by Act of Parliament, a Thing void shall be made effectual: As, a void Patent. *1 Rol. 483. l. 5. Semb. Cont.* where a void Custom was confirmed. *Hard. 41.* where the Parliament confirms only a void Act. *Pl. Com. 399.*

Otherwise, if the Parliament confirms the Thing done; as, a Grant, Lease, Attainder, &c. which would be void without such Confirmation. *Pl. Com. 399.*

(D. 2.) Does not give collateral Qualities.

So a Confirmation gives nothing but the Right to that, which he to whom the Confirmation is made, had before: As, if the Lord confirms the Estate of his Tenant, yet his Seigniorship remains. *Lit. S. 535.*

So, if he who has a Rent, Common, &c. out of Land, confirms the Estate of the Terre-tenant; his Rent, Common, &c. remains. *Lit. S. 536, 537.*

So a Confirmation does not give any collateral Qualities: And therefore, if an Husband alone levies a Fine, where Husband and Wife are seised in special Tail, Remainder to the Husband in Fee, and the Conusee confirms the Estate of the Wife; this does not make her Estate descendible to the Issues, who are barred by the Fine. *R. 9 Co. 142.*

(D. 3.) Nor extinguishes a Right, &c. in Suspence.

So a Confirmation does not give, nor extinguish a Right or Interest in the Confirmer, which was suspended: As, if the Disseisee and a Stranger disseise the Heir of the Disseisor, and the Disseisee confirms the Estate of his Companion; this does not extinguish his Right, which was suspended. *Co. L. 298. b.*

So, if he who has a Rent, &c. out of Land, and a Stranger, disseise the Terre-tenant, and the Grantee of the Rent confirms the Estate of the Stranger, and afterwards the Disseisee re-enters; the Rent is revived, for it was suspended at the Time of the Confirmation. *Ibid.*

So by a Confirmation a Man cannot make a Reservation to himself: As, if a Lord confirms the Estate of his Tenants, he cannot reserve new Services. *Lit. S. 539.*

If Queen *Elizabeth* grants a College two Manors rendring Rent, and her Successor confirms the Grant rendring the same Rent; it shall not be a double Rent, for a Rent upon a Confirmation is void, tho' it be in the Case of the King. *R. Hard. 167.*

But by Confirmation a Man may abridge his former Services: As, if the Tenant holds by Fealty and 20s. Rent; the Lord may confirm his Estate, to hold only by 12d. Rent. *Lit. S. 538.*

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Or, to hold by *Frankalmoigne*; for this is a Discharge of the other Services, rather than a Reservation of a new Service. *Lit. S. 549.*

Yet, to such a Confirmation as abridges Services, Privity is necessary. *Co. L. 305. b.*

And therefore, if there be Lord, Mesne, and Tenant, the Lord cannot abridge the Services of the Tenant. *Ibid.*

So, if a Man has a Rent-charge, or Common, in the Land of another, by Confirmation to the Terre-tenant, his Rent, or Common shall not be diminished, or abridged. *Co. L. 305. a.*

(D. 4.) So a Confirmation is not good, when made by him who has Nothing.

So a Confirmation by him, who has nothing at the Time, is worth nothing. *1 Rol. 482. l. 8.*

As, if Tenant in Tail and the Issue in Tail join in a Grant of the next Avoidance, and the Tenant in Tail dies; this is not a Confirmation by the Issue in Tail, for he had nothing at the Time. *R. 1 Rol. 482. l. 10.*

(D. 5.) So it shall not have Relation to the Prejudice of another.

So a Confirmation shall not have Relation to the Prejudice of another: As, if a Parson makes a Lease, and afterwards the Patron being Bishop grants the next Avoidance to *A.* and it is confirmed by the Dean and Chapter, and afterwards the Lease is by them confirmed; the Presentee of *A.* shall avoid the Lease, for the Grant to *A.* was before the Confirmation of the Lease. *R. Hob. 7.*

So the subsequent Presentee shall avoid it; for being avoided by the Presentee of *A.* it shall be void as to all his Successors. *Hob. 7.*

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C O N V I C T I O N.

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C O N-

CONVOCATION.

(A) How assembled.

THE Convocation ought to be summoned only by the King's Writ. By the *St. 25 H. 8. 16.* it was enacted, that it shall always be so assembled; and declared by the Clergy, that it ought so to be. *4 Inst. 322.*

And it cannot assemble without the King's Licence. *R. 12 Co. 72.*

And the Convocation is under the Power and Authority of the King. *Per 3 J. 21 Ed. 4. 45. b.*

And therefore, at every Parliament from the *22d Ed. 3.* there was this Clause inserted in the Writ directed to every Archbishop and Bishop, *viz. Præmunientes Priorem & Capitulum (vel Decanum & Capitulum) Archidiaconos, totumque Clerum Dioceseos vestrae, quod iidem Prior (vel Decanus) & Archidiaconi in propriis personis, dictumque Capitulum per unum, idemque Clerus per duos Procuratores, &c. intersint, &c.* *Dudg. Sum. 233, 235, &c. 4 Inst. 4.*

The Archbishop of *Canterbury* and Archbishop of *York* make their Convocations, and Grants severally. *21 Ed. 4. 46. b.*

(B) Who ought to assemble.

IN a Convocation all the Clergy of the Province are present, in Person, or by Representation. *4 Inst. 322. 21 Ed. 4. 55.*

The Archbishops and Bishops meet in the Upper House; the Deans, Archdeacons and Proctors of the Clergy in the Lower. *4 Inst. 322.*

(C) Their Privileges.

BY the *St. 8 H. 6. 1.* All the Clergy, called to Convocation by the King's Writ, their Servants and Familiars shall enjoy the Liberty in coming, tarrying, and returning, as the Commonalty called to Parliament enjoy.

(D) The Jurisdiction.

THE Convocation has Jurisdiction in *merè Spiritualibus*; as, Heresy, Schism, &c. *4 Inst. 322. Vide Heresy, (B. 1.)*

To make Fasting-days, Holy-days, &c. *21 Ed. 4. 45.*

In Causes Ecclesiastical, if the King be concerned, there shall be an Appeal to the Upper House of Convocation. *4 Inst. 339, 340. Vide Prærogative, (D. 15.)*

But the Convocation has no Power to bind the Temporalty, but only the Spirituality. *21 Ed. 4. 45.*

(E) How they make Canons.

Vid. Canons. **B**Y the *St. 25 H. 8. 19.* The Clergy shall not attempt, claim, &c. nor enact or execute any Canons, &c. in their Convocation, unless they have the King's Licence to make and execute them, on Pain of Fine and Imprisonment.

And therefore, tho' they be assembled in Convocation by the King's Licence they cannot afterwards confer to make Canons, &c. without a special Licence for such Purpose. *R. 12 Co. 72.*

So, after Canons are made in Convocation by the King's Licence, they cannot be executed before the Royal Assent to them. *R. 12 Co. 72.*

C O N U S A N C E.

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C O P Y.

Vide Evidence, (A. 3.)

C O P Y H O L D.

(A) Copyholder.

(A. 1.) Who is.

A Copyholder is one, who within a Manor, in which there is a Custom Time whereof, &c. for such Tenure, holds Lands or Tenements to him and his Heirs, in Tail, or for Life, &c. at the Will of the Lord, according to the Custom of the Manor. *Co. L. 58. Lit. S. 73.*

And he is called a *Copyholder*, because he holds his Land by Copy of Court Roll of the same Manor. *Co. L. 58. a.*

Of antient Times they were called *Tenants in Villenage*, or *by base Tenure*, because they held generally by *Vilein Service*. *F. N. B. 12. C. Co. L. 58. a. 62. 2 Brow. 77.*

But they are called *Copyholders*, *1 H. 5. 11.*

Tenants by the Verge, *14 H. 4. 34. Lit. S. 78.*

Tenants by Roll at the Will of the Lord, *42 Ed. 3. 25.*

Customary Tenants, by the *St. 4 Ed. 1. Extent. Manerii.*

After Tenants, *2 Rol. 236.*

(A. 2.) What Estate he has.

Tho' a Copyholder has an Estate at the Will of the Lord, yet it is according to the Custom of the Manor. *4 Co. 21.*

And therefore, the Lord cannot oust him, if he observes the Customs of the Manor. *Co. L. 60. b. 62. b. 63. 2 Co. 17. a. R. 4 Co. 21. b. 24. b. 26. Cro. El. 103. 1 Rol. 510. l. 25.*

And, if he be ousted contrary to the Custom, he shall not only sue by Petition to the Lord, but may have Trespass against him: *Co. L. 60. b. 62. b. Per Danby, 7 Ed. 4. 19. Per Brian, 21 Ed. 4. 80. Dal. 62.*

So the Lord cannot do any Act to determine his Interest: And therefore, if the King being Lord of a Manor grants Land by Copy, and afterwards grants the Fee of the same Land by Patent; the Interest of the Copyholder is not destroyed. *R. 2. Co. 17. a, Lane. R. 4 Co. 24. b, Murrel.*

So, if the Lord of a Manor, in which by Custom the Wife of a Copyholder shall have Dower without other Admittance, grants the Freehold of a Copyhold to A. for the Life of the Copyholder, and afterwards to the Copyholder himself in Fee; the Estate of the Wife is not destroyed, because the Copyholder continued his Copyhold Interest for his Life. *R. Hob. 181. 1 Rol. 510. l. 40. R. 2 Cro. 126.*

But a Copyholder has no Estate of Freehold; for that remains in the Lord. *Lit. S. 81. 2 Inst. 325.*

(B) Copyhold, What.

(B. 1.) Ought to be Time out of Mind.

A Copyhold ought to be Time whereof, &c. for it cannot begin at this Day. *Co. L. 58. b.*

And therefore, if the Lord grants Land by Copy, which has not been so granted before, it is no Copyhold. *R. 1 Leo. 56.*

Tho' it continues in Grant by Copy for forty-seven Years. *R. 3 Leo. 107.*

And if the Lord afterwards grants it by Copy for a further Term of Years; he may enter as upon a Tenant at Will. *R. 3 Leo. 108.*

But a Continuance in Grant by Copy for fifty or sixty Years, fixes a Customary Interest, if it be without Interruption. *Semb. 3 Leo. 107.*

Yet where a Grant was 10 *H. 8.* and the Lord entred 23 *H. 8.* for a Forfeiture, and afterwards it continued in Grant by Copy till 8 *Eliz.* That was an Interruption, and it shall be computed in Grant by Copy only from 23 *H. 8.* which being but forty-seven Years will not fix a Customary Interest. *R. 3 Leo. 107.*

(B. 2.) Within a Manor.

It ought to be Parcel of a Manor, or within a Manor. *Co. L. 58. b.*

But it is not necessary, that it continue Parcel of the Manor; for if the Lord grants the Inheritance of all the Copyholds within his Manor, whereby they are severed from the Manor, yet the Copyholds remain. *R. 4 Co. 26. b. Cro. El. 103.*

And the Grantee shall hold Customary Courts, and take Surrenders, and grant by Copy, tho' he cannot hold a Court Baron. *R. 4 Co. 26. b. But Semb. Cont. Cro. El. 103.*

So, if the Lord demises the Freehold of all the Copyholds within his Manor, for 2000 Years; the Copyholds remain, and the Lessee shall hold Customary Courts, &c. *R. 4 Co. 26. b. Neale. Cro. El. 395.*

So, if the Lord grants the Inheritance of one Copyhold, it remains Copyhold, and shall pay Rents, Heriots, and other Services to the Feoffee, and shall be subject to Forfeiture for Alienation, Waste, &c. as before. *R. 4 Co. 24. b. 25, Murrel. R. 2 Leo. 208.*

Yet the Feoffee cannot hold a Court, take a Surrender, or make an Admittance. *R. 4 Co. 25.*

And the Copyholder has no way to sell, but by a Decree in Chancery. *4 Co. 25.*

Or, he may surrender to the Use of the same Feoffee. *Per Fenner, Cro. El. 252.*

(B. 3.) Always demisable.

Vide Post,
(L.)

So a Copyhold ought to be at all Times demised, or demisable, by Copy. *Co. L. 58. b.*

But it is sufficient if it be demisable, tho' it was not always demised. *Ibid.*

Tho' leased at Will only. *4 Co. 31.*

And therefore, if the Lord holds a Copyhold, which escheated to him, in his Hands for many Years, he may afterwards demise it by Copy. *Co. L. 58. b. 4 Co. 31. a. R. Cro. El. 699. 1 Rol. 498. l. 40.*

So, if it comes into his Hands by any other Means. *4 Co. 31. a. French.*

And his Heir, or Assignee, may afterwards re-grant it by Copy. *4 Co. 31. a.*

So, if a Copyholder takes a Lease, or other Estate of the Manor, or of his Copyhold, whereby his Copyhold is destroyed, yet the Land may afterwards be granted by Copy; for it was always demisable. *Ag. 4 Co. 31. b. Sav. 70. (Vide 1 Rol. 498. l. 30. Semb. Cont.)*

So, if the Lord, after a Copyhold escheats, &c. demises the Manor, and the escheated Tenement by express Words, yet it may afterwards be granted by Copy;

Copy; for the Demise of the Manor includes the escheated Copyhold as Parcel of the Demefnes, and the naming of it signifies nothing. *R. Cro. Car. 521. Vide Jon. 449. (Semb. Cont.)*

But if the Lord leases such Copyhold for Life, or Years, or conveys it for any other Estate (except at Will) by Deed, or without Deed, it cannot afterwards be re-granted by Copy; for it was not always demisable. *R. 4 Co. 31. a. Vide Post, (L.)*

So, if he makes a Feoffment, and afterwards enters for a Condition broken. *4 Co. 31. a.*

So, if the Wife of a Lord has been endowed of it. *Ibid.*

Or, it has been extended upon a Statute, or Recognizance acknowledged by the Lord. *Ibid.*

So, if the King, being Lord, by Letters Patents grants an escheated Copyhold, &c. not knowing of it, tho' he was deceived. *1 Rol. 498. l. 30. Jon. 449. Cont. 2 Dan. 176. R. Cont. 2 Rol. 197. l. 5. Vide Post, (L.)*

So, if the Lord grants Land to a Copyholder, by Bill under his Hand, for his Life. *1 And. 199.*

Yet, if by a tortious Act it has been sometimes not demisable, when such Act is avoided, it may be re-granted by Copy: As, if a Copyholder be ousted and the Lord disseised, and there be a Descent after the Disseisin, yet after Re-continuance, it may be granted by Copy. *4 Co. 31. a.*

So, if a Copyhold has been recovered by a false Verdict, or an erroneous Judgment. *Ibid.*

So, if a Husband, seised of a Manor in Right of his Wife grants by Indenture an escheated Copyhold, &c. the Wife after his Death may re-grant it by Copy. *Per 2 J. Cro. El. 459. 2 Rol. 271. l. 25.*

So, if Tenant for Life leases by Indenture, the Reversion may be re-granted. *Per 2 J. Cro. El. 459. 2 Rol. 271. l. 20.*

Or, if Tenant in Tail leases. *2 Rol. 271. l. 24.*

Or, Lessee for Years of a Copyhold. *2 Rol. 271. l. 15.*

(C. 1.) What Tenements are grantable by Copy.

A Manor may be granted by Copy. *Co. L. 58. b. R. 11 Co. 17. b. Nevil. 2 Cro. 327, 260. Tel. 191.*

So, all Lands and Tenements within the Manor. *Co. L. 58. b.*

So, the Herbage and *Vestura Terræ*. *Co. L. 58. b. R. 4 Co. 30. b, Hoe. Tonsura Terræ. Per Gawdy, 1 Rol. 498. l. 15.*

So, Tithes; for they may be Parcel of a Manor, as well as a Rent-charge. *Dub. Cro. El. 814. R. Cro. El. 413. Per Rol. 1 Rol. 498. l. 10. Mo. 355.*

So, Underwood without the Soil. *R. 4 Co. 30, Hoe. Co. L. 58. b. Cro. El. 413. Mo. 355.*

And the Lord cannot take Underwood there in Common. *R. Cro. El. 413. Mo. 355.*

So, a Mill. *R. 4 Leo. 241.*

So, every Thing that concerns Lands and Tenements: As, a Fair appendant to a Manor. *Co. L. 58. b. Mo. 355.*

And a Market. *Cro. El. 413. Mo. 355.*

And a Fishery. *Mo. 355.*

And Common. *D. Cro. El. 814.*

But where a Manor is granted by Copy, it cannot have Freeholders, or a Court Baron, but a Customary Court for the Admission of Copyholders. *R. 2 Cro. 260. Adm. 2 Cro. 327.*

Nor shall have Forfeiture of the Tenements. *2 Cro. 260.*

Nor hold Plea in Writ of Right. *Ibid.*

(C. 2.) How granted.

If the Lord grants a Copyhold upon a Surrender, he ought to grant it according to the Intent of the Surrender.

And he cannot increase the Rent, or Services, or add a Condition. 2 Rol. 236.

But where a Copyhold comes to the Lord by Escheat, Forfeiture, &c. he may grant it *de novo* by Copy, rendring a greater Rent. 2 Rol. 236.

(C. 3.) What Lord may grant.

(C. 3.)
*Dominus pro
Tempore.*

Every one, having a lawful Interest in a Manor, may make voluntary Grants of Copyholds escheated, or come to his Hands, as well as Admittances, rendering the ancient Rents and Services, which bind him who has the Inheritance. 4 Co. 23. b. Co. L. 58. b. Mo. 112.

As, Tenant in Fee or Tail. 4 Co. 23. b.

Tenant for Life. R. 4 Co. 23. b.

Tenant by Curtesy. 4 Co. 23. b.

Tenant in Dower. *Ibid.*

Tenant by Statute-Merchant, Staple, or *Elegit*. 4 Co. 23. b. Co. L. 58. b.

Tenant for Years. 4 Co. 23. b. Co. L. 58. b. R. Mod. Ca. 63.

Guardian in Chivalry, or Socage. 4 Co. 23. b. Co. L. 58. b. R. Qw. 115. 2 Cro. 55. 98. 1 Rol. 499. l. 23. Godb. 143.

Tenant at Will of a Manor; for the Copyholder is in by the Custom, without Regard to the Person, or Estate, of the Lord. 4 Co. 23. b. Co. L. 58. b. Agr. 6 Co. 60. b.

Feoffee upon Condition may make voluntary Grants, which stand after the Condition broken. R. 4 Co. 24. a.

So Grants by a Bishop bind his Successor, and the King when the Temporalities are in his Hands. 4 Co. 21, 23. b.

So Grants by a Prebendary, Parson, &c. bind for ever. 4 Co. 23. b.

So, if the Lord takes a Wife, who is intitled to Dower by the Marriage, and afterwards makes a voluntary Grant; this binds the Wife after the Death of her Husband. R. 4 Co. 24. a. R. 8 Co. 63. b. Cont. Mo. 94. R. Acc. Mo. 812.

So, if an Infant makes voluntary Grants, they bind for ever. 4 Co. 23. b.

Or an Idiot, or *Non Compos*. *Ibid.*

So, a Lunatic by his Steward. 2 Dan. 178.

So when a Reversion is demisable by Copy, Tenant in Dower may grant it by Copy, as well as the Possession; and the Grant binds the Heir. R. 1 Rol. 499. l. 20. Cro. El. 662.

So, every other particular Tenant of a Manor. R. Mo. 147. Cro. El. 662. Godb. 143.

And the Grant is good, tho' the Reversion does not fall in Possession during the Estate of the Lord who made the Grant. Cont. Per all the Judges except two. Mo. 95. Acc. per 2 J. Cro. El. 662. R. 2 Rol. 41. l. 12. 2 Cro. 99. R. 1 Rol. 499. l. 20.

And if a Copyholder by Custom has Estovers, Common, &c. appurtenant to his Copyhold, and Lessee for Years, &c. excepting Wood, Waffe, &c. whereby they are severed from the Manor, makes a voluntary Grant, the Grantee shall have Common, Estovers, &c. as before; for he is not in by the Lord, but *paramount*. R. 8 Co. 63. Mo. 812.

But Tenant at Will of a Manor cannot grant a Copyholder Licence to alien for Years. R. 8 Jac. 1 Rol. 511. l. 10.

And if Tenant for Life of a Manor grants a Licence to alien for Years, it determines at his Death. R. 1 Rol. 511. l. 15.

So, if an Husband is seised in Right of his Wife, the Wife ought to join in the Grant. 2 Cro. 99.

So, if a Copyhold comes to the Lord by Forfeiture, Escheat, &c. and he binds himself in a Statute, and afterwards re-grants the Copyhold, it shall be liable to the Stat. *R. Mo. 94. 1 Leo. 4.*

So, if the Lord grants a Rent-charge, and afterwards re-grants a Copyhold, it shall be liable to the Rent. *R. 2 Leo. 152. 3 Leo. 59.*

So, if the Lord grants a Rent-charge, and afterwards a Copyhold escheats, &c. and the Lord re-grants it, it shall be liable to the Rent. *R. Dy. 270. b. R. Cont. 2 Brow. 208.*

But if a Copyholder surrenders to the Lord, to the Use of *A.* and the Lord admits him; *A.* shall not be liable to the Statute or Charge of the Lord. *R. 1 Leo. 4. Dy. 270. b.*

So Tenant of a Manor by Wrong, or defeasible Title, may make an Admittance upon a Surrender, which will bind him who has the Right; for this is a lawful Act, to which he is compellable in Equity; As, a Disseisor, Abator, or Intruder. *4 Co. 24. a. Co. L. 58. b.* (C. 4.) By Wrong.

Feoffee of a Disseisor. *4 Co. 24. a.*

Tenant by Sufferance. *R. 4 Co. 24. 2 Leo. 46, 7.*

Devisee, tho' afterwards the Devisor be found *Non Compos.* *Per Popham, Ow. 28. R. 2 Leo. 46, 7.*

Tho' a Surrender be to the Disseisor *ut Dominus faciat voluntatem suam*, whereupon he grants it to *A.* in Tail according to the Intent of the Surrender. *2 1 Rol. 503. l. 25.*

But a Lord by defeasible Title cannot make voluntary Grants to bind him who has the Right. *Co. L. 58. b. 4 Co. 23. b. Ow. 28. R. 4 Co. 24. a. Rous. Mo. 236.*

So he cannot admit to a greater Estate upon a Surrender than the Surrenderer can give: And therefore, if Tenant for Life, or in Tail, surrenders to a Disseisor to the Use of *A.* for Life, or in Tail, and the Disseisor admits accordingly, this does not bind the Dissee. *1 Rol. 503. l. 27.*

So he cannot accept a Surrender to the Use of himself, but such Surrender will be void; as, an Executor *de son tort* cannot retain for his own Debt. *R. 2 Jon. 153. 1 Vent. 359. 2 Mod. 287.*

And if a Lord, who has a defeasible Title, makes a voluntary Grant, Entry or Recovery of the Manor by the Dissee avoids it. *R. Poph. 71.*

So, if a Devisee for Payment of Debts makes a Grant, and the Wife is endowed of the third Part of the Manor, and this Copyhold is assigned for her third, she shall avoid the Grant. *R. Dy. 251. a.*

(C. 5.) What Steward may grant.

A Grant by any Steward, who has Colour of Title, is good; and therefore, if two are joint Stewards of a Manor by Patent, and one of them holds a Court and makes Grants, it is sufficient. *R. Mo. 112.*

So, if the Clerk of a Steward holds a Court, and makes Grants; for the Tenants cannot examine his Authority, neither need he give them an Account of it. *Ibid.*

So, if there be a Steward *ad exequend' per se aut Deput'* and he makes a Deputy *pro hac vice.* *R. Cro. El. 48.*

So, if a Deputy of a Steward deputes another, who holds Courts and makes Grants; tho' he has no Title, for a Deputy cannot make a Deputy. *R. in B. R. 12 W. 3. inter Parker and Keck. R. 1 Leo. 288. Vide Sal. 95. (Comyns's Rep. 84.)*

So, if a Deputy, to take a Surrender to *A.* in Fee, takes Surrenders, which is not pursuant to his Authority; yet it is sufficient. *R. 1 Leo. 289.*

So, if a Deputation be to take a Surrender to *A.* in Fee, and he takes a conditional Surrender; it is sufficient. *R. 1 Leo. 289. Adm. Cro. El. 48.*

But a Grant by a Steward, contrary to the Command of the Lord, is void. *Per Poph. Cro. El. 699.*

Or, by less Services. *Cro. El.* 699.

Yet a Grant by the King's Steward of a Copyhold escheated, without Warrant, is good, tho' not agreeable to his Duty. *R. 4 Co.* 30. *a.*

(C. 6.) By what Words.

Vide Post,
(F. 6.)

A Grant to *A. Habendum* to him and his Wife, is void to the Wife, she being named only after the *Habendum*. *R. 1 Rol.* 67. *l.* 45. *Vide Post,* (F. 6.)

So a Grant to *A. Habendum* to him, his Wife, and Son, is void to the Wife, and Son. *R. 2 Rol.* 68. *l.* 10.

So a Grant to *A.* and his Son, who has several Sons, is void for Uncertainty. *R. 2 Cro.* 374.

Otherwise, if it be averred that *A.* had but one Son. *R. 2 Cro.* 374.

(C. 7.) What Estate.

(C. 7.)
In Fee.

The Lord may grant a Copyhold to hold to a Man and his Heirs in Fee-simple. *Lit. S.* 73.

So a Copyhold may be granted to *A.* and his Heirs, upon Condition, that he pay 100 *l.* to *B.* and if he does not pay, to *B.* and his Heirs. *Per Beamount,* *Cro. El.* 361. *Semb. 1 Rol.* 137, 254.

So it may be granted to several and their Heirs, by which they are Joint-tenants.

And if it be granted to four and their Heirs equally to be divided, they are Joint-tenants, and not Tenants in Common. *Per Holt, but 2 J. cont. in B. R. inter Fisher and Wigg. T. 12 W.* 3. *Vide Sal.* 391. (*Comyns's Rep.* 88.)

(C. 8.)
In Tail.

So, by Custom, co-operating with the *St. W. 2. 1. de Donis*, a Copyhold may be granted in Tail. *Lit. S.* 73. *Co. L.* 60. *a. b.* *Adm. 1 Sid.* 314. *R. 3 Co.* 8. *Mo.* 128. *Per 2 J. Poph.* 34, 35. *R. Poph.* 128. *Semb. 1 Rol.* 48. *R. Cart.* 22. *D. 2 Brow.* 77, 44. *R. 1 Rol.* 838. *l.* 20.

And if a Custom allows a Grant to a Man and his Heirs, it warrants also a Grant to him and the Heirs of his Body. *R. 4 Co.* 23. *Gravenor. Co. L.* 52. *b.* *Poph.* 35. *Semb. per Holt, M. 2 Ann. Vide 6 Mod.* 63, 66.

But it is no Evidence of a Custom to make a Grant in Tail, that Land has used to be granted to a Man and the Heirs of his Body, unless there has been also a Remainder after such Estate. *Co. L.* 60. *b.*

Or, the Issue has avoided the Alienation of his Ancestor. *Ibid.*

Or, has recovered in *Formedon in Descender, &c.* *Ibid.*

And it seems, that the *St. de Donis*, without a Custom, does not make an Entail; for it does not extend to Copyholds. *Co. L.* 60. *a.* *R. 3 Co.* 8. *Vide Post,* (N.) *R. Cro. El.* 717. *Godb.* 369.

[A Copyhold to Husband for Life, Wife for Life, Heirs of the Bodies of Husband and Wife, Remainder in Fee to the Survivor, is an Estate-tail after Possibility of Issue extinct in the Wife who survives, and the Estate vests in the Person who is Heir of the Body of both Husband and Wife. *Sutton v. Stone, M.* 1740. *2 Atkyns* 101.]

(C. 9.)
Estate tail,
how barred.

But if by Custom a Copyhold may be entailed, it may also be barred. *Co. L.* 60. *b.* *Ag. 1 Rol.* 49.

And therefore, a Common Recovery may be in the Lord's Court to bar such Entail. *Dub. 4 Co.* 23. *a.* *Cro. El.* 372, 391. *R. 1 Rol.* 506. *l.* 10. *Ag. Mo.* 753, 358.

Tho' there be not any special Custom to warrant such Recovery. *R. 1 Rol.* 506. *l.* 20. *D. Mo.* 358. *Per Holt obiter in the Case of Hunt and Bourn. (Vide Sal.* 340.)

So, by Custom, it is a good Bar to an Entail, that a Copyholder commits a Forfeiture by alienating without Licence, and the Forfeiture is presented in Court, and thereupon the Lord seises it, and afterwards makes a Grant to *A.* and his

his Heirs. for whose Benefit the Forfeiture was intended. *R. 2 Sand. 422. 1 Sid. 314. Dub. Sti. 450.*

Or, that a Copyholder surrenders to *A.* and his Heirs, who shall commit a Forfeiture, &c. *R. 1 Sid. 314.*

In such Case the Lord cannot admit any other, than the Person for whose Benefit the Forfeiture was intended. *R. 2 Sand. 422.*

And, if the Lord does otherwise, a Purchaser shall avoid all mesne Acts when he is admitted, as well as upon a Surrender. *2 Sand. 422.*

So, a Copyhold in Tail shall be barred, by Acceptance of a Feoffment from the Lord and afterwards a Fine levied at Common Law. *R. Cart. 23. Vide Post, (N.)*

Tho' there be a Custom, that it shall be barred by Forfeiture, & *non aliter*; for such Custom (as to the *non aliter*) is void. *R. Cart. 23.*

But an Entail cannot be barred by Surrender only; for a Custom to bar by Surrender alone, is void. *Per Coke, Lo. 188. Cont. if the Custom allows it, Semb. Popb. 129. 2 Brow. 121.*

[There may be a good Custom in a Manor, that Tenant in Tail may Surrender, and bar his Issue, without suffering Recovery; or that he may suffer Recovery in the Manor Court, and have the same effect. *Everall v. Smalley, M. 17 G. 2. Str. 1197. Wilf. 26.*]

[In a Manor where Copyhold may be intailed either by special Custom, or by the general Doctrine of Surrender in Fee, *vel aliter*, &c. if a Custom does not appear to bar by Recovery in that Manor, it may be barred by Surrender; for otherwise it would create a Perpetuity. *Moore v. Moore, T. 1755. 2 Vezey 596.*]

[And this Surrender to the Use of the Will only. *Ibid. Car v. Singer, P. 1750, in C. B. 2 Vezey 603.*]

[By Custom, it may be barred by Surrender, and wherever Tenant in Tail of a Freehold can bar the Estate by any Means, there Tenant in Tail of such Copyhold may bar by Surrender. *Martin v. Mowlin, P. 33 G. 2. 2 B. M. 969.*]

[In such Manor, if *A.* devises to his Son *B.* and *C.* his Wife, and the Heirs of the Body of *B.* on *C.* begotten; this Estate may be barred by Surrender of *B.* alone. *Ibid.*]

If a Common Recovery is erroneous, it cannot be reversed, but by a Petition to the Lord, in Nature of a Writ of Error. *Adm. Ca. Parl. 67.*

And if the Lord refuse to receive such Petition, he shall not be compelled to it in Equity, *R. in Ch. upon Dem. to a Bill, and affirmed in Parliament, Ca. Parl. 67. R. 1 Ver. 368.*

Recovery in Value shall be only of other Copyhold in the same Manor. *Mo. 359.*

So Custom allows a Grant of Copyhold for Life. *Lit. S. 73.*

And when, by Custom, a Grant may be to a Man and his Heirs, the same Custom warrants a Grant of any less Estate, as for Life, &c. tho' there never was such a Grant before. *R. Co. L. 52. b. 4 Co. 23, Gravenor. R. 1 Leo. 56.* (C. 10.) For Life, &c.

Tho' the Custom says, that there shall be a Grant in Fee *solummodo*; for that cannot restrain what is incident by Law. *R. 1 Rol. 511. l. 30.*

So, by a Custom allowing a Grant for three Lives, it may be granted to three for the Lives of two. *R. 1 Rol. 511. l. 40.*

Or, for two Lives, or one Life. *Per Popb. 35.*

Or, to one for the Life of himself, and two others *successive*. *R. 1 Sal. 188.*

But a Grant to *A.* for his Life, Remainder for the Life of his Wife, and the first Son which he may afterwards have, is warranted only for his own Life. *R. Mo. 677.*

So, by a Custom allowing a Grant for Life, it may be granted *durante Viduitate*. *R. 4 Co. 30, Down. Cro. El. 323.*

So, by a Custom which allows a Grant to three *successive sicut nominantur*, a Grant may be to *A.* for three Lives. *R. Mod. Ca. 67. 1 Sal. 188.*

If

If a Grant be for the Lives of him and his two Brothers, his Son shall have it; And if he dies without Issue, his Executor, or Administrator, and not the other Lives. 1 Ver. 415.

If a Grant be for three Lives *successive sicut nominantur*, by Custom the Wife of the Grantee may have *Freebench*, whereby the Estate is continued during the Life of the Wife. 1 Lev. 21.

If the Lord makes a Lease for forty Years, from the Death, Surrender, or other Determination of the Estate, and the three Lives all die, the Lease does not commence till the Death of the Wife: For it shall be such a Death as determines the Estate. Per 2 J. 1 Lev. 21.

So a Custom allowing a Grant for Life, &c. warrants a Grant for Years. 4 Co. 23. Co. L. 52. b.

(C. 11.)
In Remainder 151. So, by Custom, a Copyhold may be granted in Remainder. Adm. 1 Sand. R. 4 Leo. 9.

And if a Custom allows a Grant in Fee, it warrants a Grant in Tail for Life, or Years, Remainder to another and his Heirs. Co. L. 52. b. Popb. 35.

So a Surrender may be to A. in Fee, and if he dies within Age, and unmarried, to B. in Fee; the Remainder to B. is good. Semb. 2 Rol. 791. l. 40.

So he in Remainder may be admitted to it by himself. Lut. 758.

But a Grant in Remainder may be restrained to the Assent of the Tenants. Dub. 3 Leo. 226.

(C. 12.)
Reversion. So a Reversion of a Copyhold Estate may be granted, but not without a special Custom. D. Mar. 6. Vide Post, (F. 6.) R. 3 Leo. 239.

So a Man admitted to a Reversion may surrender to another.

Or, a Moiety or two Parts, &c. Ray 18.

So, if a Lease be of a Copyhold by Licence rendring Rent, the Copyholder may surrender by Name of a Reversion. Vide Post, (F. 6.)

And there needs no Attornment; for the Admittance is tantamount to an Inrolment, and supplies it. Per 2 J. 1 Leo. 297: R. Hob. 177. R. Ray 18.

(D. 1.) Descent of a Copyhold.

TH O' a Copyholder holds at the Will of the Lord, yet by Custom, his Estate is descendible to his Heir. R. 3 Co. 21, Brown.

And the Descent shall be regulated by the Rules of the Common Law, as incident to an Estate descendible. R. 4 Co. 22. a.

[A Copyholder, Heir to her Mother, before Admission devises to A. and dies without Admission or Surrender, the Lands shall descend to her Heir on the Part of her Mother. *Smith v. Trigg*, M. 8 G. Str. 487.]

And therefore, if a Copyholder, having a Son and a Daughter by one Venter, and a Son by another Venter, makes a Lease for Years and dies, and afterwards the eldest Son dies before Admittance; the Daughter shall have it, not the Son. R. 4 Co. 21. Brown. Dy. 291. b.

If there be a Copyholder for Years, Remainder to A. and his Heirs; A. dies during the Years; his Sister of the whole Blood shall take, for the Possession of the Termor was his Possession. R. 1 Vent. 261. 1 Mod. 120.

So, if a Copyholder dies, and the Guardian of the Heir be admitted; his Possession is sufficient to cause the Sister of the whole Blood to inherit. Dy. 292. a. 1 Rol. 502. l. 50. Dal. 410.

So, if the Heir dies before Admittance, or Guardian assigned; if the Homage find him to be Heir, it is sufficient to cause his Sister to inherit. R. Mo. 125.

Otherwise, if, by Custom, the Lord may demise to a Stranger during the Minority of the Heir; the Possession of the Stranger does not cause the Sister to inherit. D. Dal. 110.

So, if the Heir of a Copyholder dies before Admittance, the Descent shall be to the Heir of the whole Blood. R. Dy. 291. b. Mo. 125.

So, if a Copyholder dies, his Wife *privement anseint* with a Son, and his Daughter, as Heir, is admitted, and afterwards the Son is born; he shall have it, and enter upon the Daughter.

So, if a Copyhold be limited in Remainder, it ought to vest during, or at the End of the particular Estate. 1 *Rol.* 238, 438.

And if the Remainder be contingent, it shall be in Abeyance till the Contingency happens. *R.* 417. *l.* 45.

But a Surrender by a Copyholder for Life, before the Contingency, does not defeat it. *Semb.* 2 *Rol.* 794. *l.* 45. *Vide Post* (F. 14.)

But, by special Custom, a Descent may be contrary to the Rules of the Common Law. *Vide Post.* (K. 4.)

(D. 2.) What an Heir may do before Admittance.

And the Heir, upon a Descent, may enter and take the Profits, before Admittance. *R.* 4 *Co.* 22. *b.* *Brown.* 4 *Co.* 23. *b.* *Clerk.* *Dy.* 291. *b.*

And shall have Trespass. 4 *Co.* 23. *b.* *Clerk.* *R.* *Noy* 172.

And may make Leases. *R.* *Mo.* 596.

And the Lessee may maintain an Ejectment, before the Admittance of his Lessor. *R.* 1 *Leo.* 100.

So he may surrender to the Use of another, before Admittance; but the Lord shall not lose his Fine. *R.* 4 *Co.* 22. *b.*

So he may surrender a Reversion descended to him, before Admittance. *R.* 1 *Rol.* 499. *l.* 25. *Cro. El.* 662. *R.* 2 *Cro.* 36.

So, if the Heir dies before Admittance, his Heir shall enter and take the Profits, and shall have Trespass, before his Admission. *R.* 4 *Co.* 23. *b.* *Clerk.*

If a Surrender be to A. for Life, Remainder to his eldest Son in Fee, and A. dies; his Heir shall enter before Admittance, tho' he claims by Purchase. *Per Hale,* 1 *Mod.* 120.

So the Lord may avow for his Rent, before Admittance. *Kit.* 87. *b.*

But he shall not be sworn upon the Homage, before Admittance. *Ibid.*

(E) What Collateral Qualities a Copyhold shall have.

BUT a Copyhold shall not have the collateral Qualities of other Inheritances, which do not concern the Descent, without special Custom: As, a Husband shall not be Tenant by the Curtesy of a Copyhold, without special Custom. *R.* 4 *Co.* 22. *a.* *Brown.* *R.* 4 *Co.* 22. *b.* *Rivet.* *R.* *Cro. El.* 361. 1 *And.* 192.

But, by special Custom, he shall be Tenant by the Curtesy. *Vide Post,* (K. 1.)

A Wife shall not be endowed. 4 *Co.* 21, *Brown.* *R.* 4 *Co.* 30. *b.* *Shaw.* *Mo.* 410. *Cro. El.* 426.

But, by special Custom, she shall. *Vide Post,* (K. 2.)

So a Descent of a Copyhold does not toll Entry. 4 *Co.* 22, *Brown.* *R.* 4 *Co.* 23, *Gravenor.* *R.* 2 *Cro.* 36. *Poph.* 35.

So, if upon a Descent the Lord admits a Stranger, before the Heir, it is no Disseisin. *R.* 3 *Leo.* 210.

So there shall be no Occupant of a Copyhold, but it goes to the Lord. *Noy* 47. *Vide Post,* (F. 14.)

So a Copyhold shall not be Assets in the Hands of the Heir to charge him upon a Bond of his Ancestor. 4 *Co.* 22.

So a Surrender of a Copyhold with Warranty, the Warranty is void. *Mo.* 352.

So a Surrender by a Copyholder seised in Tail, does not make a Discontinuance; for there is no Livery, nor Warranty. 4 *Co.* 23. *Cont.* *R.* *Cro. El.* 483, 717. *Cont. per Walmshy,* 2 *Cro.* 105. *Acc. Mo.* 358. *R. acc. Mo.* 753.

R. acc. Cro. El. 148.

So a Surrender by a Husband, seised in Right of his Wife, does not make a Discontinuance. *R.* 4. *Co.* 23, *Bullock.* *R.* *Mo.* 596.

A Surrender by an Infant does not put his Heir to a *Dum fuit infra Aetatum.* *R.* 1 *Leo.* 95.

So a Surrender in Fee by a Copyholder for Life is no Forfeiture. *Vide Post*, (M. 2.)

So a Surrender by a Copyholder for Life, and him in Remainder in Fee, being an Infant, does not bar, nor put the Heir of the Infant to a *Dum fuit infra Ætatem*. *Per 2 J. Cro. El. 90.*

So the Lord cannot grant the Custody of Customary Lands to a Committee, if his Copyholder is a Lunatic, without special Custom. *Per Hob. 215. Hut. 16. Vide Post*, (K. 5.)

Nor the Guardianship of his Copyholder, if he be an Infant. *R. Lut. 1190. Vide Post*, (K. 5.)

But if a Copyholder dies, his Heir within the Age of fourteen Years, his *prochein Amy* shall be a Guardian to him, if there is no special Custom in the Manor for it. *R. 2 Rol. 40. P.*

So, if Tenant for Life, Remainder to the first and other Sons in Tail, Remainder to B. in Fee, purchases the Fee, and B. surrenders; the contingent Remainder to the first and other Sons is not destroyed, for the Freehold in the Lord supports it. *R. 2 Ver. 243.*

So a Copyholder cannot take Housebote, Hedgebote, Cartbote, &c. as a Freeholder for Life or Years, without special Custom. *R. Cro. El. 5. Cont. Cro. El. 361. 1 Brow. 132. Vide Post*, (K. 7.)

(F.) Surrender of a Copyhold.

(F. 1.) In Court.

IF a Copyholder will alien his Land to another, he ought according to Custom to make a Surrender to his Use. *Lit. S. 74.*

And every Copyholder may surrender in Court, without alledging in pleading any special Custom for it. *Co. L. 59. a. 9 Co. 75. b.*

(F. 2.) Out of Court.

(F. 2.) So a Copyholder may surrender to the Lord himself, out of Court, without To the Lord. alledging a special Custom for it. *Co. L. 59. a.*
So, out of the Manor. *Adm. 1 Sal. 184.*

(F. 3.) So he may surrender, out of Court, to the Steward. *R. 4 Co. 30. b. 1 Sal. 184. (Vide 2 Cro. 526.)*

Tho' it be to the Use of the Steward. *R. Cro. El. 717.*

Tho' the Steward be retained only by *Parol*. *R. 4 Co. 30. b. 1 Leo. 228. R. 2 Cro. 526.*

So a Steward, out of Court, may examine a *Feme Covert*, without a special Custom for it. *R. 2 Cro. 526.*

And may depute another to take the Surrender. *1 Sal. 95.*

And a Surrender to such a Deputy in *Ireland*, &c. is good.

So a Surrender may be to the Steward, out of the Manor. *Semb. 1 Sal. 184.*

So a Surrender to A. deputed by a Deputy of the Steward, is good. *R. 1 Sal. 95.*

But a Surrender cannot be to a Steward, out of the Manor, if he be by *Parol*. *R. Godb. 142.*

(F. 4.) So, by special Custom, he may surrender to two Tenants of the Manor. *Co. To Tenants, L. 59. a. Lit. S. 79.*
&c.

But he ought in pleading to alledge a special Custom for it. *Co. L. 59. a.*

Or, to the Reeve or Bailiff, &c. *Co. L. 59. a. Lit. S. 79.*

Or, to the Bailiff in the Presence of two Tenants, *hoc testifican'*. *Kit. 102. b.*

Or, to one Tenant. *Ibid.*

Or, to one Tenant in the Presence of others. *Ibid.*

And

And if a Copyholder covenants to make a Surrender; if he surrenders to two Tenants, it is sufficient. *R. 1 Lev. 293. 1 Mod. 61.*

The Heir may surrender a Reversion to two Tenants, before Admittance. *1 Rol. 499. l. 45.*

So, if he alledges a Surrender to two Tenants *secundum Consuetudinem*; it is sufficient upon Covenant to surrender, without alledging a Custom for it. *R. 1 Mod. 61.*

But Husband and Wife cannot surrender to two Tenants; for they cannot take an Examination of the Wife, without special Custom. *R. Cro. El. 717.*

And a Custom, that Tenants who take a Surrender, if they do not present it at the next Court, forfeit their Copyholds, is good. *Adm. per Holt, 3 Ann. int' Stint and Blount.*

But an Action upon the Case does not lie against Tenants, for refusing to take a Surrender. *1 Rol. 108. l. 40.*

(F. 5.) By Attorney.

A Copyholder may surrender in Court by Attorney, without a special Custom to warrant it; for he may surrender by the general Custom of *England*, which is the Common Law, and then it is incident to do it by Attorney. *R. 9 Co. 75. b. 1 Rol. 500. l. 50. Per Wray, 2 J. Cont. 1 Leo. 36.*

[But a Custom, that a Surrender must be made in Person, unless in Special Case of Disability, is not contrary to Law. *Mitchel v. Neal, M. 1755. 2 Vezey 679.*]

[A Purchaser of a Copyhold is not obliged to accept of a Surrender by Attorney, but may insist on the Vendor's surrendering in Person in Court. *Ibid.*]

But he cannot surrender into the Hands of two Tenants, by Attorney; for such Surrender, tho' in Person, is not warranted, without special Custom. *R. 9 Co. 76. a. b. 1 Rol. 501. l. 5.*

And if he covenants to surrender on Request, the refusing to execute a Letter of Attorney to make a Surrender is no Breach. *R. Cro. Car. 299.*

An Attorney who makes a Surrender, ought to make it in the usual Form; as, by the Rod, &c. according to the Custom of the Manor. *R. 9 Co. 76. b. 1 Rol. 501. l. 10.*

And he ought to make it in the Name of the Copyholder, not in his own Name. *9 Co. 76. b.*

Or shew his Authority, and say, that he surrenders by Force of such Authority. *R. 9 Co. 77. a. 1 Rol. 501. l. 15.*

But a Deputy may act in his own Name, as well as the Name of his Principal. *R. 1 Sal. 96.*

And therefore, a Surrender to him who is deputed by the Steward, without taking Notice of his Authority, is good. *Ibid.*

(F. 6.) By what Words.

A Surrender in general Words (*in manus Domini*) is sufficient without limiting any Estate; for the Lord is but an Instrument, for the Admission of the *Cestuy que Use*. *Co. L. 59. b. 4 Co. 29, Bunting. Vide Ante, (C. 6.)*

So he, who has a Fee, may surrender to another in Fee, or for a less Estate, as in Tail, or for Life, without special Custom. *Per 2 J. Godb. 20.*

So, if a Man has made a Surrender to A. for Life, he may afterwards surrender the Reversion, or Remainder of the Copyhold, if he be not restrained by the Custom. *R. 4 Leo. 9. Adm. 1 Sand. 151. Vide Ante, (C. 11, 12.)*

And if he has made a Lease by Licence, he may afterwards surrender his Copyhold by Name of the Reversion. *R. 2 Rol. 45. l. 5. Semb. 3 Bul. 81. R. Hob. 177.*

But it ought to be an actual Surrender; for if a Man comes into Court, and renounces his Copyhold, it does not amount to a Surrender. *R. 1 Rol. 502. l. 5.*

Or,

Or, if he takes a new Copy for his Life; this is not a Surrender of his first Estate, (at least but for his Life;) for a Copyhold shall not be extinct by a Surrender in Law. *R. 1 Rol. 501. l. 50. 3 Bul. 81. and there Semb. that was a Surrender to the Use of himself for Life.*

So, if a Copyholder joins with the Lord in a Fine *Sur Conusance de Droit* to *A.* it does not amount to a Surrender, for the Customary Interest does not pass by the Fine; and therefore a second Life, where, by the Custom, a Surrender of the first Life bars him, is not barred by the Fine. *R. Ray. 503. 2 Jon. 153. Pol. 564.*

But if the Lord pretends a Forfeiture, and the Copyholder agrees afterwards with the Lord to accept a Grant of Part for his Life, that amounts to a Surrender. *R. 1 Leo. 191.*

So, if a Copyholder in Court prays the Lord to accept, *Per Hob. Hut. 65.*

So a Surrender to the Use of *A. Habendum* to him and his Wife, is void to the Wife, she being named only after the *Habendum*. *Semb. 2 Rol. 67. l. 52.*

Yet, if the Surrender was general, without Mention of any Use, and the Surrenderor takes a new Copy which says, *Quod ipse cepit extra Manus Domini cui Dominus concessit Habendum* to him and his Wife; it is good to the Wife, for it was granted to no Body before the *Habendum*, and upon such a general Surrender and Acceptance of a new Grant, the Surrender shall be intended to both. *R. 2 Rol. 67. l. 25. 2 Cro. 434. Popb. 125.*

So a Surrender, to commence after the Death of the Surrenderor, is void. *R. 4 Leo. 8. 2 Rol. 61. C. 2 Cro. 376. R. Godb. 451.*

So a Surrender to an Infant in Fee, and if he dies before Twenty-one, to *B.* If the Contingency does not happen in the Life of the Surrenderor, tho' it happens afterwards, the Estate to *B.* is void. *R. 2 Rol. 794. l. 50.*

Yet, a Surrender in Writing to *A.* and at the End a *Memorandum*, that the Surrender shall not be of Effect till the Death of the Surrenderor; the *Memorandum* is void, and the Surrender being compleat before shall be good. *R. 2 Rol. 61. C.*

So a Surrender to *A.* if an Infant *in Ventre sa Mere*, dies within Age, is void. *R. 2 Cro. 376. 2 Bul. 272. For a Surrender cannot take Effect upon a Contingency. 1 Rol. 109, 137, 253. Godb. 264.*

So a Surrender to an Infant in *Ventre sa Mere* is void; because it commences at a future Day. *Semb. 1 Rol. 253.*

But a Surrender to *A.* for Life, and afterwards to an Infant in *Ventre sa Mere*, is good, if the Infant is born in the Life of *A.* *Semb. 1 Rol. 254. 2 Rol. 415. l. 55.*

So a Surrender to commence at a future Day is void. *Semb. 1 Rol. 137, 253. Godb. 265.*

So a Surrender does not pass the Fee without the Word, *Heirs*: As, if a Surrender be to *A.* and his Son, and for want of Issue of the Body of the Son, Remainder to *B.* The Son has it only for Life. *1 Rol. 839. l. 50.*

(F. 7.) By what Persons.

So a Surrender by him, who has no Ability, as, by an Infant, is void; and he may enter at full Age, tho' the Grantee was admitted. *R. Mo. 597. R. 1 Leo. 95.*

So a Surrender by the Husband, of a Copyhold of him and his Wife, is void as against the Wife. *Adm. 4 Leo. 88. Vide Ante, (E.)*

So a Surrender by Surrenderee, before Admittance, is void. *Vide Post, (G. 1.)*

So, if a Devise be to *A.* upon Condition, that he pay 100*l.* to *B.* and if not, then to *B.* *A.* does not pay; *B.* cannot surrender, before Admittance and actual Entry. *Per Holt at the Assizes, 13 W. 3. int' Clerk and How. (Vide 1 Ld. Ray. 726.)*

So a Surrender by a Disseisor is void; As, if he in Reversion enters upon Tenant for Life. *R. 2 Mod. 32.*

But a Surrender by Husband and Wife, (the Wife being examined by the Steward according to the Custom,) binds the Wife. *Adm. Lit.* 274. *Vide Baron and Feme*, (G. 4.)

[Whether *Feme-covert* can surrender without her Husband's joining, though in his Presence. *Dub. Taylor v. Philips*, P. 1749. 1 *Vezey* 229.]

And if a Husband grants a Copyhold of his Wife to the Lord, who grants it to a Stranger, and the Wife after the Death of her Husband recovers, and grants it to the Lord; he shall not have it against his own Grant to the Stranger. *Per Wray*, 4 *Leo.* 88.

(F. 8.) To what Use.

The Surrenderor ought to declare, upon a Limitation of the Uses, what Estate the Surrenderee shall have; for if he surrenders to the Use of *A.* generally, *A.* takes but for Life. *Co. L.* 59. *b.* *R.* 4 *Co.* 29, *Bunting*.

[If the Uses are indorsed on the Back of the Surrender, and signed by the Steward, it is sufficient, though they are not specified in the Rolls. *Car. v. Ellison*, P. 1744. 3 *Atkyns* 73.]

If he surrenders without limiting any Use at all, the Lord shall have it. *Kit.* 81. *b.* But the Lord shall have it to the Use of the Surrenderor. *Semb.* 1 *Rol.* 253.

Yet, if a Surrender be without any Use expressed, and at the next Court the Surrenderor and his Wife are admitted, it shall be intended that the Surrender was to their Use. *R. Popb.* 125. *Vide Ante*, (F. 6.)

So, by Custom, it may be, that upon a Surrender to another without limiting any Estate, the Lord shall admit him in Fee. *R.* 1 *Rol.* 48.

Or, upon Surrender to another for Money, without limiting any Estate. *R.* 1 *Rol.* 48.

By special Custom, a Surrender *fibi & suis* may create an Estate of Inheritance. *R.* 4 *Co.* 29. *b.* *Bunting*.

Or, *fibi & assignatis*. 4 *Co.* 29. *b.*

Or, *fibi & suis in Villenagio*. *Kit.* 102. *b.*

So, by Custom, a Surrender to three *successive*, gives an Estate to them, one after the other. *Kit.* 103. *b.*

So a Husband may surrender to the Use of his Wife; for tho' she takes by the Surrenderor, yet it is *mediante Domino*. *R.* 4 *Co.* 29. *b.* *Bunting*. *Adm.* 1 *Rol.* 317.

So he may surrender to the Use of his Wife, Remainder to himself. *D.* 1 *Rol.* 317.

So, to the Use of *A.* and his Wife for Life, with a contingent Remainder to the Right Heirs of the Body of himself and his Wife. *R.* 1 *Rol.* 238, 317, 438.

So, by Custom, a *Feme Covert* may surrender to the Use of her Will, and devise to her Husband. *R.* 2 *Brow.* 218.

So a Man may surrender to such Use as the Lord shall name. *R. Lit.* 26.

So he may surrender to *A.* in Trust for *B.* *Adm. All.* 14.

And the Trust shall be executed in *Chancery*. *All.* 15.

But if *B.* is an Alien, the King shall have the Trust. *Semb. All.* 15.

Yet the King cannot seize it without a Decree. *Semb. All.* 16.

A Copyhold does not pass by Devise, without a Surrender, but it ought to be surrendered to the Use of the last Will and Testament. 4 *Co.* 24. *b.*

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To the Use of
a Will.

And therefore, if the Lord grants the Inheritance of a Copyhold, the Copyholder cannot devise; for the Grantee cannot take a Surrender. *R.* 4 *Co.* 24. *b.* *Murrel*.

But a Devisee takes by the Surrender, not by the Will, which is only declaratory of the Uses. *R.* 1 *Bul.* 200. *R.* 2 *Cro.* 199. *D.* 2 *Rol.* 383.

And therefore, if there be Joint-tenants of a Copyhold, and one surrenders to the Use of his Will, and devises to *A.* in Fee, and dies; *A.* takes, for by the Surrender the Jointure was severed. *Co. L.* 59. *b.* 2 *Rol.* 383.

If a Copyholder surrenders to the Use of his Will, and devises to *A.* for Life, and that he shall name two, who shall sell; *A.* has not a Fee, but only an Authority to name two Vendors, and the Vendee shall be in by the Will, without a new Surrender. *R. 2 Cro. 199.*

If he surrenders to the Use of a Will, which he shall leave with *A.* It is good as to his Will, tho' it is not left with *A.* if he dies before the Devisor. *R. Lit. 26.*

So, tho' *A.* does not die in the Life of the Devisor. *Dub. Lit. 26.*

So a Custom that a *Feme Covert* may surrender to the Use of her Will, and by her Testament devise, is good tho' she devises to her Husband. *R. 2 Brow. 218. 3 Leo. 81. Vide Godb. 14, 143.*

When a Copyholder surrenders to the Use of his Will, it remains in the Copyholder, and not in the Lord. *R. 4 Co. 23. Cro. El. 442, 349.*

And if the Copyholder does not afterwards make his Will, but surrenders to *A.* and his Heirs, the Surrender to *A.* is good. *R. Cro. El. 442.*

So, if he does not make a Will, nor a last Surrender, the Copyhold descends to his Heir. *Cro. El. 442.*

So, if he makes a Will and devises for Life or in Tail, all the Estate not devised descends to the Heir. *R. Cro. El. 148. 1 Leo. 174.*

But if a Copyholder by Will devises to his Wife for Life, and that she shall sell the Reversion, and afterwards surrenders to his Wife for Life, according to his Will; she may sell. *R. Cro. El. 68.*

If he devises Part of his Copyhold to his Wife, and afterwards surrenders the Whole to the Use of his Will; this does not enlarge the Devise. *R. 3 Leo. 18.*

A Custom that a Testament shall be presented at the next Court, otherwise that it shall be void, is good.

So, that it shall be presented within a Year and a Day. *R. Cart. 72, 86.*

And upon such Custom, if the Testament is not presented by the Devisee for Life, it is void as to him in Remainder. *Semb. Cart. 73, 86.*

Tho' Devisee be an Infant. *Semb. Cart. 86.*

(F. 10.) Presentment of a Surrender.

By Surrender the Copyhold Estate passes to the Lord (being made out of Court) upon a tacit Condition, that it be presented at the next Court, according to the Custom of the Manor. *Co. L. 62. a.*

And, if it be not presented at the next Court, it is void. *Ibid.*

[By Special Custom it may be presented at any subsequent Court. *Moore v. Moore, T. 1755. 2 Vezey 596.*

And it may be presented at the next Court, tho' the Surrenderor dies before. *R. 4 Co. 29. b, Bunting. 1 Rol. 501. l. 30. Co. L. 62. a.*

So a Surrender to two Tenants, &c. may be presented at the next Court, tho' the Tenants die before, it being proved that there was such a Surrender. *4 Co. 29. b, Bunting. R. 3 Bul. 216. 2 Cro. 403. 1 Rol. 501. l. 30.*

Unless the Presentment after the Tenant's Death be restrained by special Custom. *D. 3 Bul. 218.*

The whole Surrender ought to be presented; for if it was upon Condition, and the Condition is omitted, the whole Presentment is void. *R. 4 Co. 25. Kite.*

But by special Custom, that the Surrender be presented within a Year, it is sufficient, if it is presented within the Year, tho' it be not at the next Court. *Adm. 3 Bul. 215.*

Or, that it be presented at the next Court, or within a Year, or at the next Court after the Year. *Semb. 5 Co. 84. Cro. El. 668.*

So a Custom, that the Presentment be, of a Surrender to the Use of a Will, at the next Court after the Death of the Surrenderor, is good; tho' it be not at the next after the Surrender made. *Adm. per Holt at the Assizes, 3 Ann. inter Stint and Blount. (Vide Godb. 143.)*

So the Presentment of a Surrender to the Use of a Will, at the next Court after the Death of the Surrenderor, tho' it be not the next after the Surrender made, is good, without a special Custom. *Semb. by the general Expressions of Co. L. 59. b. 1 Rol. 501. l. 35. Per Wiseman, 28 El. Per Lechmere, at the Affizes, 4 Jul. 4 W. & M. inter Carpender and Ilton, at Chelmsford. Dub. per Holt at the Affizes, 3 Ann. inter Stint and Blount.*

So a Surrender upon valuable Consideration, if it be not presented, shall be aided against a voluntary Disposition to another. *R. Ca. Ch. 171.*

So an Agreement to sell, or mortgage for Money, tho' there be no Surrender. *Ibid.*

After a Surrender, the Estate remains in the Surrenderor till Presentment. *R. Cro. El. 349. R. 2 Cro. 403. 3 Bul. 218. R. Cro. Car. 283. 1 Rol. 502. l. 25.* (F. 11.) In whom the Estate is till Presentment.

And till Admittance. *D. Cro. El. 349. R. Cro. Car. 283. Adm. 3 Lev. 385.*

For nothing passes till Presentment, or Admittance. *2 Cro. 403. 3 Bul. 238.*

And if the Surrenderor dies before Admittance, it descends to his Heir. *R. Cro. El. 349. R. 2 Cro. 403. 3 Bul. 217. R. Cro. Car. 283. D. 1 Vent. 261.*

And the Surrenderor, before Presentment of the first Surrender, may again surrender to another. *R. Cro. Car. 283. 1 Rol. 500. l. 5. Jon. 306.*

And if he surrenders to *A.* and his Heirs, and before Presentment again surrenders to *A.* for Life, and at the next Court both Surrenders are presented, and *A.* is admitted upon the second, he shall have it only for Life. *R. 1 Rol. 499. l. 55. Lane 99.*

So, if a Copyholder surrenders to *A.* for Life, and afterwards to the Use of his Will; the Fee remains in the Surrenderor, and not in the Lord. *R. 4 Co. 23. a, Fitch. Cro. El. 442, 349.*

And the Surrenderor may afterwards surrender to another in Fee. *4 Co. 23. a. Cro. El. 442.*

(F. 12.) When a Surrender may be revoked.

So a Surrenderor may revoke a Surrender made without valuable Consideration, before Presentment. *Kit. 82. Dub. per Holt, 3 Ann. inter Stint and Blount.*

So after Presentment, before Admittance. *Kit. 82.*

And the Revocation may be by *Parol.*

(F. 13.) When not.

But a Surrender upon valuable Consideration cannot be revoked. *Kit. 82.*

So, if a Copyholder makes a Surrender to *A.* and afterwards to *B.* and both are presented at the next Court; *A.* shall be admitted. *R. Cro. Car. 283. 1 Rol. 500. l. 10.*

So, if *B.* was admitted upon the second Surrender, and then the former Surrender to *A.* is presented at the next Court, and *A.* is admitted; he shall avoid the Admittance of *B.* *Semb. Cro. Car. 284. cited so per Pollexfen. Pol. 50.*

So, if a Surrender be for a Mortgage, and before Presentment the Surrenderor becomes Bankrupt; it shall be preferred to the Assignee of the Bankrupt. *Sal. 449. (Vide 2 Ver. 564.)*

Tho' the Surrender never was presented, it shall be preferred in Equity; for it is a Lien upon the Land. *R. per Cowper, Sal. 449.*

And if the Surrender is presented at the next Court, tho' there be no Admittance upon it, the Land is bound, so that all mesne Acts shall be avoided. *R. Cro. Car. 284.*

As, if a Copyholder, where, by Custom, the Wife shall have Free-bench, surrenders to *A.* and the Surrender is presented, and then he dies, and *A.* is afterwards admitted; he shall avoid the Free-bench, for his Admittance has Relation to the Surrender. *R. 3 Lev. 385.*

(F. 14.)

(F. 14.) How a Surrender operates.

[The same Construction of Words must take Place as in other Law-conveyances; and the Intent of the Party is not sufficient, as in a Will. *Suton v. Stone*, M. 1740. 2 *Atkyns* 101. *Lovel v. Lovel*, M. 1743. 3 *Atkyns* 11.]

[*A.* seized in Fee surrenders to the Use of *B.* his future Wife, and the Heirs of their two Bodies, for Default to the right Heirs of *A.* She takes Estate for Life with contingent Remainders to the Heirs of their two Bodies. *Frogmorton v. Wharrey*. T. 10 G. 3, and M. 11 G. 3. 3 *Willf.* 125 & 144.]

[Surrender is the Conveyance of the Ownership of the Estate: Admission only Form, and relates back to the Surrender. *Roe v. Griffiths*. M. 7 G. 3. 4 B. M. 1952.]

Nothing passes by a Surrender, but what is sufficient to supply the Use limited; and when the *Cestuy que Use* is admitted, he shall be in by the Surrenderor, not by the Lord. Co. L. 59. b.

And therefore, if a Copyholder surrenders for Life, or in Tail, the Fee remains in him. D. Cro. El. 442.

And if a Copyholder surrenders to *A.* for Life, nothing passes but what is sufficient to supply the Estate for Life; and when *A.* dies, the Reversioner shall have the Reversion without any Fine for Re-admittance. Per Ch. J. 9 Co. 107. a, M. Podger. 1 Rol. 504. l. 8. R. Cro. Car. 205. Per Wray, 1 Leo. 175.

But if a Husband, seized in Right of his Wife for Life, with Remainder over, surrenders to *A.* for Life, who dies in the Life of the Husband; the Lord shall have it for the Life of the Husband; for he has surrendered his whole Estate, and cannot have it again against his own Grant, and the Remainder he cannot have without a Grant to him. Dy. 264. a. 1 Rol. 504. l. 15.

So, if any Copyholder only for Life surrenders to *A.* generally, who dies after Admittance; the Lord shall have it during the Life of his Copyholder. R. 1 Rol. 504. l. 20. Cro. Car. 204. Jon. 229. 1 Sal. 188, 189. Mod. Ca. 68.

So, if a Copyholder for Life, with Remainder over in Fee, surrenders to *A.* Cont. per North, 1 Mod. 200. Acc. 2 Rol. 794. l. 35.

And if the Remainder be contingent, a Surrender by a Copyholder for Life to another in Fee, does not defeat the Remainder. Semb. 2 Rol. 794. l. 45. Vide Ante, (D. 1.)

When a Man surrenders to the Use of his Will, he has the whole Copyhold Interest in himself. Vide Ante, (F. 9.)

And therefore, if a Copyholder surrenders to the Use of himself for Life, and afterwards to his Son for Life, and afterwards to the Use of his Will, and does not make a Will, but afterwards surrenders to *A.* and his Heirs; the Surrender to *A.* is good. R. Cro. El. 442.

So, if he makes a Will and devises to *A.* for Life, and afterwards to *B.* in Tail, and says nothing of the Fee; it descends to the Heir. R. Cro. El. 148.

So, if a Copyholder surrenders to such Use as the Lord shall name, who limits it to *A.* for Life; the Fee results to the Copyholder. R. Lit. 26.

If a Copyholder in Reversion, or Remainder, expectant upon an Estate for Life, surrenders to him, who has it for Life, for his Life, and afterwards to himself and his Wife in Fee; this operates to them by way of a present Estate, and not as a Remainder. R. 1 Sand. 151. 1 Sid. 360.

If a Copyholder surrenders to himself for Life, and afterwards to *A.* in Tail, and afterwards to his own right Heirs; his Heir takes the Fee by Descent. 1 Leo. 101, 102.

But if he surrenders to *A.* for Life, and afterwards to his own right Heirs; his Heir takes by Purchase. R. 1 Leo. 102.

If a Surrender be to *A.* for Life, and afterwards to the Heirs of the Body of *A.* by her Husband begotten; it is a Tail executed in *A.* Per Coke, 1 Rol. 239.

If it be to the Wife for Life, and afterwards to the right Heirs of the Husband and Wife, and the Husband enters; he shall be seized of a Moiety in Right of

of his Wife in Fee; for the Remainder will be executed for a Moiety. R. 3
Leo. 4.

[If A. surrenders Copyhold to his Brother B. till C. Son of D. Brother to A. attains twenty-one, and after such Age to C. his Heirs and Assigns; and an Agreement is indorsed, that B. is to receive the Rents till C. attains twenty-one, and then to account to him for the same, but not before: And A. dies without Issue, C. dies an Infant without Issue, or Brother or Sister born at his Death, and B. is Heir at Law to A. and C. and dies; the Heir at Law of B. shall take the Premises, and shall not account for the Profits. *Lovel v. Lovel, M. 1743. 3 Atkyns 11.*]

(G.) Admittance.

(G. 1.) What may be done before Admittance.

THE Heir may take the Profits, have Trespass, Surrender, &c. before Admittance. *Vide Ante, (D. 2.)*

The Assignee of a Copyhold, upon the Statute of Bankrupts, has an Estate in him before Admittance. R. *Cro. Car. 569. Jan. 451. 2.*

And he shall avoid all mesne Acts, between the Assignment and Admittance, for when he is admitted, it has Relation to the Bargain and Sale; and therefore, if the Bankrupt afterwards dies, and his Wife is admitted, the Assignee after Admittance shall avoid it. R. *Cro. Car. 569.*

But by the *St. 13 El. 7. S. 3.* Assignee of a Copyhold shall not enter or take the Profits, till he hath agreed with the Lord for his Fine, who at the next Court shall admit him Tenant.

If, by Custom, the Wife has Free-bench, she shall enter and lease for a Year, before Admittance. *Hob. 181. R. 1 Rol. 502. l. 10.*

So, if the Lord refuses Admittance, the Copyholder shall have all Actions, as if he was admitted. *Per 2 J. Hob. 181.*

But a Surrenderee cannot enter and take the Profits, before Admittance. R. *Cro. El. 349.*

Nor, after Presentment of a Surrender to him. *Per 2 J. Popb. 128.*

Nor have an Action. *Cro. El. 349.*

Nor make a Surrender. R. *Yel. 145. Per 2 J. Popb. 128. R. 1 Brow. 143.*

Nor shall he be sworn on the Homage. *Kit. 87. b.*

Tho' a Surrender be by a Copyholder to his youngest Son, he can do nothing before Admittance. R. *Lane 20.*

So, where there is a Custom of *Borough English*, if the Father surrenders to him and his Heirs and dies, and the youngest Son enters; the eldest Son cannot enter, before Admittance. R. *1 Rol. 502. l. 20.*

So, where by Custom a Copyholder for Life shall name his Successor, the Nominee cannot enter, before Admittance. *Per Coke, 2 Bul. 338.*

So, by Custom, the Surrenderee shall not be admitted till Proclamation that the next of Blood, or he who has Land adjoining Eastward, comes, and he pays all that the Surrenderee swears he ought to pay with his Costs, he shall be admitted, and not the Surrenderee. *Kit. 102. b.*

Yet if the Steward refuses to admit a Surrenderee, he may enter and plead, in Defence of his Title, to the Ejectment by the Lord, without Admittance; for the Lord is Party to the Wrong. *Semb. Per 4 J. Yel. 16. R. Hob. 181.*

(G. 2.) When necessary.

Every Copyholder ought to be admitted Tenant to his Copyhold. *Pl. Com. 529. b.*

But till Presentment of the Death, and Proclamation thereupon, the Heir need not be admitted. *1 Leo. 100. 3 Leo. 221.*

And if the Heir upon Proclamation does not come to be admitted, the Lord may seise *quousq*; he comes, without a special Custom. *D. 1 Lev. 63.*

[If Copyhold surrendered to the Use of Will is devised to six Persons, and one offers himself to be admitted, and the Lord refuses, he cannot seize *quousque*; he should admit him, and then proceed for his whole Fine. *Roe v. Hutton*, P. 3 G. 3. 2 *Wils.* 162.]

And, by special Custom, if he comes not after three Proclamations, at three several Courts, the Lord may seize it as forfeited. *Adm.* 8 Co. 99.

But not without such Custom. *R.* 1 *Lev.* 63.

Or, if he does not come within a Year and a Day. *Pl. Com.* 372. a.

So a Custom, that he to whose Use a Surrender is made shall come to be admitted after three Proclamations, otherwise his Land shall be forfeited, is good. *R.* 1 *Rol.* 568. l. 20. *Noy* 42. *Adm.* 3 *Mod.* 221.

Yet the Proclamation ought to be, that he come to be admitted to such Copyhold, specially named; for it is not sufficient that he come to be admitted, generally. *Dub.* 1 *Lev.* 63.

But a Custom to seize as forfeited, for not claiming to be admitted, does not bind the Heir, if he was beyond Sea, *Non Compos*, or in Prison at the Time. *R.* 8 Co. 100. 2 *Cro.* 226. *Per* 3 J. 2 *Cro.* 101. *R.* *Godb.* 268.

Or, if he was an Infant. *R.* 8 Co. 100. 1 *Leo.* 100. *R.* 3 *Leo.* 221. *Per* 4 J. *Coke cont.* 2 *Cro.* 226. *R.* in C. B. and affirmed by 3 J. in Error, 3 *Mod.* 223. *Sho.* 31. 1 *Sal.* 386. *Carth.* 44.

But he may forfeit *quousque*; he be admitted, tho' an Infant. *Per Williams*, 2 *Cro.* 226. *Per Holt* and admitted *per Eyre*, if there be a special Custom for it, but *Dolbin cont.* 3 *Mod.* 223. 1 *Sal.* 386.

And if he be within the Realm at the Time of the Descent, tho' he goes out before Proclamation, he shall forfeit. *Adm.* 2 *Cro.* 101.

[If a Copyhold is granted for a Term of Years, (tho' in Trust for others) the Executor of the Termor is obliged to be admitted, and the Lord is intitled to a Fine. *E. Bath v. Abney*, H. 30 G. 2. 1 *B. M.* 206.]

(G. 3.) When not.

If a Copyholder surrenders to A. for Life, who dies, he shall have it again without Re-admittance. *Vide Ante*, (F. 14.)

So, if a Copyholder makes a Lease for Years by Licence, and the Lessee dies, his Executor needs no Admittance. *R.* *Mo.* 128.

So, if there be a Copyholder for Years who dies, his Executor needs no Admittance. *R.* *Mo.* 128. *D.* 1 *Leo.* 4.

So, if Husband be admitted with his Wife, where by Custom he shall be Tenant by the Curtesy; if the Wife dies, the Husband need not be re-admitted. 1 *Leo.* 4.

So the Admittance of Tenant for Life, is an Admission of him in Remainder; so that the Lord does not lose his Fine. 4 Co. 22. b, *Brown.* *R.* 4 Co. 23. a, *Fitch.* *Cro. El.* 504, 662. *Dub.* 1 *Rol.* 505. Y. *R.* *Mo.* 358, 465. *R.* 2 *Cro.* 31. *R.* 1 *Vent.* 260.

So the Admittance of a Copyholder for Years, is an Admittance of him in Remainder, after the Years. *R.* 1 *Vent.* 260. *R.* 1 *Mod.* 120.

(G. 4.) What shall be an Admittance.

Any Words, which shew that the Lord accepts him for his Tenant, are sufficient.

So, if the Lord, having Notice of a Surrender, accepts Rent of the Surrenderee, it is an Admittance in Law. *R.* 1 *Rol.* 505. l. 26.

Tho' the Acceptance be out of Court. 1 *Rol.* 505. l. 27.

But it is necessary, that the Surrender be presented before the Acceptance. *R.* 2 *Cro.* 403. 3 *Bul.* 219.

So, if a Surrenderee at another Court makes a Surrender in Court; for the Allowance by the Lord to make a Surrender, amounts to an Admittance. *Dub.* 38 *El.* *R.* 41 *El.* 1 *Rol.* 505. l. 20. *Dub.* 3 *Bul.* 240.

But there ought to be an exprefs Acceptance of a certain Person which amounts to an Admittance; for if a Surrenderee, before his Admittance, surrenders to *A.* who is admitted, it does not amount to an Admittance of the Surrenderee. *R. Tel. 145. 1 Brow. 143.*

So, if a Surrender be to the Use of *B.* and the Steward inrols it, and gives him a Copy of it without more, it is no Admittance; for it ought to be an Act done. *R. Bridg. 82. Popb. 127.*

(G. 5.) When it shall be.

The Lord may admit before a Surrender is presented. *R. 1 Rol. 502. l. 30.*
But the Heir is not bound to be admitted till the Death of his Ancestor is presented, and Proclamation made for his Admittance. *4 Leo. 31.*

(G. 6.) By whom it shall be.

Every Lord having Possession of a Manor by Right, or by Wrong, may make Admittances. *Vide Ante, (C. 3, 4.)*

And every Steward having Colour of Authority. *Vide Ante, (C. 5.)*

(G. 7.) In what Place.

The Lord may make an Admittance in Court.

Or, at any Place out of Court, and out of the Manor. *R. 4 Co. 26. b.*

So the Steward may make an Admittance out of Court, at any Place within the Manor, as well as in Court. *1 Rol. 505. l. 15.*

But not out of the Manor. *R. 4 Co. 26. b.*

Unless where, by Custom, the Court has been held out of the Manor. *Cró. Car. 367. Vide Post, (R. 4.)*

(G. 8.) By Attorney.

The Lord may admit a Copyholder by Attorney, as well as in Person. *R. 9 Co. 76. 1 Rol. 505. l. 5, 10.*

But the Lord may refuse to admit by Attorney; because his Tenant ought to do Fealty, which he cannot by Attorney. *9 Co. 76. 1 Rol. 505. l. 5.*

(G. 9.) How it shall be made.

An Admittance ought to be pursuant to the Surrender; for the Lord is only an Instrument, and the Surrenderee, when admitted, is in by the Surrenderee. *R. 4 Co. 27. b, Taverner. 4 Co. 28. b, Westwick.*

And therefore, if a Surrender be to *A.* for Life, and he is admitted to him and his Heirs; he has it only for Life, the Reversion being in the Surrenderee. *R. 4 Co. 29. b, Bunting. R. 1 Rol. 504. l. 2.*

If a Surrender be to *A.* and *A.* and his Wife are admitted, it is void to the Wife, without a special Custom. *R. 4 Co. 28. b, Westwick.*

So, if a Surrender be to *A.* and he and a Stranger are admitted; it is void to the Stranger, and the Whole vests in *A.* *4 Co. 28. b.*

So, if a Surrender be to *A.* and *B.* for Life, Remainder to the Heirs of the Body of *B.* and the Surrenderee, and *A.* and *B.* are admitted in Fee; they have it only for Life. *R. 1 Rol. 438.*

So, if a Surrender is absolute, and the Admittance upon Condition; he has it absolutely. *4 Co. 28. b.*

So, if a Surrender is of such and such Copyholds, and the Admittance is to all Copyholds of the Surrenderee; nothing vests but the Particulars mentioned in the Surrender. *R. Dy. 251. b. 1 Rol. 504. l. 45.*

So, if a Surrender be to *A.* and his Heirs; and *A.* dies before Admittance; the Lord may admit the Heir. *1 Rol. 504. l. 40.*

So,

So, if a Surrender be to *A.* Remainder to *B.* and *A.* dies before Presentment of the Surrender; *B.* shall be admitted. *R. Dy. 251. a. 1 Rol. 504. l. 35.*

So, if a Surrender be to *A.* for Years, Remainder to his right Heirs, the Admittance of *A.* will be the Admittance of the Heir, so that if he dies, such Admittance of the Heir makes a *posseſſio fratris*. *R. 2 Lev. 107.*

(G. 10.) The Lord compellable to admit.

If the Lord refuses to admit, he shall be compelled in Chancery. *R. 2 Cro. 368. Per Dodd, 2 Rol. 274.*

So, if a Surrender be to the Lord, who is *Dominus pro tempore*, and then his Interest determines; the Lord paramount shall be compelled to make an Admittance thereupon. *Co. L. 59. b.*

But an Action upon the Case does not lie against the Lord, if he refuses to admit; for there is no Remedy but in Equity. *R. 2 Cro. 368. 1 Rol. 108. l. 20, 30. 2 Bul. 337.*

So, if by Custom, the Lord ought to admit to a Copyhold whom the Copyholder names for his Successor, and the Lord refuses, an Action upon the Case does not lie. *R. Mb. 842. R. 2 Cro. 368. 2 Bul. 337. 1 Rol. 125, 195.*

(G. 11.) Of what Effect it shall be.

If a Man be admitted to a Copyhold upon a void Presentment, he has thereby the Customary Estate and Title to the Possession, and is capable of a Release from him who has the Right. *R. 4 Co. 25, Kite. 1 Rol. 504. l. 50.*

But if he enters upon a Copyhold of a Manor in the Hands of the King, he has no Interest, but Possession against a Stranger. *R. 3 Leo. 221.*

So, if a Copyholder in Remainder enters upon a Copyholder for Life, he has not the Customary Interest for Life, but is a Disseisor; and if he afterwards surrenders, it avails nothing. *R. 1 Mod. 199.*

If a Copyholder leases for Years, and afterwards surrenders two Parts of the Reversion, the Surrenderee, being admitted, shall distrain for two Parts of the Rent, without Attornment or Notice; for the Surrender is notorious. *R. Ray. 18. R. Hob. 177.*

(H) Fine.

(H. 1.) When due.

BY Custom, a Fine shall be paid to the Lord upon every Alteration of his Tenant: And therefore, if a Copyholder in Fee dies, a Fine is due to the Lord upon Admittance of the Heir. *Co. L. 59. b. Kit. 122. a.*

And if the Heir dies before Admittance, it shall not prejudice the Lord as to his Fine.

Or, if he surrenders before Admittance. *4 Co. 22. b.*

[But if Copyholder surrenders to the Use of his Will, and by Will orders and directs two Trustees to make Sale of his Copyhold, and apply the Money to certain Purposes; they may sell without being admitted, and the Lord shall admit the Vendee, and have but one Fine. *Holder v. Preston, P. 9 G. 3. 2 Wilf. 400.*]

So, if a Copyholder makes a Surrender, a Fine is due upon Admittance of the Surrenderee. *Co. L. 59. b. Kit. 122. a.*

So, if a Wife, by Custom, has the Whole or Part of a Copyhold for her Dower; upon her Admission a Fine shall be paid. *Kit. 123. a.*

But half a Fine is commonly taken; but that is according to the Custom of the Manor. *Ibid.*

So, if a Surrender be to *A.* by way of Mortgage upon Condition; after the Condition broken, the Lord shall compel *A.* to be admitted, and pay a Fine, tho' *A.* will renew the Surrender. *Dub. 2 Ver. 367, 8.*

So, if a Surrender be to *A.* for Life, and afterwards to *B.* for Life, and afterwards to *C.* in Fee, a Fine is due for them in Remainder; for tho' the Admittance of *A.* is an Admittance of them in Remainder, yet it shall not prejudice the Lord for his Fine. *D. 4 Co. 22, Brown. R. 4 Co. 23, Fitch. Cont. per Popb. 1 Rol. 505. l. 50. R. Cont. Mo. 358, 465. D. acc. 1 Vent. 260. Per Kit. acc. but others Cont. Kit. 122. b. R. 1 Mod. 120.*

And the Lord may set a Fine for the particular Estate, and another for the Remainder. *D. 1 Vent. 260.*

But there ought to be a special Custom, otherwise a Fine is not due for a Remainder. *Per 2 J. 3 Lev. 308. Per 2 J. Cro. El. 504.*

And if another Fine is set for a Remainder, it is only half. *Kit. 122. b.*

And it need not be paid till the Remainder comes into Possession. *Per Wild, 1 Vent. 260.*

If a Copyhold be granted to *A.* for Years, who dies during the Term; the Executor shall be admitted, and pay a Fine. *Per Weston, others cont. 3 Leo. 9.*

So, by Custom, a Fine may be due upon the Death of the Lord. *Co. L. 59. b.*

But not upon the Alienation of the Lord; for that would be unreasonable. *Ibid.*

[In a Manor where by Custom a general Fine is due from all the Tenants, on the Death of the last admitting Lord; Husband Tenant for Life by Virtue of Marriage-settlement is intitled to the Fines on the Death of his Wife, the last admitting Lady. *D. Somerset v. France, M. 12 G. Str. 654. Fort. 41.*]

But if two or three are admitted together, one Fine only is due; for they make but one Tenant. *Kit. 122. a.*

So, if a Surrender be to Husband and Wife, and the Heirs of the Husband, there is but one Fine due upon Admittance of the Husband and Wife. *Ibid.*

So, if a Copyholder surrenders to himself for Life, and afterwards to *B.* and his Heirs, and dies before the next Court; *B.* shall pay but one Fine upon his Admittance. *Kit. 122. b.*

So, upon a Common Recovery, there shall be but one Fine paid; for the Recoverors are in in the *Post*, and pay no Fine. *Ibid.*

So, if a Copyholder for Life and he in Reversion, or Remainder, join in a Surrender, the Surrenderee shall pay but one Fine. *Kit. 123. a.*

So, if there be no new Tenant, no Fine shall be paid: And therefore, if a Copyholder surrenders to *A.* for Life, who dies; the Surrenderor shall pay no Fine to be re-admitted. *9 Co. 107. 1 Rol. 505. l. 45.*

So, if one Jointenant dies, the Survivor shall have the Whole, without paying any Fine to be admitted. *Kit. 122. a.*

So, if a Surrender be upon Condition, and the Surrenderor enters for the Condition broken; he shall not pay any Fine. *Kit. 123. a.*

If a Woman has a Copyhold for the Nonage of her Son, and takes a Husband, and dies before her Son is of full Age; the Husband shall have it without a new Fine. *Per 2 J. 3 Leo. 9.*

(H. 2.) When to be set, and how.

No Fine shall be imposed till Admittance. *1 Rol. 506. A. for the Admittance is the Cause of the Fine. R. 4 Co. 28. a, Hubbard. D. 1 Vent. 260.*

If a Copyholder holds several Copyholds, by several Services, there ought to be upon every one a several Fine. *R. 4 Co. 27, 8, Hubbard. for he may pay one and forfeit for the other. Ibid. Cro. El. 779. Mo. 622.*

So, if all the several Copyholds are surrendered to one *tenend' per antiqua Servitia*; for the Tenures remain several, and the Fines ought to be several. *R. 4 Co. 28. a, Hubbard.*

(H. 3.) Fine certain.

A Fine may be certain, by Custom. *Co. L. 59. b.*

If the Custom allows for a Fine a Year's Value of the Land, it is good; for the Value is sufficiently certain, and triable by a Jury. *R. 3 Lev. 255. 3 Mod. 133. Cartb. 13.*

So a Fine of one Penny for 100 Acres or more, is good. *Kit. 103. a.*

So 6 s. 8 d. for every Messuage, Cottage, or Toft, or, every Acre of Land, tho' as much be paid for one as the other. *Kit. 103. a.*

So a Fine at the Will of the Lord for the first Purchase, and nothing afterwards. *Kit. 103. b.*

If the Lord demands a Fine certain, it is no Evidence of its Incertainty, that he has paid less; for the Lord may take a less Sum. *D. 2 Bul. 32. D. Cont. per Richardson, Lit. 252.*

Otherwise, if he has paid more. *D. 2 Bul. 32.*

If a Jury find a Fine certain, *Chancery* will decree it to be an uncertain Fine upon Examination of the Rolls. *D. Lit. 252.*

If a Fine certain hath been paid from the Time of H. 6. and it appears by the Roll to have been uncertain before; it is not a Fine certain. *Godb. 265.*

A Fine certain ought to be paid immediately. *4 Co. 28. a, Hubbard. Cro. El. 779. Mo. 623.*

(H. 4.) Fine uncertain.

So sometimes a Fine, by Custom, is uncertain, and arbitrary. *Co. L. 59. b.*

Or, by Custom, may be assessed by the Homage, where the Lord does not agree. *Noy 2, 3.*

But tho' it is uncertain, it ought to be reasonable; otherwise the Copyholder is not compellable to pay it. *Co. L. 59. b. R. 4 Co. 27. b, Hubbard. 1 Rol. 507. l. 25. R. Mo. 622. Cro. El. 779. R. Co. Ent. 647. c.*

Whether a Fine be reasonable, or not, shall be determined by the Justices upon the Circumstances appearing in the Case. *Co. L. 59. b. R. 4 Co. 27. b, Hubbard. Mo. 623.*

And therefore, if an Action be brought against a Copyholder by the Lord, it shall be referred to the Court upon Demurrer. *4 Co. 27. a. Co. Ent. 647. c.*

Or the Defendant may plead, Not guilty, and upon Proof of the Value of the Land, and other Evidence, the Court will judge. *4 Co. 27. a. Hob. 135. Co. Ent. 647. c.*

For, if a Copyholder prays a Mitigation, it does not conclude him, but that he may afterwards insist on the Unreasonableness of the Fine. *1 Rol. 507. l. 30.*

And there may be a Custom, that if the Lord and Surrenderee do not agree for the Fine, the Tenants ought to assess it. *R. 1 Rol. 48.*

Yet if a Copyholder brings Trespass against his Lord, who justifies his Entry for Non-payment of a Fine; it ought to be shown on the Part of the Copyholder, that it is unreasonable. *R. Hob. 135.*

If the Lord demands 5 l. upon Admittance to a Copyholder of 30 s. per Ann. it is unreasonable. *R. 1 Rol. 75.*

So, if he demands for an Admittance upon a Descent, above two Years Value. *Semb. 2 Mod. 230. But two Years Value is reasonable. R. Ch. R. 464. Adm. 2 Bul. 32.*

So, if he demands two Years and a half Rent for an Admittance upon a Surrender; for one Year and a half is sufficient. *R. Cro. Car. 196.*

Or, the Value of two Years for an Admittance upon a Surrender. *R. Co. Ent. 647. c.*

[Fines shall be set according to the present improved Value, not according to the Rent under a Lease then subsisting by Licence of the Lord. *Halton v. Hassel, P. 9 G. 2. Str. 1042.*]

[On Admission to a Mansion-house then unlet, (and which had continued unlet for eighteen Years, when Action was brought) and a Piece of Land let at 7 l. per

per Annum; 150 l. being the Fine paid at the last Admission, is not unreasonable.

Evelyn v. Chichester, T. 5 G. 3. 3 B. M. 1717.]

But, if by Custom a Fine is only due on the first Purchase, and he and his Heirs pay no Fine for any Land purchased there afterwards; the Lord may set what Fine he pleases. *Kit. 103. b.*

A Copyholder need not pay an uncertain Fine immediately, for he cannot know how much it will be; and therefore, if the Lord does not limit a Time for Payment, he shall have a convenient Time. *R. 4 Co. 27. b, Hubbard. R. Cro. El. 779. Mo. 622.* (H. 5.) When it shall be paid.

(H. 6.) Remedy for a Fine.

If a Copyholder refuses Payment of the Fine, Debt lies against him. *Per 2 J. 1 Sid. 58. D. to be R. 2 Mod. 230, 232. Adm. and a Declaration there in* (H. 6.) By Action.
Debt for Refusal of such Fine. Lut. 597. Cliff. 244. Vide Ent. 176. R. Per 3 J. Holt Cont. 3 Mod. 240. 3 Lev. 261. Sho. 35. 2 Vent. 175.

So, by the Executor of the Lord. *Adm. 3 Lev. 261.*

So, an *Indeb. assumpsit. R. 3 Mod. 240. 3 Lev. 262. Per. 3 J. Holt Cont. Sho. 35.*

[If a Fine is assessed on Admission of an Infant, *Assumpsit* would lie whilst he is an Infant; (*Semb. per Yates J.*) but certainly after he comes of Age, and has renounced the Estate, but confirmed the Transaction by enjoying. *Evelyn v. Chichester*, T. 5 G. 3. 3 B. M. 1717.]

And Non-payment of a Fine apparently reasonable, upon Demand, is a Forfeiture of the Copyhold. *R. 1 Rol. 507. l. 20. Vide Post, (M. 4.)* (H. 7.) By Seizure as forfeited.

Tho' he pretends, that he does not know what Fine is due, &c. if such Pretence is merely groundless and covinous. *Semb. Ray 42.*

But if a Fine is unreasonable, Refusal of Payment is no Forfeiture. *1 Rol. 507. l. 25. Vide Ante, (H. 4.)*

Or, if it was dubious, whether a Fine was reasonable or not, tho' it was adjudged reasonable. *D. 1 Rol. 507. l. 35. R. Ray 42. 2 Mod. 231.*

So, if it be dubious, whether a Fine is certain or uncertain; a Refusal to pay an uncertain Fine, if he tenders the Fine certain, is no Forfeiture. *R. 2 Cro. 617. R. Ray. 42. Semb. 2 Mod. 229.*

Yet if a Day is appointed for Payment of the Fine, and he does not appear to excuse his Default, tho' he tendered the Fine certain at the Time when it was assessed, it is a Forfeiture. *R. 2 Cro. 617.*

So, if it is dubious, whether a Fine he due or not, a Refusal is no Forfeiture; *R. 3 Lev. 309.*

So it is no Forfeiture, if there was not a Demand from the Person of the Copyholder at the Time limited for Payment of the Fine, or afterwards. *R. Hob. 135. Semb. Ray. 42. Cont. Co. Ent. 647. d. Acc. 2 Mod. 229.*

And if the Lord justifies in Trespass for Non-payment of the Fine, he ought to shew a Demand. *R. Hob. 135.*

But the Demand may be by the Steward, without Authority in Writing. *R. 2 Mod. 229.*

So, it is no Forfeiture, if there was not an express Refusal. *Co. Ent. 647. Vide Post, (M. 4.)*

Or, if he refuses before the Time appointed for Payment, if he pays at the Time. *Co. Ent. 647. d.*

Entry for a Forfeiture ought to be by the Lord, or another to his Use.

But an Entry may be without Precept from the Steward. *R. 2 Mod. 229.*

(I. 1.) A Copyholder shall alien only by Surrender.

A Copyholder has no other Evidence for his Tenements, but a Copy of the Court Roll. *Lit. S. 75.*

And therefore he cannot alien by Deed.

Nor

Nor by Will, without a Surrender to the Use of his Will. *Vide Ante*, (F. 9.)

Unless there be a special Custom, that he may devise without a Surrender; for then it shall be good. *R. Lit. 26. Adm. Cart. 71.*

So, if a Copyholder be ousted by Disseisin, he cannot release by Deed to the Disseisor; for he has not the Customary Estate upon which a Release may enure, and it would be a Prejudice to the Lord, who would lose his Fines and Services. *R. 4 Co. 25. b, Kite. R. 1 Leo. 102.*

But, if a Man be admitted to a Copyhold upon a void Surrender; he, who has Right, may release his Right by Deed, and by this Release his Right is extinct. *R. 4 Co. 25, Kite. Co. L. 60. a.*

So, if a Copyholder surrender upon Condition, he may afterwards release the Condition by Deed; for it cannot pass by Surrender. *R. 2 Cro. 36. Vide 4 Co. 25, Kite.*

So, if a Lord grants the Inheritance of a Copyhold to *A*, the Copyholder may release by Deed to *A*, and thereby extinguish his Customary Interest. *R. 1 Leo. 102.*

So, if *A*. and *B*. are admitted to a Copyhold jointly, one of them may pass his Estate, by Release, to his Companion. *R. Winch 3.*

So a Copyholder may sell or release his Copyhold to the Lord, by Deed. *R. Hutt. 65. Vide Post, (L.)*

(I. 2.) But a Defect of the Roll shall be amended.

If there be an Omission in an Entry upon the Roll, upon Proof the Roll shall be amended; for the Roll does not conclude the Copyholder to plead, or give in Evidence the Truth of the Matter. *R. 4 Co. 25, Kite.*

And therefore, if a Surrender upon Condition be presented, and the Condition is not entred upon the Roll, it is not void; but the Roll shall be amended. *Ibid.*

So, if the Day of the Court be mis-entred upon the Roll, it shall be amended upon Evidence, and shall not prejudice. *R. 1 Leo. 290.*

(K.) What a Copyholder shall do, by Custom.

(K. 1.) Shall be Tenant by the Curtesy.

WHAT a Copyholder may, or ought to do, and what not, the Custom directs. *Co. L. 63. a.*

And therefore, by special Custom, the Husband may be Tenant by the Curtesy of a Copyhold, which he has in Right of his Wife. *Adm. 2 Leo. 208. 1 And. 192.*

But the Custom shall be taken strictly; and therefore, tho' the Husband of one, who had a Copyhold at the Time of the Marriage, shall be Tenant by the Curtesy, yet he shall not, if the Copyhold descends during Coverture. *R. 2 Leo. 109, 208. [Vide 1 P. W. 69. per 2 J. cont.]*

(K. 2.) Shall have Dower.

So, by special Custom, the Wife may have all the Land of her Husband, after his Death for Dower, or Free-bench. *3 Lev. 385. Lit. S. 37.*

[Free-bench is a Widow's Estate in such Lands as the Husband dies seized of; not that he is seized of during the Coverture, as Dower is. *Godwin v. Winsmore, H. 1742. 2 Atkyns 525.*]

[If a Man before Marriage settles on his Wife Part of his Real Estate for Jointure, in bar of all Dower which she may claim out of any Lands, Tenements, Messuages and Hereditaments, of which he is or shall be seized, of Freehold or Inheritance; she cannot claim her *Free-bench* in Copyholds purchased afterwards. *Walker v. Walker, M. 1747. 1 Vezey 54.*]

Or a Moiety, or third Part of his Land. *Co. L. 33. b.*

Or only the fourth Part of his Land. *Ibid.*

Or the Whole, or a Moiety, *dum sola & casta vixerit. Kit. 105.*

Or during her Widowhood. *Hob. 181. Noy 2.*

Or a Woman being espoused when a Virgin, shall have all the Land whereof her Husband dies seised. *Kit. 102. a.*

Or, the Wife, by Custom, shall have a third Part of the Rent of her Husband's Land, and not the Land itself for her Dower; as, at *Busb. Kit. 102. b.*

So, by Custom, the Wife surviving shall have the Fee, and the Husband *converso. Noy 2.*

And sometimes the Wife, by Custom, shall be admitted to her Dower, after the Death of her Husband, *Vide Kit. 123. a.*

And shall pay a Fine. *Vide Ante, (H. 1.)*

Sometimes she shall have it without Admission, as an Excrecence from the Estate of her Husband. *Hob. 181.*

But a Custom, that the Wife shall have Dower assigned by the Homage, without the Answer of the Terre-tenant, or a Plaint, or Process against him, is ill. *Kit. 103. b.*

Or, that the Wife shall have Dower assigned of the Land, where the Husband, before Marriage, has made a Lease for Life, rendering Rent. *Kit. 103. b.*

When by Custom, the Wife has Dower, she shall have all Incidents; and therefore, shall recover Damages upon the *St. of Merton*, if her Husband dies seised. *R. 4 Co. 30. b, Shaw. Mo. 410. Cro. El. 426.*

But she shall not have Debt for Damages given upon the *St. of Merton* in a Court Baron, except in the same Court, or in *Chancery. 4 Co. 30. b, Shaw. Yet Moor says, that three J. then held that Debt lies in B. R. for Damages assessed there above 40s. Mo. 410, 411.*

So she shall not have Ejectment for a third Part of the Copyhold before it be assigned in Court. *Per Pemb. 2 Sho. 184.*

If the Husband purchases the Inheritance of his Copyhold, which is conveyed to *A.* for his Life, and afterwards to his right Heirs; the Dower of his Wife is not extinct, for the Customary Estate of the Husband remains for his Life, out of which the Dower is excrecent. *R. Hob. 181. 1 Rol. 510. l. 40. 2 Cro. 126, 573. 2 Rol. 179.*

If the Wife be divorced *a Mensa & Thoro*, yet she shall have her Dower. *R. Hob. 181.*

But if the Husband makes a Lease for Years by Licence, the Wife after his Death shall not avoid it; for the Lessee also is in by the Custom. *R. 2 Cro. 36. Mo. 758.*

So, if the Husband be a Bankrupt, and his Copyhold is sold by the Commissioners, the Wife shall not have her Dower; for the Husband did not die Tenant, (as he ought by the Custom,) tho' the Bargainee was not admitted. *R. Cro. Car. 569.*

So, if the Husband surrenders to *A.* and dies, and afterwards *A.* is admitted, the Wife shall not have her Dower; for upon Admittance *A.* shall be in from the Time of the Surrender. *R. 3 Lev. 385. 1 Sal. 185. Skin. 406.*

So, if the Husband, a Copyholder for Life, where, by Custom, his Wife shall have Dower, takes a Lease for Years; the Copyhold is determined, and the Wife shall not have Dower. *R. Jon. 462.*

(K. 3.) Shall make Leases.

A Copyholder may make a Lease for one Year, without a Licence. *R. 2 Cro. 403. 9 Co. 75. b.*

And thereupon may maintain an Ejectment. *Mo. 539, 569, 128. Cont. Cro. El. 483. R. 4 Co. 26, Melwich. Vide Post, (P. 3.)*

And, by special Custom, for three, nine, or twenty-one Years. *Kit. 102. b.*

Or, for Life, and forty Years after. *Mo. 8.*

But a Custom, that the Lease shall be void, if the Lessor dies, is good. *R. Lit. 235. Hut. 101.*

Otherwise, if the Lessor alien. *Per 2 J. Lit. 235. Hut. 101.*

But a Lease for several Years, without Licence from the Lord, is not good without a special Custom. *Per 3 J. Mo. 272. R. 1 Brow. 133.*

Tho' the Lease be made without Indenture, by *Parol.* *1 Rol. 507. l. 45. Cro. El. 499. Mo. 392.*

Tho' it be not in Possession, but commences *in futuro.* *R. 1 Rol. 507. l. 45. Cro. El. 499. Mo. 392.*

Tho' the Lease be for one Year & *sic de Anno in Annum* for ten Years; for this is a Lease for ten Years. *R. 2 Cro. 301, 308. Vide Post, (M. 2.)*

Or, for a Year & *sic de Anno in Annum*, during the Life of the Lessor; for this is a Lease for two Years at least. *R. 1 Rol. 507. l. 55.*

Or, *de Anno in Annum*, excepting one Day in every Year. *R. 1 Rol. 508. l. 2. 1 Bul. 215. 2 Cro. 308.*

So, if a Copyholder makes three Leases together each for one Year only, and each to commence 27 *M.* after the End of the former; it is not good, for it is only a Shift to evade the Custom. *R. 1 Rol. 508. l. 10. Cro. Car. 233. Jon. 249.*

So, if a Copyholder covenants and agrees to make a Lease for seven Years, and so from seven Years to seven Years, for forty-nine Years; for this amounts to a present Lease. *2 Mod. 81.*

So a Copyholder having Licence to lease, ought to pursue his Licence; otherwise his Lease is void. *R. Cro. El. 395.*

As, if he has a Licence to lease for two Years, and he leases for three Years. *Semb. Ow. 73.*

If he has a Licence to lease for twenty-one Years from *Mich.* last, and he leases for twenty-one Years from 25 *Dec.* next. *R. Cro. El. 395.*

If a Copyholder in Fee has a Licence to lease for Years, if he so long live, and he leases for Years absolutely. *Semb. Cro. El. (462.)*

So a Copyholder having Licence to make a Lease for twenty-one Years, cannot make two Leases for that Term; for he has satisfied his Licence by one Lease. *R. Mo. 184.*

But a Custom, that a Lessee for Life shall make a Lease for the Life of another, is void. *R. Mo. 8.*

So a Lease by an Infant of a Copyhold shall be voidable. *Jon. 157.*

What Lord may grant a Licence, *Vide Ante, (C. 3.)*

When a Lease without Licence, not warranted by the Custom, or not pursuant to the Licence, is a Forfeiture, *Vide Post, (M. 2.)*

But if a Copyholder makes a Lease by Licence, the Lessee may assign without Licence. *1 Rol. 508. l. 28.*

Or make an Under-lease; for the Lord by his Licence has parted with his Interest. *R. 1 Rol. 508. l. 28.*

So, if the Lessor after a Lease by Licence, dies without Heir, the Lessee shall have it for his Term against the Lord; for the Licence is a Confirmation of the Lord. *R. Hut. 101, 2.*

So a Lease without Licence is good, between Lessor and Lessee. *R. Ow. 18. Lat. 199.*

And if a Copyhold be to *A.* for Life, Remainder to *B.* in Fee, and *B.* makes a Lease for Years by *Parol*, and then *A.* and *B.* join in a Surrender to the Use of *B.* the Lease commences presently. *R. Cro. El. 160.*

If the Lord license his Copyholder to make a Lease of Lands in the Tenure of *A.* tho' they are in the Tenure of *B.* yet the Licence is good. *R. 2 Rol. 52. l. 20.*

If the Lord license his Copyholder for Life to make a Lease for three Years, if he so long live; a Lease for three Years absolutely, is good: For a Lease by a Copyholder for Life determines by his Death, and therefore the Condition annexed, being implied by Law, is void. *R. Ow. 73. Cro. El. (462.) Semb. 2 Cro. 437. Popb. 105.*

So, if he makes a Lease for fewer Years than his Licence allows. *R. 2 Cro.*

437. *R. Cro. El. 535.*

If the Lord license upon Condition, the Condition is void; for he grants nothing, but only dispenses with the Forfeiture. *Per 2 J. Cro. El. (462.) Poph. 106.*

But a Licence may be upon a Condition precedent; for till the Condition is performed, it is no Licence. *Poph. 106.*

A Lease from the Husband by Licence, shall not be avoided by the Wife, who claims Dower by Custom; for the Lessee is in under the Custom. *R. 2 Cro. 36.*

So, if a Copyholder, after a Lease by Licence, forfeits his Copyhold; the Lord shall not avoid the Lease. *Semb. Hob. 177.*

Or, dies without an Heir. *R. Hut. 101. Vide supra.*

If a Copyholder by Licence makes a Lease for Years, rendring Rent, he cannot afterwards surrender the Rent without a Surrender of the Reversion. *1 Leo. 315.*

And if he grants the Rent, and the Lessee attorns, the Grantee shall not have Debt for it; for he is not privy, nor has the Reversion. *Semb. 1 Leo. 315.*

But the Grant is good as a Rent-seck. *Per Gawdy, 1 Leo. 315.*

A Lease without Licence, not warranted by the Custom, is a Forfeiture. *Vide Post, (M. 2.)*

But makes no Disseisin to the Lord. *Lat. 199.*

(K. 4.) Copyhold shall descend contrary to the Rules of the Common Law.

So, by Custom, a Copyhold shall descend contrary to the Rules of the Common Law; as, by the Custom of *Burrough English* to the youngest Son. *Kit. 102. a.*

Or, to the youngest Brother. *Ibid.*

Or, to the youngest Daughter. *Ibid.*

To the youngest Son or Daughter of the first Wife, she being espoused when a Virgin. *Kit. 102. a. 1 Ver. 489.*

So to the eldest Daughter only.

To the eldest Daughter for Life, and after her Death, to the next Heir Male of the Father, who derives his Descent by Males. *R. 1 Sid. 367. 1 Lev. 172, 293.*

And if, by Custom, the Wife has Free-bench, and during her Estate the Eldest dies, the next Daughter, being eldest at the Death of her Mother, shall have it. *R. 1 Sid. 267. 1 Lev. 172.*

So, by Custom, a Copyhold may descend to all the Males; as, in *Gavelkind*, at *Islington*. *Kit. 102. a.*

Or, to all the Brothers. *Ibid.*

Or, to all the Sons, if the Copyhold contains above five Acres; otherwise to the Youngest only. *Ibid.*

So, by Custom, if a Man purchase *Bookland*, and *Bondland simul & semel*; it descends to the Eldest Son. *1 Leo. 56.*

So, if he purchase *Bookland* first, and then *Bondland*, both descend to the eldest: But if he purchase *Bondland* first, both descend to the Youngest Son. *Ibid.*

So, by special Custom, a Copyholder for Life shall name his Successor. *R. 1 Rol. 562. l. 5. R. 4 Leo. 238. 1 Brow. 132.* Otherwise, the Lord shall have it. *1 Sid. 267.*

So, by Custom, after the Death of a Copyholder for Life, the Lord ought to admit his eldest Son for Life, and if he has no Son, his Daughter. *Adm. Mo. 788.*

[A single Admittance at a Court Leet and Court Baron, is Evidence to prove the Custom for Lands to descend to the youngest Nephew, tho' there is a Presentment that the Custom extends only to the youngest Son, and youngest Brother, and no farther. *Doe v. Mason, P. 10 G. 3. 3 Wils. 63.*]

(K. 5.)

(K. 5.) The Lord shall appoint a Guardian.

So, by special Custom, the Lord shall name Guardian to the Heir of his Copyholder, who is within Age, the next of Blood, to whom the Copyhold cannot descend. *Kit. 103. a. Vide Ante, (E.)*

Or, shall give the Custody to his Bailiff, who shall render an Account to the Heir at his Age of fourteen Years. *Kit. 103. a. Dy. 302. b. in Marg.*

Or, otherwise shall dispose of it according to the Custom of the Manor. *3 Lev. 395.*

As, by Custom, the Lord may assign a Copyhold to any one, during the Infancy of the Tenant, without Account. *Semb. 1 Leo. 266.*

So, by Custom, the Heir at the Age of fourteen Years may chuse a Guardian for himself. *Kit. 103. a.*

But a Copyholder cannot dispose of the Custody, by his Testament within *St. 12 Car. 2. 24. R. 3 Lev. 395.* If there be a special Custom, that the Lord shall assign a Guardian to his Infant Copyholder. *R. in the same Case, Lut. 1190.*

If the Lord, by Custom, appoints a Guardian to his Copyholder, such Guardian shall have Debt, &c. in his own Name, for Rent upon Lease of the Copyhold. *Dy. 302. b. in Marg.*

And shall have *Ejectione Custodiae*. *R. Cro. El. 224. 1 Leo. 328. Vide Post, (P. 3.)*

So, if a Copyholder be a Lunatic, the Lord, by special Custom, may appoint a Guardian, or Committee of his Customary Lands. *Adm. Hob. 215. Hut. 16.*

So, if a Copyholder be an Idiot; for the King shall not have the Custody of his Copyholds, tho' *St. Prærog. Regis* gives to the King the Custody of all his Lands. *4 Co. 126. Hard. 434. R. Dy. 302. b.*

Or, *furdus & mutus*. *R. 2 Cro. 105.*

And the Committee shall hold against the *procchein Amy* of the Copyholder. *Ibid.*

But such Committee shall not sue in his own Name, but in the Name of the Lunatic. *R. Hut. 16. Hob. 215.*

(K. 6.) Copyholder shall have Common.

So, by special Custom, a Copyholder shall have Common within the Waste of the Lord. *4 Co. 32. a. Foiston.*

Or, in *alieno solo*. *4 Co. 32. a.*

So, by Custom, he may have Sole Pasture in the Waste of the Lord. *R. 2 Sand. 327. Pol. 16. Dub. Vau. 255.*

And may claim Sole Pasturage for his Cattle, tho' not *levant* and *couchant*. *R. Pol. 20. 2 Sand. 327.*

But he can have Common only for his Cattle *levant* and *couchant*. *Adm. 2 Sand. 327.*

So he may license a Stranger to put his Cattle into Sole Pasture. *R. 2 Sand. 327. Pol. 23.*

But not into Common. *Adm. 2 Sand. 327.*

So a single Copyholder may alledge a Custom to have Common within the Waste of the Lord. *R. 4 Co. 32. a.*

So, by special Custom, a Copyholder may have Estovers, or other Profit within the Waste, or Woods of the Lord. *4 Co. 32. a.*

[A Copyholder in Fenny Lands may be intitled to dig the Lord's Soil for Turf. *Dean of Ely v. Warren, T. 1741. 2 Atkyns 189.*]

[Common of Turbary cannot belong to an Occupant. *Ibid.*]

And tho' the Lord sells his Waste, and afterwards grants a Copyhold, the Copyholder shall have Common. *1 Brow. 231. Vide Post, (K. 7.)*

But if the Lord enfeoff his Copyholder, who has Common by Custom, whereby the Copyhold is destroyed, he shall not have Common; for it is gone. *R. 1 Sal. 170.*

So,

So, if he confirm the Estate of the Copyholder *cum pertinentiis*. R. 2 Cro. 253. 1 Bul. 2. Yel. 189. 1 Brow. 220. 2 Brow. 209.

So, if the Lord by Deed grants the Freehold of a Copyhold, to which Estovers belong, to his Copyholder, with all Lands and Hereditaments appurtenant, or used with it; the Estovers are destroyed. R. 2 Cro. 253. Mo. 667. 2 Brow. 211.

So, if the Lord grants the Freehold of a Copyhold, to which Common belongs, with all Profits and Common Appurtenant; the Grantee shall not have Common, for it was appurtenant to the Customary Estate, not to the Freehold. R. 2 Rol. 61. l. 5. D. Cont. 1 Bul. 2.

Tho' the Grant was only for Years. R. 2 Rol. 61. l. 10.

Yet, if a Copyhold to which Common belongs escheats, and the Lord, by Deed, grants it with all Common Appurtenant, or used with it; the Grantee shall have Common, for it amounts to a new Grant, tho' the antient Common was extinct. R. Cro. El. 794. 2 And. 169.

So, if a Copyholder has Common out of the Manor, and be enfranchised, his Common remains, for it belongs to the Land. 1 Sal. 170.

(K. 7.) Shall take Trees.

So, by special Custom, a Copyholder in Fee may cut down Trees, and sell them; at his Will. R. 1 Rol. 560. l. 25. Cro. Car. 221. Dal. 8. Noy 2.

So a Copyholder for Life, who by Custom names his Successor; for he has *quasi* an Inheritance. R. 1 Rol. 560. l. 35. 1 Brow. 132. 2 Brow. 87. Noy 2.

And one single Copyholder may prescribe to have Power to cut Trees. R. Cro. El. 353. 4 Co. 32.

But a Copyholder for Life merely cannot cut down and sell; for such Custom, that a Copyholder, who has not any Interest but for Life, may cut down Trees at his Will, is void. R. 1 Rol. 560. l. 30. Adm. 3 Bul. 81. R. 2 Cro. 29. R. Cro. Car. 221. R. 1 Bul. 158. 2 Brow. 85. Noy 2. Jon. 245.

Or, that every Copyholder may cut. Win. 1.

So a Custom, that a Copyholder may pull down Houses, is void. D. 1 Bul. 51.

So, by special Custom, a Copyholder shall take Housebote, Hedgebote, Cartbote, &c. R. Cro. El. 5. Adm. Mo. 812.

So it seems, without a special Custom. Per Holt, Sal. 638.

And if the Lord cut down Trees where by Custom the Copyholder shall have the Lops; an Action upon the Case lies against the Lord. R. 1 Rol. 196. 1 Brow. 231. 1 Rol. 108. l. 10.

Or Trespass. Per Cur' inter *Ashmede and Ranger*, R. 12 W. 3. (Reported Comyns's Rep. 71. Sal. 638. Ld. Ray. 551. But reversed in Parl. Sal. 638. Ld. Ray. 551.) R. 1 Leo. 272.

So, if the Lord bargains and sells his Trees, and the Bargainee cuts them down, an Action upon the Case lies against the Bargainee. R. 1 Brow. 231.

So, if the Lord demises the Manor for Years, except the Trees, and the Lessee grants a Copyhold; the Copyholder shall have the Lops of the Trees, for they are Parcel of the Manor. R. 1 Brow. 231.

Otherwise, if the Lease was for Life; for then they are severed from the Manor. *Ibid.*

So, if a Copyholder for Life does Waste, and cuts down Trees, &c. he in Remainder shall have an Action upon the Case. Dub. 3 Lev. 131.

So, if a Stranger cuts down Trees upon a Copyhold, the Copyholder shall have an Action upon the Case for the Loss of Shade, Fruit, &c. tho' it was not the Custom for him to take the Trees. 3 Lev. 131.

So, the Lord also, for the Prejudice to his Inheritance. 3 Lev. 131. *Vide* Action upon the Case for Mifeazance, (A. 2)

So the Lord may have Trespass. 2 Rol. 551. l. 50.

So a Copyholder shall have Trespass *Quare Clausum fregit & succidit*. 2 H. 4. 12. 4 Co. 21. b.

So, where there is not a special Custom for the Copyholder to cut, the Lord may cut, and the Copyholder has no Remedy against him; Tho' he be Copyholder for Life, and pleads that he has not sufficient for Repairs. *R. Cont. in B. R. and Exch. but reversed in Parl. Stat. 638. (Ld. Ray. 551.)*

So the Lord may grant all the Wood.

And if he grants it to a Copyholder, the Benefit does not merge in his Copyhold. *1 Ver. 22.*

(K. 8.) Shall render his Services.

A Copyholder ought to do his Services to the Lord. *42 Ed. 3. 25. b.*

When a Denial of Services is a Forfeiture, *Vide Post, (M. 4.)*

(K. 9.)
Fealty.

Tenant by Copy shall do Fealty. *Co. L. 63.*

When a Freeman does Fealty he shall put his right Hand upon the Book, and shall say, *I shall be faithful and true unto You, and Faith to You shall bear for the Lands which I claim to hold of You, and I shall lawfully do to You the Customs and Services, which I ought to do at the Terms assigned, So help me God; then he shall kiss the Book. By the St. 17 Ed. 2. Lit. S. 91.*

But a Villein shall say, *I from this Day forward shall be to You true and faithful, and shall owe You Fealty for the Lands that I hold of You in Villenage, and shall be justified by You in Body and Goods. So help me God. By the St. 17 Ed. 2. Rast. Co. L. 68. a.*

Tenant by Copy shall do Fealty in Person; for he cannot swear by Attorney. *9 Co. 76. Co. L. 68. a.*

But the Steward may take Fealty for his Lord. *Lit. S. 92.*

Or, the Bailiff. *Ibid.*

(K. 10.)
Rent.

A Copyholder shall render Rent.

And if the Copyhold comes to the Lord by Escheat, &c. he may make a Grant of it, rendring a greater Rent. *Per Lea, 2 Rol. 236.*

But if a Man by Deed demises a Copyhold and Free-land, rendring Rent; the whole Rent shall issue out of the Free-land, for the Lease without Licence is void as to the Copyhold. *Per Dy. Mo. 50.*

So, if Copyholder surrenders, rendring Rent; the Reservation of Rent is void. *D. Mo. 352.*

And if the Lord, upon a Surrender makes an Admittance, rendring a greater Rent, the Reservation is void. *2 Rol. 236.*

(K. 11.)
Relief.

So, by Custom, a Copyholder shall be bound to pay a Relief to his Lord, either by Tenure, or Reservation. *Jon. 133.*

And, by Custom, it may be but *1 d.* tho' the Rent be *10 s.* *Kit. 103. a.*

Or, a Moiety of the Rent upon a Descent, and as much upon a Purchase. *Kit. 103. a.*

So, by Custom, a Relief may be due upon Alienation. *Lat. 95.*

And a Devise shall be an Alienation. *R. Lat. 95.*

So, every Freeholder, who has Land by Descent within a Manor, being of full Age, shall pay a Relief. *Lit. S. 112.*

Or being of any Age, if he does not hold by Chivalry. *Kit. 146. Co. L. 91.*

So, if he dies, his Heir being within Age, and in Ward to the King for all his Land, at full Age he shall pay a Relief to the other Lord. *R. 2 Cro. 28.*

So, if the eldest Son dies before Entry, whereby the Youngest enters, he shall pay two Reliefs. *Kit. 146.*

If a Tenant enfeoffs his Heir, and dies before the Lord accepts him, the Heir shall pay a Relief. *Ibid.*

If the Heir after his Ancestor's Death enfeoffs B. of whom the Lord accepts Rent; yet he shall pay a Relief. *R. Cro. El. 885.*

But if he dies, his Heir being within Age, and the Lord refuses the Ward, he shall not have Relief. *Semb. 2 Cro. 28.*

So, if one Parcener dies, his Heir being of full Age, no Relief shall be paid; for all the Parceners are but one Tenant to the Lord, and a Relief cannot be apportioned. *R. 3 Leo. 13.*

So, if upon a Grant in Fee Farm no Rent be reserved, or the full Value; no Relief shall be paid. *Mo. 168.*

So, he, who is in by Purchase shall pay no Relief. *Kit. 146.*

So an Heir, by Descent, of a Reversion after an Estate for Life, shall not pay a Relief, till the Reversion falls in. *Kit. 146. b.*

So Tenant by Fee-Farm shall pay no Relief. *Ibid.*

So none shall pay, except the true Tenant in Fee. *Keil. 82. a.*

The Lord shall distrain for a Relief, and shall not have Debt for it. *Co. L. 83.*

But his Executor or Administrator shall have Debt, and shall not distrain. *Co. L. 83. b.*

If a Copyholder refuses Payment of his Rent due, upon a personal Demand, it is a Forfeiture. *Vide Post, (M. 4.)* (K. 12.)
What Remedy for Rent;

So, if a Copyholder surrenders the Reversion after a Lease to A. who is admitted; the Assignee shall have Covenant against the Lessee for Non-Payment of the Rent, within *St. 32 H. 8. 34. R. Cont. 2 Cro. 305. Yel. 223. Per Hob. 178. Dub. Cro. Car. 25. D. cont. Cro. Car. 44. R. acc. 3 Lev. 327. Vide Post, (N.) R. acc. 1 Sal. 185. Sbo. 285. Skin. 305.*

So he shall enter for a Condition broken within the same *St. 32 H. 8. 34. Semb. 3 Lev. 327.*

So the Reversioner may distrain for Rent, without Attornment or Notice. *R. Ray 18. R. Pol. 142. 1 Lev. 40.*

So, if A. makes a Lease of a Farm, Part Copyhold, and Part Freehold, rendering Rent, and afterwards assigns the Reversion by Grant and Surrender to B. the Rent issues out of both, and B. shall have Debt against the Lessee or his Assignee. *R. Cro. El. 606, 622.*

So a Copyholder shall do Suit at the Court of his Lord.

And he ought to do it in Person, and not by Attorney; for he is not within the *St. of Merton, 20 H. 3. 10. 2 Inst. 100. R. 1 Leo. 104.* (K. 13.)
Suit of Court;
By a Copyholder.

So he cannot do personal Services by Attorney. *1 Leo. 104.*

But a Copyholder may compound with the Lord *pro seeta relaxanda. Kit. 74.*

So a Free-man may do Suit at the Lord's Court.

But by *St. Marl. 52 H. 3. 9.* A Free-man shall not be distrained to do Suit, if he is not bound to do it by his Feoffment or Prescription. (K. 14.)
By a Freeholder.

And by the same Stat. If Land, which ought to do Suit, descends to Parceners, the who has the Part of the Eldest, shall do Suit for all, and the others shall make Contribution.

So by the same Stat. Jointenants or Tenants in Common shall do but one Suit for all the Land. *2 Inst. 119. 6 Co. 1. b.*

So a Feoffee of the Eldest's Part shall do Suit for all the Parceners. *2 Inst. 119. 6 Co. 1. b.*

So Tenant by the Curtesy. *2 Inst. 119.*

And a Woman may be a Suitor at a Court Baron. *Ibid.*

But where the Free-suitors are Judges, a Woman shall not be Judge there. *Ibid.*

But none shall do Suit, when he is in Ward of the King, or his Committee. *F. N. B. 158. A.*

Nor, Tenant in Dower, of Lands in Ward of the King. *F. N. B. 158. B.*

Nor, the Lessee of the King, of Lands escheated or forfeited. *F. N. B. 159. A.*

So Tenant in Dower, of any Land, shall not do Suit; if the Heir has sufficient to be distrained for it in the same County. *Ibid.*

So, if the Lord purchases Part of the Land, the whole Suit is gone; for he cannot have, nor make Contribution. *2 Inst. 120.*

So, if Parcel descends to the Lord. *Ibid. Semb.*

Yet

Yet if a Tenant enfeoffs another of Parcel, every one shall do Suit; for the Service being intire shall be multiplied. *Vide 2 Inst. 119. 6 Co. 1. b.*

So, if Land descends to Parceners, where the King is Lord, all shall do Suit; for they are not within the *St. of Marl. F. N. B. 159. C.*

And this after Partition, or before. *F. N. B. 159. C.*

(K. 15.) By the *Stat of Merton, 20 H. 3. 10.* Every Freeholder may do Suit by Attorney. *torney at the Hundred, Court Baron, &c.*

But he ought to make an Attorney under his Seal. *2 Inst. 100.*

And if the Steward does not allow his Attorney, he shall have a Writ *de Attornato allocando. 2 Inst. 100.*

And upon that an *Alias, Pluries*, and Attachment, if the Refusal be continued. *Kit. 74. a.*

Such Attorney shall do the same Suit as the Freeholder ought. *2 Inst. 100.*

But he cannot be a Judge as the Freeholder is; for no Act can be done in a judicial Capacity, by Attorney. *2 Inst. 100.—Cont. Per Holt*; for the St. makes no Difference, *inter Hunt and Bourn, H. 1 Ann. 1 Sal. 341.* And therefore, a Fine in *Antient Demesne* before an Attorney of the Suitors is good. *R. int. Hunt and Bourn, H. 1 An. 1 Sal. 340, 1.*

(K. 16.) Every one of the Age of twelve Years ought to do Service, at the Tourn or Leet, and take an Oath to be loyal, &c. *Co. L. 68. b.*

Clerks, and Women were not exempted by the Common Law. *2 Inst. 121.*

And every Person is resiant within some Leet.

And a Person not resiant may be bound to do Suit at the Leet. *Sal. 604.*

But by the Common Law, Persons having Cure of Souls were exempted. *2 Inst. 121. F. N. B. 160. C.*

And by the *St. Marl. 52 H. 3. 10. Archiepiscopi, Episcopi, Abbates, Priores, Comites, Barones, Viri religiosi, & Mulieres.*

And, by the Equity of this Statute, all Ecclesiastical Persons, Secular or Regular. *2 Inst. 121.*

So Tenant in *Antient Demesne* shall not be distrained to do Suit at the Leet, or Sheriff's Tourn. *F. N. C. 161. C.*

This Suit shall not be done by Attorney; for it is not within the *St. of Merton, 20 H. 3. 10, 2 Inst. 99.*

But by the *St. of Marl. 52 H. 3. 10.* A Man having Land in two Leets, shall do Suit only where he is conversant.

If his House be within two Leets, he shall do Suit where his Bed is. *2 Inst. 122.*

If his Family is within two Leets, he shall appear where he is commorant. *Ibid.*

(K. 17.) And the Servant shall be said to be resiant, where the Master is. *Kit. 33. b.*

Remedy for Suit.

For Suit-Service the Lord may distrain. *2 Inst. 118.*

For Suit by Parceners before Partition, the Lord may distrain any of them to do Suit. *F. N. B. 159. E.*

So, after Partition; but then the others shall have a Writ against the eldest Parcener to do Suit, and she shall have a Writ *de Contributione facienda* against those who refuse Contribution. *2 Inst. 119.*

But a Writ *de Contributione facienda* does not lie before Partition; for it is not within the *St. of Marl. 9. 2 Inst. 119.*

Nor in the Case of the King does it lie, before, or after Partition; for the *St. Marl. 9.* does not extend to the King's Courts. *Ibid.*

So for Suit of Joint-tenants, the Lord may distrain each. *Ibid.*

But if one does Suit, he shall not have a Writ *de Contributione facienda* against the others; because the Possession is intire. *Ibid.*

So for Suit by Tenants in Common, the Lord may distrain either, and he shall have a Writ *de Contributione facienda. 2 Inst. 119.*

By *St. Marl. 52 H. 3. 2.* The Lord shall not distrain for Suit-Service out of his Fee. *2 Inst. 104.*

And for Suit Real, the Lord shall not distrain, but there shall be an Amerciament. 2 *Inst.* 118.

And for Suit of Court the Lord shall not have a Writ *ad Seētam in Curia sua faciendam*; because he may distrain. 2y. *F. N. B.* 158. *D.*

If the Lord distrains for Suit-Service, when it is not within a Charter of Feoffment, by *St. Marl.* 9. the Tenant shall have a Writ *contra formam Feoffamenti*. *F. N. B.* 163.

Which lies only for the Feoffee and his Heirs, against the Feoffor and his Heirs. *F. N. B.* 163. *C.*

If the Lord distrains Parceners, Joint-tenants, &c. contrary to the *St. Marl.* 9. the Tenant shall have a Writ upon the Statute *de exoneratione Sect.* *F. N. B.* 159.

So, if he distrains a Ward of the King, or any one who ought not to do Suit. *F. N. B.* 158.

So, if the Lord distrains Persons to come to his Leet, who are exempted by the *St. Marl.* 10. they shall have a Writ upon this Statute for their Discharge. *F. N. B.* 160. 2 *Inst.* 121.

So, if he distrains any, who are exempt from Suit to the Leet, by the Common Law, they shall have a Writ, that he do not distrain them. *F. N. B.* 161. *C.*

But for Suit of Court, the Tenant shall not have a Writ of Attachment, but only after a Writ that the Lord shall not distrain him, if he be distrained when he ought not by the Common Law; tho' if he be distrained when he ought not by any Statute, he shall have an Attachment at first. *F. N. B.* 160. *B.*

Heriot is the best Beast, or other Thing, due to the Lord upon the Death, or Alienation of his Tenant. (K. 18.) Heriot.

But the Lord shall have that which he chooses for the best, tho' it be the worst. *Hob.* 60. What it is.

Heriot may be due by Tenure, which is Heriot-Service, or by Custom.

Heriot-Service is due only upon the Death of a Tenant in Fee. *D.* 21 *H.* 7. (K. 19.) Heriot Service. When due.

Yet it may be reserved upon a Lease for Life, after the Death of Tenant for Life. *R. Lut.* 1367.

So, if a Lease be to *A.* for Life, and afterwards to *B.* for Life, Remainder to *C.* for Life, an Heriot may be reserved after the Death of each of them. 2 *Sand.* 167.

So, if a Lease be for Years, if two Lives continue, it may be reserved after the Death of each Life. 2 *Sand.* 165. *R. Lut.* 1367. *Winch* 47, 57.

If Tenant by Heriot-Service aliens Parcel, the Heriot shall be multiplied. *Fitz. Heriot* 1.

And if the Lord be seised of a Heriot by the Alienee; it continues, though the Tenant re-purchase this Parcel. *Ibid.*

But a Heriot is not due, if the Tenant at his Death had no Beasts. *Semb.* *Hob.* 176. *Hut.* 4. *Dy.* 199.

Nor is it due of the Goods of *Cestuy que Trust*, but of him who has the legal Estate. 1 *Ver.* 441.

Heriot-Service is of the Nature of a Rent. 2 *Sand.* 166.

And therefore shall go with the Reversion to the Heir. *Ibid.*

Or, to the Grantee of the Reversion. *Ibid.*

So, if there be a Lease for Lives, rendring Rent, and an Heriot upon every Death, and afterwards the Manor is leased for Years; the Heriot goes with the Reversion to the Lessee. *R. Win.* 47, 57.

So, if a Lease be for 99 Years, if two Lives so long continue, to commence after a Death, Surrender, &c. of a former Lease, reserving an Heriot after the Death of each Life; if either dies before the Lease commences, no Heriot shall be paid. *R. per three J. Keeling cont.* 2 *Sand.* 166. 1 *Sid.* 437. 1 *Vent.* 91.

1 *Lew.* 294. 2 *Keb.* 677.

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So, for the last Life no Heriot can be seised, or levied by Distress, but only by Action upon the Contract; for by his Death the Term is determined. *Dub. Lut. 1368.*

(K. 20.)
How recovered,
By Seizure.

Heriot-Service may be seised. *Cont. per Frowick, Kel. 82. a. 84. b. R. acc. Pl. Com. 96. R. acc. Mo. 540. Cro. El. 590. R. cont. Bend. pl. 47. R. cont. 1 And. 299. Acc. Bro. Heriot 2.*

So, an Heriot due by Reservation; for that is an Heriot-Service. *Dub. Lut. 1367, 8.*

And the Seizure may be out of his Fee. *6 Ed. 3. 36. a. R. Lut. 1367. Bend. pl. 47. Fitz. Heriot 5. R. 1 Sal. 356.*

And, by a Stranger to the Use of the Lord. *Per Keble, 2 H. 7. 15. b.*

So, if the Heriot be eloigned, the Beast of another, remaining within his Fee, may be distrained or seised. *Per Chard, 27 Aff. 24.—Per Cur. Kel. 167. a.—It may be distrained, but not seised. Cro. Car. 260.*

So, if an Heriot be sold, it may be seised in the Hands of the Vendee, unless the Sale was in *Market Overt*. *Kit. 134. b.*

But, generally, the Beast of another may not be seised for an Heriot. *1 Ed. 3. 6. a. D. Cro. Car. 260.*

So, if upon a Lease for three Lives there be reserved for an Heriot upon the Death of each, *his or their best Beast*, and the Lease be assigned, and then one of the Lives dies; the Beast of the Assignee cannot be taken. *R. 2 Rol. 451. l. 30. Lut. 1368.*

So, upon a Reservation of an Heriot, the Beast of another upon the Land cannot be distrained. *Dub. 3 Mod. 231. Lut. 1368.*

(K. 21.)
By Distress.

So for Heriot-Service a Man may distrain, for it is a Service annexed to the Land. *Per two J. 8 H. 7. 10. b. Pl. Com. 96. a. Cro. Car. 260. Bro. Heriot 2.*

And may distrain the Cattle of another continuing upon the Land. *Cro. Car. 260. Bro. Heriot 6. Vide Ante, (K. 20.)*

In Avowry for Heriot-Service, he ought to prescribe, that he and all those whose Estate, &c. ought to have an Heriot upon the Death of every Tenant. *21 H. 7. 13. a. 15. a.*

And he ought to shew, what Land he holds in particular. *21 H. 7. 16. a.*

And alledge Seisin in himself, or in his Ancestor. *6 Ed. 3. 36. a. Per 3 J. 14 H. 4. 5. a.*

And shew, whether the Heriot be a Beast or other Thing. *R. Hob. 176. Hut. 4.*

It is sufficient if it be alledged, that he died his Tenant, without saying, that he died seised. *Per Cur. 44 Ed. 3. 13. a.*

And in Avowry for an Heriot, he need not shew for what Beast, or, of what Value. *R. Cro. Car. 260. Jon. 300.*

And if he avow for several Heriots, it is sufficient to say, that he took them *nomine Heriotar* generally. *R. 1 Bul. 102.*

But an Avowry, that every Tenant at his Death hath used to pay an Heriot, is repugnant and bad. *21 H. 7. 13. a. 15. a.*

So an Avowry without alledging Seisin of the Services, whether it be Rent-Service, or not, or upon the Death of what Tenant it is due, is bad. *Bend. pl. 119.*

So, for an Heriot upon Reservation of the best Beast, or 5*l.* at Election, the Lessor, or at least his Bailiff cannot distrain for the best Beast, till a Demand, or Election made. *D. Lit. 35.*

So a Distress for an Heriot cannot be out of the Manor. *1 Sal. 356.*

The Property of an Heriot-Service is not vested in the Lord till Distress, or Seizure, *8 H. 7. 10. b. Semb.* that it was vested before, otherwise he could not seise. *Pl. Com. 96. a.*

Seizure of an Heriot-Service, due by antient Tenure, may be out of the Manor. *Per Holt, Sho. 81.*

Other-

Otherwise, of an Heriot reserved by Deed. *Sbo.* 81. *R. cont. Lut.* 1367.
Heriot-Service shall be extinct by Unity of Possession. *14 H. 4. 5. a. Bro.*

Heriot 8.

So, if the Lord purchases Parcel of the Land. *Co. L. 149. b. R. 8 Co. 105. 2 Brownl. 294.*

So, if a Tenant makes a Settlement upon his Son in Marriage, it avoids the Heriot, and is not fraudulent within *St. 13 El. 5. R. 2 Brownl. 187.*

But by *St. 13 El. 5.* A Feoffment, &c. or Conveyance of Lands, &c. of an Intent to defraud, &c. of Heriots, &c. as to the Persons so defrauded shall be void; and the Person, Party to such Conveyance, &c. who shall wilfully put in Ure, &c. the same, shall forfeit a Year's Value of such Lands, and the whole Value of such Goods, &c.

And upon this an Action lies for the Lord *qui tam*, &c. for all Goods aliened to defeat him of his Heriot, tho' other Lords are also defeated; and the Plaintiff shall recover only the Value of his Heriot. *Semb. Dy. 351. b.*

So, if Tenant by Heriot-Service enfeoffs *A.* of Part; the Service, being intire, shall be multiplied, and not extinct. *R. 8 Co. 106.*

And if the Lord afterwards purchases the Part of the Feoffor, the Heriot-Service due from *A.* is not extinct. *R. 8 Co. 106. a.*

So, for an Heriot reserved upon a Lease, Debt lies. *2 Sand. 167.*

Or, Covenant. *2 Sand. 165, 7.*

(K. 22.)
By Action.
Vide Post,
(K. 26.)

So an Heriot may be due by the Custom of a Manor, upon the Death of every Tenant of an Estate of Inheritance.

If he dies his Tenant, tho' he does not die seised. *Kit. 134 a. Bro. Heriot 1.*

So, upon the Determination of an Estate for Life, tho' the Estate has not Continuance afterwards. *21 H. 7. 15. b. Kel. 80. Kit. 133. Bro. Heriot 5.*

Or, upon the Determination of an Estate for Years. *Kel. 80. 21 H. 7. 15.*

Or, at Will. *2 Bul. 196.*

So, by Custom, it may be due upon the Surrender, or Alienation of the Tenant. *Adm. 3 H. 6. 45. b. Kit. 134. b.*

So, by Custom, it may be due upon Death of the Head of a Body Politick. *D. Long. 5 Ed. 4. 72. b.*

So it may be upon the Deaths of some Tenants, tho' not upon the Deaths of others within the same Manor. *Kit. 134. b.*

So, if a Man dies Tenant of several heriotable Tenements, he shall pay several Heriots. *Kit. 134. a.*

And if a Tenant enfeoffs several Parts of heriotable Lands, each shall pay an Heriot; for they shall be multiplied. *6 Co. 1. a.*

If Land escheats, &c. and afterwards is re-granted, yet an Heriot shall be due upon Death; for Heriot-Custom is not extinct by Unity of Possession. *14 H. 4. 5. a. Per Hussy, 8 H. 7. 11. a. But the Reporter makes a Quare. Per 2 J. Acc. 2 Brownl. 295, 6.*

If a Tenant surrenders to another, and dies before the Surrender is presented; an Heriot shall be due. *Kit. 135. a.*

So, if a Copyholder be disseised, and dies before Re-entry; for he is Tenant in Right. *Per Berkly, 2 Rol. 72. l. 35.*

So if a Tenant enfeoffs the Lord of Part of heriotable Land; the Heriot-Custom shall not be extinct. *8 Co. 106. b. 2 Brownl. 295, 6.*

And an Heriot shall be paid before a Mortuary. *Co. L. 185. b.*

And, tho' a Testator devises all his Goods. *Ibid.*

So, by Custom, so much Money may be due, *loco Heriotti*, and not a Beast. *Kit. 103. a.*

Or, the best Chattel.

But if an Heriot be due upon the Death of every Tenant, and the Land be granted to Joint-tenants, no Heriots shall be paid upon the Death of one, till the Deaths of all the Joint-tenants, without a special Custom; for all are but one Tenant. *24 Ed. 3. 72. b. Tr. 25 Ed. 3. pl. 3. Bro. Heriot 4. Fitz. Heriot 3, 5.*

(K. 24.)
When not.

So, if a *Feme Covert* dies Tenant of heriotable Land, no Heriot shall be paid; for she has no Goods.

So, where by Custom a Corporation pays an Heriot upon the Death of the Head, if a Prior has such Land and dies, he shall not pay an Heriot; for he has no Goods. *Kit. 134. a.*

So a Custom to pay an Heriot upon the Death of every Stranger, who dies within the Manor, is not good. *4 Mod. 321. Dy. 71. b. in Marg. R. Cro. El. 725.*

(K. 25.)
How it shall
be recovered.
By Seifure.
Vide Ante,
(K. 20.)

By the Death of the Tenant the Property of an Heriot-Custom is vested in the Lord immediately.

And therefore, the Lord may seise an Heriot-Custom, but not distrain for it. *Per 2 J. 8 H. 7. 10. b. 27 Aff. 24. Per Cur. Kel. 167. Pl. Com. 96. a.*

And he may seise in any Place. *Kel. 82. a. 84. b. Per Holt, Sho. 81. 1 Sal. 356.*

But he cannot seise the Beast of another. *3 H. 6. 45. b. Cro. Car. 260.*

And a Custom to take the Beast of another upon the Land, if the Heriot be eloigned, is void. *R. Dy. 199. b. 2 Brownl. 90. R. Mo. 16. Bend. pl. 147, 294.*

So, if the Lord seises the worst Beast, for the best, he must be content with his Election, and cannot afterwards seise another. *Bro. Heriot 11. Hob. 60.*

(K. 26.)
By Action.
Vide Ante,
(K. 22.)

So if an Heriot be eloigned that the Lord cannot seise, he may have *Detinue* against him who detains it; for the Property was immediately in him. *Bro. Heriot 6, 9.*

But he cannot distrain for an Heriot-Custom; for the Property being in him, a Prescription to distrain for his own Goods, is not good. *Bro. Heriot 2, 6, 7.*

So he cannot prescribe, that every Tenant ought to pay an Heriot after his Death, but, that after a Death he ought to have, &c. *R. 21 H. 7. 13. a. 15.*

(K. 27.)
To what Lord
it shall be
paid.

If the Lord grants the Freehold of his Copyholds, or of a particular Copyhold in Fee, or for Years; the Heriot shall be paid (if the Land be heriotable) to the Grantee. *Vide Ante, (B. 2.)*

But if the Grant be of the Freehold to *A.* for the Life of the Copyholder, and afterwards to the Copyholder himself for Years, who assigns the Term, and then dies; the Heriot shall not be paid to the Assignee, for he was not Lord at the Time when it happened. *R. 2 Rol. 72. l. 20.*

In *Replevin*, or *Trespas*, if Defendant avows or justifies for Heriot-Service, he ought to alledge Seisin of the Land, of whom the Manor is held, and by what Services. *8 Co. 103. Vide Pleader, (3 K. 15.)*

So for Heriot Custom, he ought to alledge Seisin, Custom, Death, and Seifure of the Heriot. *Lut. 1310. Vide Pleader, (3 K. 28.)*

And it is not sufficient to alledge a Custom to take the best Beast, without saying, *pro Herioto, vel, nomine Heriotti.* *Dy. 199. b.*

So the Seifure ought to be alledged, *pro Herioto, vel, nomine Heriotti.* *Dy. 199. b. Semb. Cont. where the Omission was shewn for Cause of Demurrer, yet the Plea was held good. Win. Ent. 63.*

(L) Copyhold, how destroyed.

IF a Copyholder takes a Feoffment from the Lord, of his Customary Land, the Copyhold is destroyed. *4 Co. 31. French.*

So, if he takes a Lease for Life, or for Years, the Copyhold is destroyed for ever. *R. 4 Co. 31, French. Vide Ante, (B. 3.) Semb. Lat. 213.*

Tho' the Lease was by *Parol.* *4 Co. 31. 1 Rol. 498. l. 50.*

So, if the Lord makes a Lease of Customary Land, and the Lessee assigns his Term to the Copyholder, the Copyhold is destroyed for ever. *R. 2 Co. 17. a. 1 Rol. 510. l. 30. R. Mo. 185. 1 Leo. 170.*

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So, if the Lord lease a Copyhold for half a Year, or any Time certain. *1 Rol. 498. l. 50. Vide Ante, (B. 3.)*

So, if he makes a Feoffment, Lease for Life, &c. of a Copyhold. *1 Ver. 458. Vide Ante, (B. 3.)*

Tho' he enters for a Condition broken, the Feoffment being upon Condition. *R. 4 Co. 31.*

So, if the King grants a Lease of Land demised by Copy, and afterwards grants the Reversion to another in Fee, and the Lessee assigns to the Copyholder, the Copyhold is destroyed. *R. 1 And. 191.*

So, if Tenant in Tail of a Copyhold, Remainder to him in Fee, purchases the Freehold, and then makes a Bargain and Sale to A. The Issue in Tail shall not avoid it. *R. 1 Ver. 393.*

So, if a Copyholder takes a Lease of a Manor, his Copyhold is extinct; but it may afterwards be regranted by Copy. *Vide Ante, (B. 3.) R. 4 Co. 31. b. Cont. Per Shute, Sav. 70.*

So, if a Copyholder sues Execution upon a Statute and has the Manor in Execution, his Copyhold is gone. *Cont. Per Manwood, who says, that after the Debt levied, the Customary Interest remains. Sav. 70.*

So, if a Copyholder by Deed sells his Copyhold to the Lord, his Estate is extinct; but may afterwards be regranted by Copy. *R. Hut. 65. Jon. 41.*

Tho' the Lord was only Lessee for Years of the Manor. *R. Hut. 65.*

So, if a Copyholder by Deed releases his Copyhold to the Lord, tho' it be not of the Nature of a Release to give Possession. *Hut. 65. Jon. 41.*

But if the Lord enfeoffs his Copyholder, to the Use of another, his Copyhold is not destroyed; for it is saved by the *St. 27 H. 8. 10. R. 7 Co. 39. a, Lillingston.*

So, if the King grants a Copyhold by Patent for Life, it shall not be extinct, but the King may afterwards grant it by Copy. *R. 2 Rol. 197. l. 5. Vide Ante, (B. 3.)*

So, if the King afterwards grants the Manor, the Grantee, after the Life ended, may grant it by Copy. *R. 2 Rol. 197. l. 20.*

So, if the Lord grants the Freehold of a Copyholder to A. for the Life of the Copyholder, his Copyhold is not destroyed. *R. Hob. 181.*

So, if the Lord makes a new Grant by Copy for Life, with Remainder over, &c. to his Copyholder in Fee; the Inheritance of the Copyhold is not thereby destroyed. *R. Cont. 37 El. ut dicitur; but there per 2 J. Acc. 3 Bul. 81.*

And if the Lord makes a Bargain and Sale of the Inheritance of a Copyhold, to a Copyholder for Life, who accepts it; the Remainder of the Copyhold is not thereby destroyed. *R. 9 Co. 106, 7. M. Podger.*

So, if there be a Copyhold for three Lives *habend' successivé*, and the Lord by Deed grants the Inheritance to the first, the Interest of the second Life is not destroyed. *Adm. 2 Leo. 72.*

So, if the Inheritance be granted to the first Life, Remainder to the second Life, who does not agree to the Grant. *Semb. 2 Leo. 73.*

But, if the first Life be destroyed by Grant of the Inheritance, the second Life in Remainder cannot have the Advantage till the Death of the first. *R. 2 Leo. 73.*

(M) Copyhold, how forfeited.

(M. 1.) By Treason, or Felony.

If a Copyholder commits High Treason, his Estate is forfeited to the Lord, not to the King, except by the express Words of an Act of Parliament. *2 Vent. 39. Vide Post, (M. 6.) Per Hale, Hard. 434.*

And upon his Attainder his Estate is absolutely determined; for he cannot afterwards be of the Homage. *2 Jon. 190*

Nor take a Surrender out of Court. *Ibid.*

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So, if a Copyholder commits Felony, his Estate is forfeited to the Lord by Custom. 2 *Jon.* 189. *Pol.* 621. *Skin.* 8.

And a Custom, that, if a Copyholder commits Felony upon Presentment of the Homage, the Lord shall enter, is good. *R.* 1 *Bul.* 13. 1 *Leo.* 1. 2 *Brow.* 217.

Yet if the Lord grants a Copyhold to *A.* for Life, and upon his Death, or Forfeiture to *B.* and *A.* is attainted for Felony, *B.* shall enter; for the Lord shall not have it against his own Grant. *R.* *Skin.* 29.

But for Treason, or Felony, the Lord cannot seise till Attainder, without a special Custom allowing Seifure before. *Per Cur.* 2 *Vent.* 38. *Semb.* 1 *Lev.* 263.

And if the Felon be acquitted upon Trial, the Forfeiture shall be discharged, tho' the Felony was presented by the Homage. *R.* *Godb.* 267.

So, if the Copyholder has Clergy, the Lord cannot seise without a special Custom. *Semb.* 1 *Lev.* 263.

So, if the Copyholder be acquitted upon an Indictment. *Dub.* 1 *Bul.* 13. 2 *Brow.* 220. *R.* *Godb.* 267.

So, if the Husband be attainted, the Wife does not forfeit her Dower, which she has by Custom in his Copyhold. *R.* *Hard.* 434.

(M. 2.) By Alienation.

So, if a Copyholder makes an Alienation by Deed, it is a Forfeiture by the general Law of Copyholds. *Lit.* S. 74.

As, if he makes a Feoffment.

If he makes a Charter of Feoffment, with a Letter of Attorney to make Livery; tho' no Livery be made, 1 *Rol.* 508. l. 21.

So, if he makes a Bargain and Sale in Fee, tho' the Deed be not inrolled; for it is sufficient to determine a Lease at Will. 1 *Rol.* 508. l. 17. *but there said to be R. cont.* 38 *Eliz.*

So, if he makes a Lease for Life.

Or, if he makes a Lease for Years, not allowed by the Custom, without Licence. *Co. L.* 59. a.

What Leases a Copyholder may make, *Vide Ante*, (K. 3.)

So, if he makes a Lease not pursuant to his Licence. *Mo.* 184. *R. Cro. El.* 395.

If the Forfeiture be by a Lease without Licence, the Seifure may be after the Lease is determined, *Per Powel, Lut.* 803.

But if he makes a Charter of Feoffment, or Deed of Demise for Life, without a Letter of Attorney to make Livery, it is no Forfeiture. 1 *Rol.* 508. l. 25. And so *Co. L.* 59. a. seems to be intended.

So, if he makes a Release of his Right to the Copyholder in Possession. *Co. L.* 59. a. *Vide Ante*, (I. 1.)

Or, if he promises to make a Lease but does not. *R.* 1 *Bul.* 190.

Or, makes a Lease for a Year, and covenants to make a Lease afterwards *de Anno in Annum usq;* ten Years. *R.* 1 *Bul.* 190. 2 *Cro.* 301.

So, if a Copyholder for Life surrenders to another in Fee, it is not a Forfeiture; for nothing passes by Livery. 4 *Co.* 23. a, *Bullock.* *Mo.* 753.

Nor, if he suffers a Common Recovery in the Court of the Manor. *R.* 1 *Mod.* 200. 2 *Mod.* 33.

Or, if an Infant makes a Lease without Licence. *Noy* 92. *Lat.* 199.

Otherwise, if he accepts the Rent at full Age; for his Lease was not void, but voidable. *Noy* 92. *Lat.* 199. *R.* *Jon.* 157.

(M. 3.) By Waste.

So, if a Copyholder commits Waste, it is a Forfeiture, by the general Custom of Copyholds. 1 *Rol.* 508. l. 31. *R.* *Mo.* 392. *R.* *Ow.* 17.

Or, if he permits his Tenement to be in Decay. 1 *Rol.* 508. l. 34. *Ow.* 17.

Or, pulls down a House newly built upon the Copyhold. *R.* 1 *Bul.* 51.

Or, if he cuts down Trees on pretence of Repairs, and permits them to be rotten. *Per Clench*, 1 *Rol.* 508. l. 52.

[If he tops Timber-trees, and makes them Pollards. *Peachy v. D. of Somerset*, T. 7 G. Str. 447.]

[If he opens a new Stone-quarry. *Ibid.*]

[If he grubs up and destroys Hedges and Boundaries. *Ibid.*]

So, if he builds a new Messuage upon the Copyhold. R. 4 *Leo.* 241. *Hut.* 103. *Lit.* 266, 7.

So, if a Woman Copyholder takes a Husband, who does Waste, it is a Forfeiture, *Per 2 J. 4 Co.* 27. a, *Clifton*. 1 *Rol.* 509. l. 25.

And it is a Forfeiture of the Estate of the Wife, tho' the Husband dies; for Waste tends to the Disinheritance of the Lord. 1 *Rol.* 509. l. 40. *Vide Post*, (M. 5.)

So it is a Forfeiture, tho' he afterwards repairs. *Dub. Lat.* 227.

And by Waste in one Acre, or by cutting down one Tree, the whole Copyhold is forfeited. R. 1 *Rol.* 509. l. 10. *Vide Post*, (M. 5.)

But if a Copyholder holds several Copyholds by several Tenures; Waste in one is a Forfeiture only of one intire Copyhold, tho' they are all granted by the same Copy. R. 4 *Co.* 27. a. *Cro. El.* 353.

So, if all escheat, and are regranted *tenend' per antiqua Servitia*; Waste afterwards in one is a Forfeiture of that only. R. 4 *Co.* 27. a. 3 *Leo.* 109.

But if a Copyholder cuts down Timber for Repairs, it is no Forfeiture; for he may do so, without a special Custom. *Per 3 J. Cro. El.* 498. 1 *Rol.* 508. l. 40. *Mo.* 392,

Tho' he cuts down more than he wants at present, and keeps the Residue for future Use; for he may not know precisely how much is necessary. 1 *Rol.* 508. l. 45. *Cro. El.* 499. *Mo.* 393.

So it is no Forfeiture, if he sells the Top and Bark, when he cuts down Timber for Repairs. R. 3 *Bul.* 282.

Or, if he cuts down Trees which the Lord grants to him. *D. Mo.* 94.

So it is no Forfeiture, if a Copyholder, who by Custom may cut Timber, does Waste. 3 *Bul.* 81. *Cro. Car.* 221.

When Custom allows a Copyholder to cut down Trees, *Vide Ante*, (K. 7.)

So it is no Waste for a Copyholder in Fee, to dig, or open Mines, in his Soil. *Semb.* 1 *Sid.* 152. (*Vide 1 P. W.* 406.)

So it is no Forfeiture, if a Stranger commits Waste without the Assent of the Copyholder. *Per 2 J. 4 Co.* 27. 1 *Rol.* 508. l. 37. *D. Cont. Mo.* 49. *Acc.* 4 *Leo.* 241. *D. Acc.* 1 *Bul.* 52. *R. cont. and agreed to be settled. Lut.* 802.

Or one, who occupies with Sufferance of the Copyholder. *D. Cont. Mo.* 49. *Dal.* 49.

So, tho' Waste be done, *Chancery* will relieve against the Forfeiture, upon Satisfaction for it, if there was no Intention to commit Waste. R. *Ca. Ch.* 96. 2 *Ver.* 664. *Vide Chancery* (2 V.)

As, if Timber cut down was not used. *Ca. Ch.* 96.

Or was used for the Repair of another Copyhold. *Ca. Ch.* 96. R. 2 *Ver.* 537.

Otherwise, if there was full and evident Intention to commit Waste. *Ca. Ch.* 96.

(M. 4.) By denying Services, Fines, &c.

So, if a Copyholder refuses his Rent, or Services, it is a Forfeiture. 1 *Rol.* 506. l. 49. *Dy.* 211. b. in *Marg.*

As, if he refuses his Rent at the Day. *Hob.* 135. 1 *Rol.* 506. l. 36.

So, if he refuses Suit at the Court of the Lord, upon sufficient Summons. R. 1 *Rol.* 506. l. 50. 3 *Bul.* 80, 268. R. 3 *Leo.* 108. R. 1 *Rol.* 429.

So, if he does it not, upon frequent Demands, tho' he does not positively refuse. *Vide Lat.* 14.

So, if he refuses to pay a Fine evidently reasonable, upon Demand. 1 *Rol.* 507. l. 20. *Vide Ante*, (H. 7.)

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So, if he says, that he is not ready to pay his Rent, and the Lord assigns a Day certain, within the Manor, for Payment, and he does not pay; it is a Forfeiture, for it amounts to an absolute Refusal. *R. Lat. 122.*

Tho' the Place assigned for Payment be not at the next Court, but at some other Place, within the Manor. *R. Lat. 122.*

But it ought to be within the Manor. *Ibid.*

And it ought to be an absolute Refusal; for if the Copyholder says, that he cannot pay his Rent immediately, it is no Forfeiture. *R. 1 Rol. 506. l. 45. Cro. El. 505. D. Ray. 42. Co. Ent. 647. d.*

Or, if upon Demand of the Rent at the Time of Payment, the Copyholder is absent, which is a Refusal in Law; it is no Forfeiture. *1 Rol. 506. l. 40.*

So it is no Forfeiture, if the Rent be several Times demanded, and not paid; if it be not denied. *R. Co. Ent. 288. b. Dub. Lat. 14, 122. and there Semb. Cont. Acc. Lit. 268.*

So not coming to Court to do his Suit, is no Forfeiture, if he does not refuse to come. *R. Co. Ent. 288. b. R. 3 Bul. 80.*

So it is no Forfeiture, if a Copyholder refuses his Services, till the Law determines what are due. *R. Lat. 14, 123. (Vide Ray. 42.)*

Or, before the Rent is due, or a Court is held, he says, that he will never pay his Rent, or do his Suit. *Per Popph. 3 Leo. 108.*

So it is no Forfeiture, if there be not sufficient Notice; as, if there be not a personal Demand of the Rent. *Hob. 135.*

So there ought to be a personal Warning to come to the Court, to be held at such a Place, and at such a Time. *R. 1 Rol. 507. l. 2. Co. Ent. 288. b. 1 Leo. 104. per Coke.*

For a general Summons of a Court in the Church, is not sufficient. *R. Co. Ent. 288. 1 Rol. 507. l. 10. R. Cro. El. 506. Cont. 1 Leo. 104.*

So it is no Forfeiture, if he has reasonable Cause for his Absence from Court; As, if he was sick. *1 Leo. 104.*

Or, attending upon a great Office. *Ibid.*

So it is no Forfeiture, if a Copyholder has no Notice, that he who demands the Services has an Interest in the Manor. *Semb. Lat. 122.*

As, if he refuses to the Grantee or Bargainee of the Reversion, before Notice of an Assignment. *R. 8 Co. 92. a. Vide Condition, (L. 4.)*

So *Chancery* will relieve against a Forfeiture, if Relief is prayed within a reasonable Time. *2 Ver. 664.*

So, if a Copyholder, sworn upon the Homage in a Court Baron, refuses to present according to his Oath, it is a Forfeiture. *Per 3 J. 1 Rol. 506. l. 32. Mo. 350. Dy. 211. R. 3 Leo. 109.*

Or, if he refuses to be sworn upon the Homage. *Kit. 90. b. Per Gawdy, Mo. 350. Kit. 124. b.*

So, if a Copyholder disclaims being Tenant to the Lord, it is a Forfeiture. *Kit. 124. b.*

But if he says in Court, that he renounces his Copy, it is no Forfeiture. *1 Rol. 507. l. 15.*

So, if the Lord has *Field-course* for Sheep upon the Land of his Copyholders, inclosing of the Copyhold, leaving Space for the Sheep, is not a Forfeiture. *R. Hut. 103. Lit. 267.*

So, if a Copyholder forges a *Customary*, and makes use of it against the Lord, it is a Forfeiture; for the Inheritance of the Lord is in Hazard by it. *Adm. 3 Leo. 108.*

So, if he defaces the *Doal marks* which bound the Copyhold. *Lit. 268.*

But forging a *Customary*, without making use of it, is no Forfeiture. *Dub. 3 Leo. 108.*

So, if a Copyholder erects a Mill upon his Copyhold, without Assent of his Lord, it will be a Forfeiture. *Dy. 211. b. in Marg.*

So, by special Custom, it is a Forfeiture if the Heir, or he to whose Use a Surrender is made, does not come to be admitted upon three Proclamations at three

three several Courts. 1 *Rol.* 568. l. 20. *Adm.* 8 Co. 99. 1 *Lev.* 63. *Vide Ante*, (G. 2.)

So if the Surrenderee does not come upon three Proclamations, at the next Court. 1 *Rol.* 568. l. 20.

So, by special Custom, it is a Forfeiture if a Copyholder, into whose Hands a Surrender is made, out of Court, according to the Custom, does not present it at the next Court.

But if a Copyholder is outlawed, his Copyhold is not forfeited, or determined. *R. Lit.* 234.

So, if a Copyhold is surrendered to A. in Trust for B. who is found to be an Alien; the King shall not have the Copyhold. *Semb. Al.* 15. *Agreed Hard.* 436.

If an Alien purchases a Copyhold in his own Name, the King shall not have it, but the Lord himself. *R. Dy.* 302. b. in Marg.

(M. 5.) What Estate shall be forfeited.

If a Copyholder makes a Feoffment of one Acre, Parcel of his Copyhold, nothing shall be forfeited, but that Acre. *R. 1 Rol.* 509. l. 5.

But for Waste in one Parcel, the whole Copyhold is forfeited. *Vide Ante*, (M. 3.)

So, if a Copyholder for Life commits a Forfeiture, his Estate for Life only shall be forfeited, not the Remainder. 1 *Rol.* 509. l. 15. *Cont. Mo.* 49. *Per Gawdy, acc. Cro. El.* 598. *R. acc. Cro. El.* 879. *Yel.* 1. *Noy* 42.

As, if he makes a Feoffment.

Commits Waste. 1 *Rol.* 509. l. 20.

Does not come to be admitted. *R. 1 Rol.* 568. l. 25. *Yel.* 1. *Ray.* 404. *Per Eyre*, 3 *Mod.* 224.

So, if a Lessee for Years of a Copyhold with Licence, makes a Feoffment, he forfeits only his Term. 1 *Rol.* 509. l. 28.

So, if a Copyholder, by Licence, makes a Lease, and afterwards commits a Forfeiture; the Lease is not forfeited. *Semb. Hob.* 177. *R. 2 Rol.* 372.

So, if an Husband seised in Right of his Wife makes a Lease without Licence, not allowed by the Custom, he forfeits only during his own Life. *R. 1 Rol.* 509. l. 30. *Cro. Car.* 7. *Dict. Cro. El.* 149. *Semb. 2 Rol.* 344, 361, 372. *R. 2 Rol.* 271. l. 25.

So, if a Lessee of a Copyhold for Life, for Years, or in Tail, makes a Lease by Indenture, it is no Forfeiture as to him in Reversion. *R. 2 Rol.* 271. l. 15, 20, 25.

But if an Husband seised in Right of his Wife does Waste, he forfeits the Estate of his Wife also; for it tends to the Disinheriton of the Lord. 1 *Rol.* 509. l. 40. *Vide Ante*, (M. 3.)

So, if he refuses his Rent or Services. *D. Cro. El.* 149. *D. 2 Rol.* 344.

Tho' the Husband dies before the Entry of the Lord. *Cont. per Dodd.* 2 *Rol.* 344.

So, if the Husband commits Felony, the Free-bench or Dower of his Wife shall be forfeited, if it be not preserved by special Custom. *Win. Ent.*

So, if a Copyhold be granted to two for Life successive, and the first commits Waste, the whole Estate is forfeited. *R. Mo.* 49. *D. Dal.* 49.

If a Custom be, that the Copyhold of a Copyholder convicted of Felony shall be forfeited; and the Wife is admitted to the Copyhold as her Free-bench, and during her Life, the Heir is convicted, his Estate shall be forfeited. *R. 1 Leo.* 1.

[If A. devises Copyhold to B. and surrenders to the Use of his Will, and B. is hanged for Felony before Admittance, or doing any Act to shew he was Tenant, the Lands are not forfeited to the Lord, but descend to the Heir of A. *Roe v. Hicks*, P. 27 G. 2. 2 *Wilf.* 13, 16.]

(M. 6.) Who shall have Advantage of the Forfeiture.

Dominus pro tempore shall take Advantage of a Forfeiture. R. 1 Rol. 509. l. 50.

So the Grantee of the Inheritance of a Copyhold. R. 1 Rol. 510. l. 3. Mo. 392, 3. Cro. El. 499. Vide Ow. 63. Semb. Cont.

So Lessee for Years of such a Grantee. R. 1 Rol. 510. l. 5. Dub. Cro. El. 499. Mo. 393.

So, if the Lord dies after Forfeiture for Waste, the Heir shall take Advantage of it. Dub. Lat. 227. Cont. per 3 J. Powel. acc. Lut. 802.

So a Lessee of a Manor by Lease made after a Forfeiture committed shall take Advantage of it. R. 1 Rol. 510. l. 10. Cro. Car. 234. But there the Copyholder surrendered to the Lord, not having Notice of the Forfeiture, who entred and made a Lease, and by the Entry the Lord was in in his elder Right.

So the Alienee of a Manor, after a Forfeiture committed. Dub. 2 Vent. 39.

But if the Lord dies after a Forfeiture committed, he in Reversion, or Remainder, shall not take Advantage of it. R. 2 Cro. 301. 1 Bul. 190.

And for any Forfeiture that does not determine the Customary Estate, the Heir shall not take Advantage. R. per 3 J. Lut. 802.

As, for Waste. Lut. 802. Dub. Lat. 227.

By a Lease without Licence. Lut. 802. 1 Sal. 187.

So, if two Parceners be Ladies, and one dies, the other being Heir to her Sister shall not take Advantage; for she cannot enter for a Moiety. R. per 3 J. Lut. 802. 1 Sal. 187.

And upon Forfeiture for Treason the Lord shall take Advantage, not the King, unless by the exprefs Words of an Act of Parliament. 2 Vent. 39. Vide Ante, (M. 1.)

If a Copyholder for Life forfeits, the Lord shall take Advantage, not he in Remainder. 1 Rol. 500. l. 45. R. 9 Co. 107. a, M. Podger. 1 Sand. 151. R. 1 Mod. 200. 2 Mod. 33.

Except when the Remainder is to commence after Forfeiture, &c. R. 2 Jon. 189. 3 Lev. 94. But there it was not a Remainder but a Reversion. Pol. 620. Vide infra. Vide Post, (M. 7.)

But if a Surrender be to A. and B. and the Heirs of A. but B. upon three Proclamations, according to the Custom, does not come to be admitted, A. shall be admitted to the Whole, and not the Lord to a Moiety. Dub. Yel. 1.

So, if a Reversion of a Copyhold be granted *Habend'* after the Death, Surrender, or Forfeiture of the Copyholder for Life; if he forfeits, the Reversioner shall take Advantage, and not the Lord. R. 3 Lev. 94. Pol. 621. 2 Jon. 189.

So, if a Forfeiture be such, that it determines the customary Estate, the Heir shall take Advantage of it; as, if a Copyholder makes a Feoffment, or Lease for Life. R. Lut. 803.

(M. 7.) When a Presentment is not necessary.

If a Copyholder commits a Forfeiture, by Treason or Felony, after Attainder, the Lord may seise without Presentment by the Homage. R. 2 Vent. 38. 2 Jon. 190.

Or, by Alienation. Kit. 90. b. R. Cro. El. 499.

Or, by Waste. Cont. Kit. 90. b. Semb. Acc. Lat. 227. R. Cro. El. 499.

Or, by a Lease without Licence. R. Jon. 249.

So the Lord may grant a Copyhold forfeited, before Seisure; for the Forfeiture is a Determination of the Will, of which the Lord may take Advantage. R. 1 Lev. 26.

So a Grantee *Habendum* after Forfeiture, &c. may enter, before Seisure, upon an Attainder of the Copyholder. Semb. 2 Jon. 189. R. 3 Lev. 94.

But for a Forfeiture by Nonfeasance, the Lord cannot seise without a Presentment of the Homage; as, for not rendring Services, or Suit of Court. Kit. 90. b.

Nor, for any Personal Forfeiture. R. 4 Leo. 241.

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(M, 8.) Dispensation; What shall be.

If the Lord makes an Admittance to the Copyholder, after a Forfeiture committed, it amounts to a Dispensation; for it shall be taken as an Entry, and a new Grant. *R. 1 Lev. 26.*

So, if he accepts Rent of the Copyholder. *Per Twissd. 1 Keb. 15. Vide Condition, (P.)*

So, if a Copyholder be amerced at the Court for not coming; it will be a Dispensation of the Forfeiture. *R. 1 Leo. 104.*

Tho' the Amerciament be not estreated or levied. *1 Leo. 104.*

If permissive Waste be repaired before Entry, it prevents the Seifure, as forfeited. *Per Powel, Lut. 803.*

And a Dispensation by him who is the rightful Lord, tho' he be only *Dominus pro tempore*, binds him in Reversion, as well as himself. *R. 1 Lev. 26.*

But an Admittance after a Forfeiture by a Disseisor, is not a Dispensation, as to him who has the Right. *R. 1 Lev. 26.*

So it shall be no Dispensation, if the Lord had not Notice; as, if he accepts Rent of a Copyholder after Waste done, without Notice of it, he may afterwards enter for a Forfeiture. *R. 1 Rol. 475. l. 50.*

So, if the Lord accepts a Surrender of the Copyholder, after Treason committed. *R. 2 Vent. 38.*

So a Pardon of Treason, is no Dispensation. *R. 3 Lev. 94. R. 2 Jon. 189.*

So, if the Lord accepts a Surrender of a Copyhold after a Forfeiture committed, and before Notice of it, it is no Dispensation. *R. Cro. Car. 234.*

Yet the Lord ought to take Notice of a Forfeiture, by Denial of Suit of Court. *2 Vent. 39.*

Or, Non-payment of Rent. *D. 2 Vent. 39.*

(N) Copyhold, When bound by a Statute.

WHEN no Prejudice ensues to the Lord by it, Copyholds are included within the general Words in any Statute, viz. *Lands, Tenements, and Hereditaments.* *3 Lev. 327. R. 3 Co. 8. D. Cro. Car. 43, 44. Sav. 67.*

As, the *St. of Merton*, 20 *H. 3.* by which Damages are given to the Wife for being deforced of her Dower, when her Husband dies seised, extends to Copyholds. *Cro. Car. 43. Vide Ante, (K. 2.)*

So, the *St. W. 2. 13 Ed. 1. 3.* which gives a *Cui in vita* upon Alienation by the Husband of the Land of his Wife. *Cro. Car. 43. 3 Co. 9. a. Dal. 116.*

So the other Branch of *W. 2. 3.* which gives Receipt to the Wife, upon Default of her Husband, extends to the Default of the Husband in a Writ of Right, in a Court Baron. *2 Inst. 343. 3 Co. 9. a. Cro. Car. 43.*

So, the *St. W. 2. 4.* which gixes a *Quod ei deforcat* upon a Recovery by Default against Tenant for Life, &c. *3 Co. 9. a. Cro. Car. 43.*

So the *St. 4 H. 7. 24.* whereby a Fine, with Proclamations and Non-claim for five Years, bars all Estates, &c. extends to a Customary Interest. *R. 9 Co. 105. 1 Brow. 181. 2 Inst. 517.*

And therefore, if the Lord enfeoffs a Copyholder in Tail, who afterwards levies a Fine *Sur Conufance*, &c. the Issue in Tail is barred. *R. Cart. 23.*

But if the Lord makes a Bargain and Sale to a Copyholder for Life, who afterwards levies a Fine *Sur Conufance*, &c. and five Years pass, he in Remainder is not barred by the *St. 4 H. 7. 24.* for the Remainder was not divested. *R. 9 Co. 106. Vide Ante, (L.—M. 5.)*

So Copyholder for three Lives *successive*, the first Life joins with the Lord in a Fine *come ceo*, &c. of the Copyhold Estate: it does not bar the second Life. *R. 2 Jon. 143. Ray. 403. Pol. 564.*

So the *St. 31 H. 8. 13.* which avoids Leases for Life made by Religious Persons within a Year before, extends to Copyholds. *R. 3 Co. 8. Mo. 128. Sav. 66.*

So

So the *St. 32 H. 8. 9.* against Champerty and Maintenance in the Purchase of Titles, &c. *Per Wray, 4 Co. 26. a. Cro. Car. 43. 2 Brow. 79.*

And the *St. 32 H. 8. 34.* which gives to a Grantee of the Reversion, the same Actions and Entry for a Condition broken, as the Grantor might have, extends to the Assignee of a Reversion of a Copyhold. *Cont. R. 2 Cro. 305. Yel. 223. Per Hob. 178. Dub. Cro. Car. 25. D. Cro. Car. 44. but R. acc. 3 Lev. 327. Vide Ante. (K. 12.)*

So the *St. 32 H. 8. 2.* of Limitations. *Mo. 411.*

So the *St. 13 El. 20.* which restrains long Leases made by Ecclesiastical Persons. *3 Lev. 327.*

So, the *St. 27 El. 4.* which restrains fraudulent Conveyances. *3 Lev. 327.*

So, the *St. 1 Jac. 15 & 21 Jac. 19.* against Bankrupts; for being named by the *St. 13 El. 7.* the other Statutes, made in Aid and Confirmation of this, extends to Copyholds. *R. Cro. Car. 550. Adm. Cro. Car. 568.*

By the *St. 13 El. 7.* Commissioners may take order with Bankrupt's Lands, &c. as well customary as free, &c. And by Deed indented and inrolled make Sale of such Lands, &c. But the Vendee shall not enter, nor take the Profits till he hath agreed with the Lord for his Fine, who thereupon shall admit him.

But the Estate of a Copyholder is vested in the Bargainee, by the Bargain and Sale. *Cro. Car. 569. Vide Ante, (G. 1.)*

And he shall avoid all mesne Acts between the Sale and his Admittance; as, if the Bankrupt dies after Sale, and before Admittance of the Vendee, the Wife of the Bankrupt shall not have her Dower. *R. Cro. Car. 569. Vide Ante, (G. 1.)*

So the *St. W. 2. 13 Ed. 1. de Donis* extends to Copyholds. *R. 3 Co. 8. R. 9 Co. 105. cont. D. cont. Sav. 67. Vide Ante, (C. 8.) But it was R. acc. 3 Lev. 327. Cont. 1 Rol. 838. l. 15. Semb. acc. 1 Leo. 175. Dub. Cro. El. 380. Adm. 1 Sid. 314.*

... (O) When not.

BUT when a Statute alters the Service, Tenure, Custom, or Interest of the Land, to the Prejudice of the Lord, the general Words of the Statute do not extend to a Copyhold. *R. 3 Co. 9. a. D. Cro. Car. 44.*

And therefore, a Copyhold is not extendible upon a Stat. Merchant or Staple within the *St. of Acton Burnel, 11 Ed. 1. De Mercat. 13 Ed. 1. Mo. 94, 128.*

Nor, by the *St. W. 2. 13 Ed. 1. 18.* which gives an *Elegit.* *R. 3 Co. 9. a. Cro. Car. 44. Sav. 67.*

So the *St. of Gloucester, 6 Ed. 1.* which gives Summons *ad warrantizandum* upon a foreign Voucher, does not extend to Copyholds. *2 Inst. 325.*

* *Callis on
Sewers, Edit.
1686.*

Nor the *St. 23 H. 8. 5.* which gives Authority to Commissioners of Sewers to sell Lands. *Cal. 134, 5.**

Nor the *St. 27 H. 8. 10.* which transfers the Possession to the Use; for it will be a Prejudice to the Lord to have the Possession transferred by the Statute without the Allowance of the Lord. *D. Cro. Car. 44.*

Nor the Clause which enables to make a Jointure of Lands.

Nor the *St. 31 H. 8. 1.* nor the *St. 32 H. 8. 32.* which compel Joint-tenants and Tenants in Common to make Partition. *Cro. Car. 44.*

Nor the *St. 32 H. 8. 28.* which enables Tenants in Tail, and Husband and Wife, to make Leases for twenty-one Years. *Cro. Car. 44. Dal. 116.*

Nor the *St. 32 H. 8. 37.* which gives Remedy to Executors or Administrators for Rent-Arrear, by Distress, or Action of Debt. *R. Yel. 135. Vide Ante, (K. 12.)*

Nor the *St. 29 El. 6.* which gives to the King, the Lands of Recufants. *R. 1 Leo. 98. Ow. 37. D. Hard. 433.*

Nor the *St. 31 El. 7.* which prohibits the Erection of Cottages without four Acres of Land. *R. 1 Bul. 52.*

Nor the *St. 12 Car. 2. 24.* which enables the Father to dispose of the Guardianship of his Son. *R. 3 Lev. 395. Lut. 1190. Vide Ante, (K. 5.)*

(P) Copyholder, how impleaded.

(P. 1.) In the Lord's Court.

A Copyholder shall not implead, nor be impleaded for his Tenements by the King's Writ. *Lit. S. 76.*

And therefore, if he implead another for his Tenements, he shall have a Plaint in the Lord's Court, and make Protestation to sue in the Nature of an Affize of *Novel Disseisin*, of an Affize of *Mortdancefor*, of a *Formedon*, or other Action at Common Law. *Lit. S. 76. F. N. B. 12. B.*

So in Nature of a Writ of Right. *3 Leo. 99.*

And if an erroneous Judgment be given, a Copyholder shall not have a Writ of false Judgment, in respect of the Baseness of his Estate; but he ought to sue to the Lord by Petition. *Co. L. 60. a. F. F. B. 12. B. D, 4 Co. 30. b. Ca. Parl. 67. Mo. 69.*

So, if he be distrained for more Customs or Services than he ought, he shall not have a *Monstraverunt*. *F. N. B. 14. D. 16. E.*

So, if a Copyholder surrenders to A. upon Trust, and the Trust be not performed; he may sue to the Lord by Petition, and compel Performance of the Trust. *R. 1 Leo. 2.*

And if the Lord decrees a Surrender to A. and the Party refuses, the Lord may seize, and admit A. *R. 1 Leo. 2.*

(P. 2.) In Chancery.

But if the Lord refuses Admittance to the Heir, or Surrenderee, the Copyholder may sue in Chancery, and shall be there relieved. *2 Cro. 368. Vide Ante, (G. 10.)*

So, if the Lord ousts his Tenant without Cause.

So, if he ousts his Copyholder for an involuntary Forfeiture. *Ca. Ch. 96. Vide Ante, (M. 3.)*

So, if he demands an excessive Fine. *Ch. R. 464.*

Or, more Services than he ought.

So, if the Lord refuses to hold a Court to do Right to his Copyholder. *Adm. Ca. Parl. 67. Vide Ante, (C. 9.)*

Or, refuses to do Right, upon a Petition to him after an erroneous Judgment. *Adm. Ca. Parl. 67. 4 Co. 30. b.*

Or, refuses to grant Licence to make Leases.

So, if a Copyhold be surrendered to B. for Payment of an Annuity, or other Trust, Chancery will compel the Performance.

So, if an erroneous Judgment be in a Customary Court, in an Action in the Nature of a *Formedon*; Chancery upon a Bill in the Nature of false Judgment will reverse it. *R. 1 Rol. 373. l. 45. Lane 98.*

So the *Exchequer*; if it be in the King's Manor. *R. 1 Rol. 539. l. 20. Lane 98.*

So Chancery will ascertain the Customs of a Manor between the Lord and his Tenants.

And ascertain the Limits of Copyhold and Freehold Tenements, which are confused.

So Chancery will relieve against a defective Surrender. *Ca. Ch. 171. Vide Ante, (F 10.)*

If the Surrender be not presented. *Ca. Ch. 171.*

If a Copyhold is agreed to be enfranchised, and the Freehold is conveyed to a Trustee without a Surrender of the Copyhold to him. *R. 1 Ver. 392.*

If a Surrender be made into the Hands of one, and not of two Copyholders. *2 Ver. 164.*

So, if a Surrender be refused. *2 Ver. 585.*

So a Devise or Settlement of a Trust of a Copyhold, shall be good, without a Surrender. 2 Ver. 585, 704.

So *Chancery* will supply the Default of a Surrender to the Use of a Will, when the Rolls are lost, and long Possession has been under the Will. R. 2 Ca. Ch. 151. 1 Ver. 195. *Vide Chancery*, (2 V.)

So, in Favour of a Purchaser. 2 Ver. 165.

Or, for the Provision of a younger Son or Daughter. 1 Sal. 187.

Tho' he has some other Maintenance. *Ibid.*

Otherwise, if the eldest Son be thereby disinherited. *Ibid.*

Or, it was for the Provision of a Grandson, R. in Parl. 1 Sal. 187. 2 Ver. 625. (*Vide* 1 P. W. 61.)

Or, for the Provision of a Nephew. R. 2 Ver. 625.

So it will supply it for the Heir, when the Copyhold was *Gavelkind*, and charged with Legacies to the younger Children. R. 2 Ver. 165.

But *Chancery* will not relieve the Lord of a Manor, after a Sale of the Manor, for Rents or Fines due before the Sale. R. 1 Rol. 374. l. 45.

Nor will compel the Lord of a Manor to receive a Petition, to reverse a Common Recovery. R. Ca. Parl. 68.

Vide Chancery, (2 V.)

(P. 3.) At Common Law.

So a Copyholder shall have Trespass by the Common Law, for a Trespass done upon his Copyhold. *Per Danby*, 7 Ed. 4. 19. a. 2 H. 4. 12. a.

And shall have it against his Lord, if he enters upon him without Cause. *Per Danby*, 7 Ed. 4. 19. *Per Brian*, 21 Ed. 4. 80. Co. L. 60. b.

Or, if he cuts down Trees, not being Timber. R. 1 Leo. 272.

So an Action upon the Case lies against the Lord, if he cuts down Timber, when by the Custom it belongs to the Copyholder. *Vide Ante*, (K. 7.)

So the Lessee of a Copyholder shall maintain an Ejectment at Common Law. R. 4 Co. 26; *Melwich*. D. Mo. 128, 272. R. Mo. 539, 569. *Per* 3 J. cont. Cro. El. 483. 717. R. acc. Cro. El. 224. 1 Leo. 328. Cro. El. 535.

Otherwise, if the Lessee has not a rightful Estate; As, if the Lease be for several Years without Licence, he shall not have an Ejectment against the Lord. D. Lit. 234.

Nor against a Stranger. *Dub. Lit.* 234.

So, if a Man ousts a Copyholder of a Manor in the King's Hands, he cannot maintain an Ejectment. R. 3 Leo. 221.

So a Copyholder cannot maintain Ejectment upon the Demise of the Lord by Copy. Cro. El. 224. 1 Leo. 328.

So, if a *Replevin* be upon a Distress for Rent of a Copyhold, the Defendant may avow for it in the King's Court. R. Cro. El. 524.

So an *Ejectione Custodiæ* lies for a Guardian, appointed by the Lord of the Manor according to the Custom; for he does not claim by Copy, but has an Interest at Common Law. R. Cro. El. 224. 1 Leo. 328.

(P. 4.) Pleading of Copyhold.

If a Man entitles himself to a Copyhold, he ought in Pleading to shew a Grant by the Lord to him. Cro. Car. 190. *Vide Pleader*, (E. 19.)

So, if he entitles himself under A. he ought to shew a Grant to A. R. 2 Cro. 103. R. Cro. Car. 190.

But it is only Form, and aided upon a general Demurrer. *Per* 3 J. Cro. Car. 190. *Semb. Cont.* 2 Cro. 103.

And if he entitles himself to the Reversion after the Death of A. it is sufficient to shew a Grant of the Reversion, without shewing a Grant of the Estate to A. R. 2 Cro. 52.

It is not sufficient, to plead that the Tenements are granted by Copy, without saying, *ad voluntatem Domini*. Lut. 1166, 1171. R. Lut. 126. *Semb. Cro. Car.* 229.

[Copyhold must be stated, or found, or pleaded to have been demiseable by Copy of Court-roll Time out of Mind, or it will not be adjudged Copyhold. *Roe v. Newman*, P. 33 G. 2. 2 *Wils.* 125.]

So he cannot plead, that they are Copyhold, and descendible to the Heir; for that is a Contradiction. *R. upon a special Demurrer*, *Lut.* 1328.

That *A.* was seised in Fee *secundum Consuetudinem Manerii*, without saying by Copy, or the like. *R. 3 Bul.* 230.

But the Omission of, *ad voluntatem Domini*, shall be aided after Verdict. *R. 1 Sal.* 365.

So it is not sufficient to plead, that the Land is demiseable Time whereof, &c. without saying, in Fee, or for Life, &c. *Sav.* 131.

That the Copyhold was granted by the Steward, without naming him. *Ibid.*

The Form of pleading an Admittance to a Copyhold, *Vide Co. Ent.* 575. *b.*

Of a Surrender and Admittance thereupon, *Co. Ent.* 645. *d.*

Of a Surrender by an Husband and Wife, 3 *Lev.* 147. *Co. Ent.* 576. *b.*

Of a Surrender to the Use of a Will, *Lut.* 759, 794.

To two Tenants, 3 *Lev.* 128. *Co. Ent.* 575. *b.*

By Attorney, *Lut.* 760.

To the Lord out of the Manor, *Lut.* 677.

Of a Grant and Admittance to a Reversion, *Co. Ent.* 184, 185.

If a Copyholder claims Common, or other Profit, *in alieno solo*, he ought to prescribe in the Name of the Lord. *R. 4 Co.* 31. *b.* *Foist.* *Cro. El.* 390. *Mo.* 461. *Lut.* 1327. *1 Sal.* 170.

But if he claims it within the Manor, he ought to alledge it by way of a Custom; for he cannot prescribe in himself, for the Baseness of his Estate. *R. 4 Co.* 31. *b.* *Cro. El.* 390. *Mo.* 461. *Lut.* 1326. *R. 6 Co.* 60. *b.*

And therefore, if he alledges a Custom within his Manor, *quod quilibet Tenens Customar'* of such a Tenement shall have Common of Estovers in another Manor, it is bad. *R. Dy.* 363. *b.* 4 *Co.* 31. *b.*

But if a Copyholder pleads a Lease, it is not necessary to plead a Custom; for it shall be intended pursuant to the Custom, if the contrary be not shewn on the other Side. *D. 1 Leo.* 100.

So he may plead a Demise for a Year, without a Licence. *Co. Ent.* 576. *a.* *Win. Ent.* 998.

But a Demise for several Years shall be pleaded with a Licence. *Co. Ent.* 185. *a.*

If a Copyholder alledges a Custom, it is more proper to say positively, *Quod infra manerium talis habet Consuetudo*, &c. *Semb. Lut.* 1188, 9.

Yet it is sufficient to say, *Eo quod secundum Consuetudinem*. &c. *R. Lut.* 1190.

Or, *Quod cum per Consuetudinem Manerii habere debeat*. *R. 1 Sal.* 365, after a Verdict.

If a Copyholder alledges a Custom within the Manor for Common, &c. it is not necessary to say, what Estate they have in their Tenements; for be it for Life, for Years, or in Fee, the Common, &c. belongs to them for the Time. *R. 2 Saund.* 326.

So it is not necessary to say, that Common belongs *ad Statum Customarium*; for, *ad Tenementa sua prædicta spectant*. is sufficient. *R. 1 Sal.* 366.

(Q) Manor.

(Q. 1.) What shall be.

ALL Copyholds, regularly, are Parcel of a Manor. *Vide Ante*, (B. 2.)

A Manor commenced, where the King granted Lands with Jurisdiction to another, who before the *St. Quia Emptores terrarum* granted Parcel of them to others, to hold of him by certain Services. *Co. L.* 58.

Every Manor consists of Demesnes and Services.

If

If Parceners make Partition of a Manor, and Parcel of the Demesnes and Services are allotted to one, and Parcel to the other; each has a Manor. 2 Rol. 122. l. 15.

And if, by Descent the Part of one comes to the other, it shall be one Manor again. 2 Rol. 122. l. 25.

So, if a Manor extends to A. and B. and he grants the Demesnes and Services in A. The Grantee has a Manor, and the Grantor has another Manor in B. Per 2 J. Cro. El. 19. Per 2 J. Periam cont. Cro. El. 39 Ow. 138.

So a Manor may be Parcel of another Manor, and held of it. 1 Bul. 54.

So it may be held of another, by Copy, Vide Ante, (C. 1.)

(Q. 2.) What is Parcel of a Manor.

The Demesnes are Parcel of a Manor.

So Rents and Services. 2 Rol. 120.

So a Rent-seck may be Parcel of a Manor; for it may have a lawful Commencement, by Release from the Lord to the Tenant, reserving the Rent, or by Purchase of the Tenancy by the Lord *paramount*. 2 Rol. 120. l. 25.

So, Rent for Owelty of Partition. 2 Rol. 120. l. 30.

If a Man makes a Gift in Tail, or a Lease for Life or Years of Part of the Demesnes of a Manor; the Reversion continues Parcel of the Manor. Co. L. 324. b. Win. 46. R. Cro. Car. 308.

So, if he leases all the Demesnes for Life, or Years, rendring Rent; the Reversion is Parcel of the Manor. 2 Rol. 120. l. 50.

So, if he grants an Advowson, &c. for Life; the Reversion continues Parcel of the Manor. 2 Rol. 121. l. 2.

If Husband and Wife join in a Lease for Life of Part of the Wife's Manor; the Reversion continues Parcel, for the Wife's joining prevents a Discontinuance. 2 Rol. 120. l. 45.

If a Bishop makes a Lease for Life, not warranted by Statute; the Reversion is Parcel of the Manor, for the Lease makes no Discontinuance. R. 2 Rol. 121. l. 25.

So, if the Lord leases the whole Manor for Years, except one Acre; this is Parcel of the Manor. Co. L. 325. a. R. 5 Co. 11. b. Cro. El. 522. Dub. Pl. Com. 104.

So, if he leases an Acre for Years, and afterwards lease the whole Manor for several Years; this Acre passes as Parcel, without Attornment of the Lessee. 2 Rol. 121. l. 15.

So, if Parceners continue a Residue of the Manor in Parcenary, but divide Part of the Demesnes; they continue Parcel of the Manor. Sav. 113.

(Q. 3.) What is not a Manor.

But a Manor cannot begin at this Day. 2 Rol. 120. l. 10. Cro. El. 39.

And therefore, if a Man makes Gifts in Tail, &c. rendring Rent, and Suit at Court, it shall not be a Manor; for he cannot make a Court, tho' the Tenure is good. 2 Rol. 120. l. 15.

If the King grants, rendring Rent, *tenend.* of his Manor of G. The Services are not Parcel of his Manor. Cro. El. 39.

(Q. 4.) What is a Severance of a Manor.

So Land held in Fee of a Manor is not Parcel of a Manor, but the Rent and Services only. 2 Rol. 120. C.

So an Annuity cannot be Parcel of a Manor. 2 Rol. 120. l. 20.

Nor a Rent-charge. Co. El. 150. b.

So, if the Lord makes a Gift in Tail, or leases the Manor for Life, saving one Acre, this being severed from the Freehold does not remain Parcel of the Manor. Co. El. 325. a. 5 Co. 11. b.

So

So if he leases the Manor for Life, except the Advowson, &c. it is not Parcel of the Manor. 2 Rol. 121. l. 5. 5 Co. 11. b.

So, if Husband and Wife seised of the Wife's Manor make a Lease of Part for Life, and afterwards grant the Reversion to the Lessee, it will be severed from the Manor. 2 Rol. 121. l. 10.

So, if Tenant in Tail makes a Lease for Life of a Tenement, Part of his Manor, not warranted by the Statute; it is severed from the Manor, for it makes a Discontinuance. R. 2 Rol. 121. l. 35. Win. 46.

If there be a Partition, and one has the Demesnes of the Manor, and the other the Services, the Demesnes are severed from the Manor. Sav. 113.

Or, where one has the Manor, the other an Advowson, Villein, &c. these are severed. Ibid.

So, if the Wife of the Lord of the Manor demands, and recovers Dower, by the Name of the third Part of *tot Messuag' tot acr. Terr'*, &c. she shall not have any Manor. Ow. 4.

Tho' the Sheriff delivers to her Seisin of the third Part of the Demesnes, and Services; for as to the Services, it is void. R. Ow. 4.

So, if there be an Extent of *tot acr' Terr'*, &c. neither the Manor, nor any Thing appendant passes. Ow. 4.

If an Advowson, Acre of Land, &c. be severed from the Manor, tho' they be regranted, they shall never afterwards be appendant. 2 Mod. 2. Vide *Appendant and Appurtenant*, (D.)

(Q. 5.) Manor, how destroyed.

If all the Freeholds escheat to the Lord, the Manor is extinct; for there cannot be a Manor, without a Court Baron, nor a Court, without two Suitors at least. 2 Rol. 122. l. 2, 5.

So, if the Lord purchase all of them in Fee. 2 Rol. 122. l. 2.

So, if all the Services are extinct, the Manor fails. Yel. 191.

So, if a Manor descends to Parceners, and upon Partition all the Demesnes are allotted to one, and all the Services to the other; the Manor is gone. 2 Rol. 122. l. 10. Per 3 J. 1 Leo. 204.

(Q. 6.) How revived.

But where the Severance which destroys a Manor is by Act of the Law, it may be revived: **As, if the** Demesnes are allotted to one Parcener, and the Services to the other, **and one** dies without Issue, whereby her Part descends to her Sister, the Manor shall be revived. 2 Rol. 122. l. 10, 25. 1 Leo. 204.

(Q. 7.) How it shall be pleaded.

If a Man pleads, that he or another is seised of a Manor, he ought to alledge the Name of the Manor, and it is not sufficient to say, that he was seised of a Manor in such a Parish. R. 2 Lev. 178.

(R. 1.) Court-Baron.

TO every Manor a Court-Baron is incident. Co. L. 58.

And therefore, in a *Quo Warranto* for holding a Court-Baron, it is sufficient to plead, that he has a Manor. 1 Bul. 54. 2 Cro. 260.

And if he pleads, that he has a Manor, he ought not to prescribe for holding a Court-Baron. R. Noy 20.

So, if he grants a Manor, the Court-Baron passes as incident.

Tho' he excepts all Courts; for the Exception is void, unless in the Case of the King. R. Mo. 870.

And the Profits of Courts may be excepted by a common Person. Ibid.

So, if the Court of a Manor prescribes for Suit *bis in Anno*, it may be a Court-Baron. *Sal. 604.*

But there cannot be a Court-Baron without Freeholders. *Co. L. 58. a.*

And therefore, where a Manor is granted by Copy, it may have a Customary Court, but shall not have a Court-Baron. *R. 2 Cro. 260. Yel. 190.*

(R. 2.) Customary Court.

So a Manor has a Customary Court, as well as a Court-Baron. *Co. L. 58. a.*

And this concerns the Copyhold Tenants only. *Ibid.*

And may be held without Freeholders. *Ibid.*

If a Manor has a Court of a double Nature, *viz.* Customary and Court-Baron, the Proceedings of both may be entred in the same Roll. *Ibid.*

But there cannot be a Customary Court without Copyholders. *Ibid.*

(R. 3.) Who shall be Judge.

In a Court-Baron the Freeholders are the Judges. *Co. L. 58. a.*

Tho' it be upon a Writ of *Right Patent*, directed to the Lord, or his Bailiffs, *Quod Rectum teneant.* *R. Mo. 1.*

But in the Customary Court the Lord or his Steward is the Judge. *Co. L. 58. a.*

(R. 4.) In what Place it shall be held.

The Court-Baron ought to be held within the Manor, otherwise it will be void. *Co. L. 58. a.*

But, by Custom, the Lord may hold a Court, within one Manor, for several Manors. *Co. L. 58. a. Cro. Car. 367.*

So a Surrender may be made out of the Manor. *Vide Ante, (F. 2, &c.)*

So, an Admittance by the Lord himself, tho' not by the Steward. *Vide Ante, (G. 7.)*

So a Court may be held in the Night, *post occasum Solis.* *R. Mo. 68.*

(R. 5.) Steward.

(R. 5.) A Steward ought to be *fidelis, discretus, &c.* *Fleta, lib. 2. cap. 66. Co. L. 61. b.*

And may be retained by Deed, or by *Parol.* *Co. L. 61. b. R. Dy. 248. a.*

A Retainer by *Parol* may be for a Court-Leet, as well as for a Court-Baron. *Co. L. 61. b.*

A Retainer by *Parol* continues till it be discharged. *Ibid.*

A Steward may make a Deputy.

And a Grant to an Infant to be Steward *per-se, vel Deputat'*, will be good. *Cont. Co. L. 3 b. Cro. El. 637. R. acc. Cro. Car. 279. Jon. 310. R. 2 Jon. 126. Vide Infant, (C. 1.) Vide Officer, (B. 3.)*

So a Grant in Reversion shall be good. *R. 2 Jon. 126.*

Or, a Grant to two. *R. 2 Jon. 127.*

Or, a Grant for Years, if the Grantee so long live. *Ibid.*

So a Grant of a Stewardship of Courts Leet and Baron shall be good for the Court-Baron; tho' it would not for the Leet. *R. 2 Jon. 126. 2 Lev. 245.*

Who is a sufficient Steward to make a Grant, &c. *Vide Ante, (C. 5.)*

(R. 6.) A Steward may make a Grant or Admittance, or take a Surrender of Copyholds. *Vide Ante, (C. 5.—F. 3.—G. 6, 7.)*

The Duty of the Steward.

(R. 7.) The Form of holding the Court.

(R. 7.) The usual Method of holding a Court-Baron, or Leet is, that the Steward makes a Precept to give reasonable Warning of the Court. *Kit. 6. a.*

Precept for it.

Warning

Warning for fifteen Days is best, which is the common Time between the *Teste* and Return of a Writ in C. B. *Kit. 6. a.*

But six or seven Days is sufficient. *Ibid.*

A Precept to warn a Court. *A. B. Seneschallus Ballivo Manerii prædicti Salutem. Tibi præcipio & pariter mando quod diligenter præmonire facias Visum Franc' Pleg' cum Curia Baron' ibidem tenend' erga diem Jovis videlicet 12^m diem Octobris prox' futur' post Datum præsent' Et habeas ibi hoc præcept' & qualiter, &c. Dat' sub Sigillo meo 1^o die hujus Mensis Octobris Anno Regni, &c.*

(R. 8.) Stile of the Court.

The Stile of the Court contains the Time and Place, and before what Steward it is held. *Kit. 6 b. 53. b.*

The Stile of a Court. *Visus Franc' Pleg' cum Curia Baron' J. B. Militis Domini Manerii prædicti ibidem tent' die Jovis videlicet 12^o die Octobris Anno Regni, &c. Fidei Defensoris, &c. 19^o coram A. B. Arm. Seneschallo ibidem.*

(R. 9.) Proclamation.

After the Stile of the Court is entred, the Steward causes the Bailiff to make Proclamation by *O yes*. *Kit. 6 b. 53. b.*

None can make Proclamation, but by Authority of the King, or by Custom. *Kit. 6. b.*

At the Adjournment of a Term, or other Matter for the King, three Proclamations shall be made at the Beginning. *Ibid.*

And therefore, at the Beginning of a Court-Leet, which is the King's Court, three *O yes* shall be made. *Ibid.*

At the Beginning of a Court-Baron but one. *Ibid.*

R. 10.) Effoigns, &c.

After Proclamation made, the Suitors, or Refiants, shall be called. *Kit. 6. b. 53. b.*

Then Proclamation shall be made *de novo*, and afterwards the Steward shall say, *If any one will be effoigned or enter Plaint let him come in.* *Kit. 7. a. 53. b.*

And he may be effoigned by Attorney. *1 Leo. 104.*

(R. 11.) Enquest.

After Effoigns, and Plaints entred, the Enquest shall be impanelled and sworn. *Kit. 7. a. 53. b.*

(R. 12.) Charge.

After the Enquest sworn, and the Proclamation *de novo*, the Steward gives a Charge to the Enquest. *Kit. 7. b. 53. b.*

The Charge admonishes them to present Suitors, who make Default in doing Suit. *Vide Kit. 54. b.*

2. The Death of every Tenant, and who is Heir, and what Profit accrues to the Lord by his Death, *viz.* Relief, Heriot, &c. *Vide Kit. 55. a.*

3. Forfeiture of any Tenant by Alienation, Waste, &c. *Ibid.*

4. Substraction of Lands, or Services, from the Lord. *Vide Kit. 55. b.*

5. Incroachment or Trespas in his Demesnes, or Waste. *Vide Kit. 57. a.*

6. Inclosure or Sur-charge, &c. of Common. *Vide Kit. 57. b.*

Vide Kit. 54. b, &c.

(R. 13.)

(R. 13.) Jurisdiction.

(R. 13.)
In Actions
Personal.
When allow-
ed.

A Court-Baron may hold Plea of Actions Personal, where the Debt or Damages are under 40s. *Noy 20. Vide Kit. 74. b.*

As, in Debt. *Vide Kit. 74. a.*

So, in Debt upon Bond under 40s. *Vide Kit. 75. a.*

So, in an Action upon the Case under 40s. *Vide Kit. 76. a.*

So, in *Detinue* of Goods. *Vide Kit. 74. b.*

So, in Trespass, without *vi & armis*, under 40s. *Vide Kit. 74. a.*

So an Action lies there by the Lord himself; for the Suitors are the Judges, *Ibid.*

So, by a Stranger, who comes into the Manor. *Vide Kit. 74. b.*

(R. 14.)
When not.

But a Court-Baron cannot hold Plea of Common Right, above 40s. *Vide County, (C. 8.)*

And if it does by Prescription, it is not properly a Court-Baron, but a Court of Record, and Error will lie upon a Judgment there. *Noy 20.*

So it cannot divide a Debt into several Pleas, each under 40s. *Vide Kit. 74. a.*

So Trespass does not lie there *vi & armis*. *Vide Kit. 74. b. 75. b.*

Nor Trespass by *Justicies*; for it cannot be directed to the Steward. *Vide Kit. 74. b.*

So, in Trespass without *vi & armis*, if the Defendant pleads Freehold, the Court cannot proceed. *Vide Kit. 74. a.*

Or, if he pleads, that the Plaintiff is his Villein. *Ibid.*

So Accompt does not lie in a Court-Baron. *Vide Kit. 74. b.*

Nor *Detinue* of Charters. *Vide Kit. 74. a. 75. b.*

Nor *Replevin*, except where the Lord claims it, by Charter or Prescription. *Kit. 74. b.*

Nor Waste. *Vide Kit. 76. a.*

Nor Ejectment of Ward. *Ibid.*

Nor *Ejectione firmæ*. *Ibid.*

Nor Affize. *Ibid.*

Nor *Quare impedit*, or other mixt Action. *Ibid.*

Nor an Action upon any Statute. *Ibid.*

If an Action be sued in a Court-Baron, in which it has no Jurisdiction, Prohibition may be sued. *Vide Kit. 74. a. 75. a.*

So, if a Plea be pleaded which ousts the Jurisdiction there. *Vide Kit. 75. a.*

So, if the Defendant pleads, that the Cause of Action did not arise within the Jurisdiction, and the Plea is disallowed, upon *Affidavit* a Prohibition shall go. *Vide Kit. 74, 75, &c.*

So, to Trespass *vi & armis*, a *Supersedeas* may be granted. *Vide Kit. 75. b.*

So, if it has no Jurisdiction, the Proceeding there is void, and Trespass lies. *Ibid.*

(R. 15.)
In Actions
to Land.
Fr chold.

So in a Court-Baron a Writ of *Right Patent* may be sued, directed to the Lord, or, if he be out of the Realm, to his Bailiff, to do Right, where his Tenant in Fee loses by Default, or dies seised, and a Stranger abates.

When it lies, and of what Thing, or not, *Vide Droit, (B. 1, 2.)*

And if the Lord refuses to hold a Court, or to receive the Writ, or to do Right, a Writ may be sued against him by the Demandant to command him so to do. *F. N. B. 3. E.*

And hereupon he may have an *Alias Pluries*, and Attachment. *F. N. B. 3. E.*

Or Demandant may remove the Plea out of the Court-Baron by *Tolt* to the County, and by *Pone* from the County to C. B. without Cause alledged. *F. N. B. 3. F.*

So the Tenant, with Cause, may remove it by *Recordari*. *F. N. B. 4. A.*

But if a Court-Baron holds Plea of Freehold without Writ, the Judgment and Execution thereupon shall be void, and he who enters upon such Execution will be a Disseisor. *Kit. 74. b.*

And by the *St. de Marl. 52 H. 3. 22. Nullus possit distringere liberos Tenentes ad respondend' de libero Tenement' aut de aliquibus ad liberum Tenementum spectan' sine Brevi Domini Regis.*

So the Lord after, or before a Writ directed to him, may give a Licence to his Tenant to sue a Writ of Right in C. B. whereupon he shall have Right *Quia Dominus remittit Curiam. F. N. B. 2. F. Vide Droit, (B. 1.—C. 2.)*

Or, if such Clause be omitted, the Lord may certify his Assent by Letter to the King in Chancery. *F. N. B. 3. A.*

Or, if the Tenant sues in C. B. without such Letter or Clause and recovers, it shall be good, and the Lord or Tenant cannot avoid it. *F. N. B. 3. B.*

So if a Writ of *Right Patent* be sued in a Court-Baron, and the *Mise* joined upon *Battail*, or to be tried by the Grand Assize, the Court cannot proceed. *F. N. B. 4. E.*

Or, if a foreign Plea be pleaded. *F. N. B. 4. E.*

If the Court-Baron proceeds after a foreign Plea pleaded, or the *Mise* joined upon the Grand Assize, a Prohibition goes. *F. N. B. 4. E.*

So a Copyholder shall implead, or be impleaded for his Tenements, by Plaint (R. 16.) in the Nature of a Real Action in the Court-Baron; for he cannot implead by Copyhold. the King's Writ. *Lit. S. 76.*

And therefore, he may make Plaint *de placito Terræ*, with Protestation to sue in the Nature of a *Formedon, Mortd'ancestor, Assize, &c. Ibid.*

Or, in Nature of a Writ of Entry *in the Post*; and shall proceed thereupon as in such Action at Common Law. *Mo. 68.*

The Form of Proceeding in *Right Patent, Vide in Droit, (B. 1, &c.)*

(R. 17.) Trial.

In a Court-Baron all Pleas of Common Right ought to be determined by Wager of Law. *2 Inst. 143. Vide County, (C. 11.)*

But by Prescription, a Trial may be by Jury. *2 Inst. 143.*

Or, *ex assensu Partium. Bro. Trial 143.*

(R. 18.) Execution.

If a Recovery be in the Court of the Manor in a Personal Action, the Plaintiff shall not have Execution by *Capias ad Satisfaciendum*; for that does not lie (R. 18.) in a Court-Baron. *Kit. 115. b.* In Personal Actions,

Nor by *Elegit*; for that was given by the *St. W. 2. 18. Vide Kit. 115. b.*

Nor, regularly by *Fieri facias*, or *Levari facias. Vide Kit. 115. b.*

But the Plaintiff upon a Precept from the Steward, regularly, ought to distrain the Goods of the Defendant, and hold them in the Nature of a Distress, till he satisfies the Condemnation. *1 Sal. 221. Vide Kit. 115. b.*

And he cannot sell the Distress, tho' it be the King's Manor. *R. 2 Cro. 255.*

Or, by Custom, he may take Execution by *Levari facias*, and appraise the Goods, and sell them. *Kit. 115. b. Lut. 1413. 1 Sal. 201.*

Or the Lord may prescribe to sell the Goods, upon an Execution. *Noy 20.*

So, in an Action for Copyhold Lands, pursued in the Nature of a real Action (R. 19.) at Common Law, Execution shall be by Precept from the Steward to the Bailiff In Real. to deliver Seisin. *Kit. 254. b.*

But C. B. will not aid a Court-Baron, with Process to put the Party into Possession with a *Posse Manerii. R. 3 Leo. 9.*

So, if a Judgment there be removed by *Certiorari* to B. R. Execution shall not be awarded thence. R. 1 Lev. 134.

How Error shall be redressed, *Vide Ante*, (P. 1, 2.)

(8) Custom; The Nature of it.

(S. 1.) Must be alledged in a particular Place.

WHAT a Copyholder may, or ought to do, or not, the Custom of the Manor directs. Co. L. 63. a.

Every Custom is local, and shall be alledged not in the Person, as a Prescription, but in the Manor, or other Place. Co. L. 113. b.

And it is *Lex loci*; for in such a particular Place it binds the Persons, or Things concerned, as another Law. Dav. 31. b.

Custom may be alledged in a Manor, or other particular Place. Co. L. 113. b.

In a City, or Burrough. Kit. 105. a.

In a Vill, not Burrough or Corporate. Ibid.

So, in a County; as *Gavelkind*. Ibid.

In a Hundred, or County, as the *Weld of Kent*, &c.

But it cannot be alledged for the whole Kingdom; for that is the Common Law. Kit. 105. a.

(S. 2.) Must be Time out of Mind.

To every Custom there are two inseparable Incidents, Time, and Usage. Co. L. 113. b. *Vide Præscription*, (E. 1.)

And therefore, continual Usage, and Practice, from Time whereof no Memory is to the contrary, makes a Custom. Dav. 32. a.

But a Custom cannot be established by the King's Grant. Ibid.

Nor, by Act of Parliament. Ibid.

(S. 3.) Must be reasonable.

(S. 3.) Every Custom, that is not contrary to Reason, may be allowed. Co. L. 62. What shall be so. a. *Vide Præscription*, (E. 4.)

(S. 4.) A Custom may be reasonable, tho' it be contrary to a Rule, or Maxim of Law. Tho' contrary to a Rule of Law. Dav. 32. a.

As, the Custom of *Gavelkind*, that all the Sons shall inherit. Dav. 32. a. Lit. S. 210. *Vide Gavelkind*.

Or, *Burrough English*, that the Youngest Son shall inherit. Co. L. 140. b.

Or the Youngest Son, if he be not of the half Blood. Ibid.

Or the Eldest Daughter, or Sister, &c. Co. L. 140. b. *Vide Ante*, (K. 4.) *Vide Burrough English*.

So a Custom, that a Feoffment by Tenant in Tail with Warranty, shall not make a Discontinuance. Dav. 30. a. 1 Rol. 562. l. 47.

That the Wife shall not have Dower, where she receives Money upon Sale of the Land. Dav. 30. b. 1 Rol. 562. l. 50.

That a Widow, if she marries, shall not have Dower. 1 Rol. 562. l. 52.

That a Lease for Years, by a Copyholder, shall determine with his Life. R. Hut. 101.

That an Infant, at the Age of fifteen, may make a Feoffment. 1 Rol. 567. K.

That he may bind himself Apprentice. 1 Rol. 567. l. 12.

(S. 5.) So a Custom may be reasonable, tho' there be a general Provision by Statute to the contrary, if the Custom is not expressly taken away; as, a Custom that a Tenant within the *Cinque Ports* shall not be in Ward. Dy. 288, 289. Pal. 543. *Vide Præscription*, (F. 3.)

So a Custom shall be reasonable, if it be for the Common Benefit, tho' it tends to the Prejudice of a particular Person. *Dav. 32. b.*

As, a Custom to make a Bulwark for the Defence of the Realm, upon the Land of another. *Ibid.*

Or to dry his Nets upon the Land of another. *Ibid.*

So, to turn his Plow upon the Headland of another; for it is for the Benefit of Agriculture. *Dav. 30. a. 32. b.*

So, that a Searcher shall destroy all corrupt Victual, which shall be put to Sale within a Manor. *Per 3 J. North dub. 1 Mod. 202. 2 Mod. 56.*

So a Custom shall be reasonable, which may have had a reasonable Commencement, tho' otherwise it would be unreasonable. *Vide Post, (S. 10.)*

As, a Custom, that every Tenant of a Manor shall pay 3 *l.* for a Pound-breach, tho' it would not be good for a Stranger; for the Lord may give his Tenements upon such Terms. *Kit. 104. b. Vide Post, (S. 13.)*

That every Tenant, who holds Land in *Villenage*, shall pay a Fine upon the Marriage of his Daughter. *Kit. 104. b. Co. L. 140. a.*

That one shall have Liberty to plow, and sow, and after the Corn is carried away, another shall have the Land as his Several. *Kit. 104. b.*

That a Commoner shall not put Cattle upon the Common, after the Corn is carried away, till *Michaelmas*. *Kit. 105. a.*

That every Ship shall pay so much *per Ton* of all Merchandise, in such an Haven. *1 Sid. 18.*

[A Custom may be good, tho' it tends to diminish the Value of the Lord's Estate. *Fawcett v. Lowther, T. 1751. 2 Vezey 300.*]

So a Custom may be reasonable, tho' the Right of another be restrained: As, a Custom in Restraint of Trade in some Respects. *Vide Trade, (D. 2.)*

A Custom, that a Lord may have a Bakehouse for his Tenants in the Vill, and that none else shall bake there to sell. *R. 1 Rol. 559. l. 20.*

That all the Inhabitants of a Vill shall grind the Grain they use there, at his Mill. *R. 1 Rol. 559. l. 40.*

[But a Custom to grind all Corn, Grain or Malt, which a Man shall have occasion to use or spend, at the Mill of *A.* is unreasonable; for it may extend to Corn for Horses, and at whatever Distance the Tenant may live. *Ld. Uxbridge v. Staveland, M. 1747. 1 Vezey 56.*]

[A Custom for all those who have any Land in a common Field to inclose as much thereof as they please, is good. *Barber v. Dixon, H. 17 G. 2. Wilf. 44.*]

So a Custom in general Words ought to have a reasonable Construction; as, to distrain all Things upon the Land, shall be intended of all Things distrainable. *1 Sid. 18.*

But a Custom is not reasonable, which cannot have had a reasonable Commencement. *Dav. 32. a. Vide Ante, (S. 7.)*

For a Custom need not have a lawful Commencement, as a Prescription, but ought to be reasonable in its Commencement. *6 Co. 60. b.*

And therefore, the Custom of *Tanistry* in *Ireland*, that Land shall go *Seniori & Dignissimo* of the Blood and Surname, is unreasonable; for it commenced by Power of the most Potent. *R. Dav. 34. b.*

So a Custom, contrary to the Law of God, is not reasonable. *Vide Kit. 105. a.*

Nor a Custom, contrary to the King's Prerogative; for *Nullum Tempus occurrat Regi*. *Dav. 33. b. Vide Prescription, (F. 1.)*

As, a Custom to make a Corporation. *Dav. 33. b.*

So a Custom, that Goods distrained within a Manor for the King's Debt, shall be brought to the Lord's Pound for three Days, and if the Debt in that Time be paid, they shall be restored. *1 Rol. 566. l. 30.*

So

(S. 6.)
If for a common Benefit, tho' it tends to a particular Prejudice.

(S. 7.)
If it may have had a reasonable Commencement.

(S. 8.)
Tho' the Right of another be restrained.

(S. 9.)
If in general Words.

(S. 10.)
What is not reasonable. If it cannot have had a reasonable Commencement.

(S. 11.)
If contrary to the Law of God.

(S. 12.)
Or, contrary to the King's Prerogative.

So a Custom to retain Goods pledged till the Money lent be satisfied, does not extend to the Jewels of the Crown. *Dav. 33. b.*

So, if a Man has Wreck, Estrays, Toll, &c. it does not extend to the Goods of the King. *1 Rol. 566. l. 37.*

(S. 13.) Nor, a Custom to the general Prejudice, for the Advantage of any particular Person. *Dav. 33. a.*

If it be to a general Prejudice, for the Advantage of a particular Person. As a Custom, that no Commoner shall put his Cattle on the Common till the Lord has put his Cattle there. *Dav. 32. b.*

That no Tenant shall marry his Daughter, till he pays a Fine to the Lord, *Dav. 33. a. Lit. S. 209.*

That the Lord shall take the Cattle of a Stranger *levant* and *couchant* upon the Land, for his Heriot. *Dav. 33. a. Vide Ante, (K. 25.)*

Or shall take 3 *l.* of every Stranger for a Pound-breach. *Dav. Vide 33. a. Ante. (S. 7.)*

That a Tenant shall be amerced, if he does not put his Cattle in the Lord's Pound. *Dav. 33. a. R. 21 H. 7. 20.*

That a Man, who does not pay as much as is due to the Church, shall forfeit so much to the Lord of the same Vill. *21 H. 7. 20.*

That a Tenant fishing in the Sea near his Land, unless in the Lord's Boat, shall pay so much to the Lord. *Vide 21 H. 7. 20.*

(S. 14.) Or, to the Prejudice of any, where there is not an equal Prejudice or Advantage to others. Nor, a Custom to the Prejudice of any one, where there is not an equal Prejudice or Advantage to others, in the same Case; as, that the Sheep of several Owners, upon the same Tenement, shall be counted *in simul*, and decimated; for one may pay all his Lambs for Tithes, and another nothing. *R. Heb. 329.*

(S. 15.) Nor, a Custom, that any one shall be Judge for himself; as, that the Lord shall detain a Distress taken upon his Demesnes, till Fine made for the Damage, at his Will. *Dav. 33. a. Lit. S. 212.*

(S. 16.) Nor a Custom against Common Right; as, that a Man shall have Warren in Land not held of him. *Kit. 104. b.*

That every Tenant of the Manor shall impound Cattle in the Lord's Pound, for he may impound upon his own Land. *Kit. 105. b.*

That if a Tenant ceases for two Years, the Lord shall enter till he agrees for the Arrears; for the Tenant will be ousted of his Inheritance without Action. *1 Rol. 559. l. 50.*

That a Feme Covert may make a Devise of her Lands. *1 Sid. 17.*

[Or that Feme-covert seized in Fee of Copyhold Lands may dispose of her Estate without her Husband's joining. *Stevens v. Tyrrel, H. 26 G. 2. 2 Wilf. 1.*]

Or that Tenant in Fee shall not devise his Lands in such a Vill. *1 Rol. 558. l. 15.*

Or, shall not lease for above six Years. *Ibid.*

That the Wife of a Tenant in Fee shall not be endowed. *1 Rol. 563. l. 1.*

That the Wife shall have Property of such a Part of the Goods during Cverture, and shall dispose of them without her Husband. *1 Rol. 563. l. 5. 609. l. 38.*

That every Freeholder shall pay a Fine to the Lord, upon the Marriage of his Daughter without Licence. *Co. L. 139, 140.*

(S. 17.) Nor, a Custom against a Right by Prescription; as, that any one may erect upon a new Foundation, to the Obstruction of antient Lights. *R. 1 Rol. 558. l. 50. 566. l. 5.*

So, if a Man prescribe for a Way, a Custom that another may stop it up, is void. *1 Rol. 566. l. 20.*

So, if he prescribe for Common Appendant or Appurtenant, a Custom that another may inclose, is void. *R. 1 Rol. 565. l. 50. Jon. 375. Cro. Car. 432. So*

So a Custom is not reasonable, which imports a Loss on one Side, without a Benefit in Consideration; as, that a Lord of a Manor shall have the best Anchor and Cable of every Ship, that strikes upon Soil within his Manor, and perishes there, tho' it be not a Wreck. *R. 3 Lev. 85. Vide 3 Lev. 307.*

Tho' it be alledged, that the Lord buries the Dead cast from the Ship; for that is a Matter of Charity. *3 Lev. 307.**

So, a Custom, that every Ship which passes the River shall pay such a Sum, because the City, &c. maintains a Key for all Goods unladen in the same City; for this does not extend to Ships which do not unlade there. *R. 1 Vent. 71.*

1 Mod. 47.

Or, because it maintains a Key, and Bushel for Measuring of all Goods. *R.*

2 Lev. 97. Ray 232. 1 Mod. 104.

Tho' the Goods are unladen at another Place in the same River. *2 Lev. 97.*

[So a Custom to sink Coal-pits, and lay the Rubbish, Coal, Wood, &c. near the Mouth, on the Land of another, at the Will of the Lord, is void; as unreasonable, uncertain, and tending to make a Man Judge in his own Cause. Determined in *C. B.* and affirmed unanimously on Error in *B. R.* *Wilkes v. Broadbent, P. 17 G. 2. Wilf. 63. Str. 1224.]*

(S. 19.) Must be certain.

So a Custom ought to be certain, otherwise it shall be void. *Dav. 33. a. Vide Præscription, (E. 3.)*

As a Custom, that an Infant may make a Feoffment, when he is of Age, to count 12 *d.* or measure an Ell of Cloth. *Dav. 33. a.*

That the Tenant of a Manor, shall have all Windfalls, who first comes to the Place where they fell. *Dav. 33. a. But Dav. 35. Semb. cont.*

That Land shall descend *Seniori & Dignissimo* of the Blood and Surname. *R. Dav. 35.*

So a Custom, that depends upon the Will or Pleasure of another, is uncertain and void: As, to have half a Mark, or a Horse, when the Sheriff holds his Tourn. *Dav. 33, a.*

That a Lease by a Copyholder for a Year, shall determine by a Surrender of the Copyholder into the Hands of the Lord. *Hut. 101.*

(S. 20.) Custom, how destroyed.

If a Custom be discontinued, it is gone. *Dav. 33. b.*

C O R N.

Vide Dismes, (H. 1.)—Biens, (G. 1, 2.)

C O R O N A T I O N.

Vide Roy, (C.)

Claims at a Coronation.

Vide Officer, (E. 6.)

C O R O N E R.

Vide Justices of Peace, (D. 7.)—London, (K. 6.)—Officer, (G. 1, &c.)

C O R P O R A T I O N.

Vide Franchises, (F. 1, &c.—G. 4, &c.)—Capacity.—Devise, (H. 5, 6.)—Discontinuance, (A. 1.)—London, (H.)—Pleader, (2 B. 1, 2.)

C O R R E C T I O N.

Vide Leet, (K.)—Pleader, (3 M. 19.)

House of Correction.

Vide Justices of Peace, (B. 82.)—Uses, (N. 9.)

C O S I N A G E.

Vide Affise, (D.)

C O S T S.

(A) When Costs shall be recovered.

(A. 1. By a Demandant, or Plaintiff.

BY the Common Law Costs were not recoverable in a Plea Real, Personal, or Mixt. 2 *Inst.* 288. 10 *Co.* 116. *a.*

But now, by the *St. of Glouc. 6 Ed. 1.* 1. the Demandant may recover the Costs of his Writ, in all Cases where he may recover Damages.

And this extends to all the Costs expended in the Suit. 2 *Inst.* 288.

And to Costs upon the first Writ, where the Plaintiff purchases another by *Journeys Accompts.* *Ibid.*

But he shall not have Allowance for his Trouble, or Loss of Time. *Ibid.*

And the *St. of Glouc. 6 Ed. 1.* 1. gives Costs, in all Cases where Damages are recoverable by the same or any former Act. 10 *Co.* 116. *a.*

So, where any subsequent Act gives Damages, in a Case where Damages were recoverable before. *Ibid.*

So, where a subsequent Statute *de novo* gives a certain Penalty and an Action for it to the Party grieved, he shall have Costs; otherwise he might lose by the Prosecution: As, in an Action upon the *St. 1 Ph. & M. 12.* for taking more than 4*d.* for a Distress, by which he loses 5*l.* *R. Cro. Car.* 560. 1 *Rol.* 516. *l.* 50. *Jon.* 447. 1 *Vent.* 133. *Mar.* 56.

In an Action upon the *St. 21 H. 8. 6.* which gives 40*s.* for taking a Mortuary not due. 1 *Rol.* 516. *l.* 35. *Co. Ent.* 164. *Lut.* 200.

Upon the *St. 5 El. 9.* which gives 10*l.* against a Witness who does not appear upon a *Subpœna.* *R. 1 Sal.* 206.

So, upon the *St. 13 El. 5.* which gives only a Moiety of the Penalty to the Party grieved, for using a fraudulent Deed. *Co. Ent.* 163. *Lut.* 200. 1 *Rol.* 517. *l.* 10.

So where, by a private Act, a Penalty is given to the Party grieved, the Plaintiff shall have Costs; for it is a Duty vested before the Action brought. *R. Skin.* 363, 367.

So in an Attachment upon a Prohibition, the Plaintiff shall have Costs, if the Defendant be found Guilty. 1 *Rol.* 516. *l.* 30. *R. 3 Lev.* 360. 2 *Inst.* 644.

So, if Judgment be by Default, and Damages found upon a Writ of Inquiry. *R. 2 Jon. 128. Ray. 387. 1 Vent. 348, 350.*

[If on a Writ of Inquiry Damages are given separately, and *pro misis & custagiis* 20 s. then Plaintiff releases the Damages as to two Counts, and has Judgment for the Residue, with Costs *de incremento*, it is well; for if Defendant has been at Expence as to the bad Count, the Court can make him an Allowance in the Costs *de incremento*. *Cutler v. Goodwin, P. 7 G. Str. 420.*]

And in Prohibition, if the Verdict be, that the Defendant proceeded after a Prohibition delivered. *1 Rol. 516. l. 25. R. Cro. Car. 559. Jon. 447.*

And now, by the *St. 8 & 9 W. 3. c. 11.* in all Suits upon Prohibition, if the Plaintiff has Judgment after Plea, or Demurrer.

[If Plaintiff in Prohibition prevails in any Part, he shall have Costs. *Middleton v. Croft, M. 10 G. 2. Str. 1056. B. R. H. 395. Andr. 57.*]

[If Husband and Wife are Plaintiffs in Prohibition, and Husband dies before Judgment, yet the Wife shall have Costs; for either the Suit is not abated at common Law, or it is helped by *Stat. 8 & 9 W. 3. c. 11. Ibid.*]

[After Judgment for Plaintiff in Prohibition, Costs shall be allowed from the first Motion. *Houghton v. Starkey, in Sc. H. 4 G. Str. 82. Fort. 348.*]

[In Prohibition, Costs commence from the Suggestion; and there shall be Costs of a feigned Issue directed to try a Fact for the Information of the Court. *Barnes 130.*]

[If Defendant in Prohibition forces Plaintiff to declare, and pleads nugatory Plea, (as that he had not proceeded in Spiritual Court after Prohibition) Court will on Motion give Costs; but this is not within *8 & 9 W. 3. c. 11. Barnes 148.*]

So the Plaintiff shall have Costs, in Debt for Costs assessed for not proving a Suggestion. *R. 1 Rol. 516. l. 40.*

And now, by the *St. 8 & 9 W. 3. c. 11.* in Debt upon the *St. 2 Ed. 6. 13.* for not setting out his Tithes, where the single Value found by the Jury does not exceed twenty Nobles.

[But none, if above. *Barnes 150.*]

And by the same Statute, in all Actions for Waste, where the single Value found does not exceed twenty Nobles.

And by the same Statute, the Plaintiff shall have Costs in a *Scire facias*, if he obtains an Award of Execution after Plea or Demurrer.

In a *Scire facias* upon a Recognizance by Bail. *Semb. 1 Sal. 208.*

[Equitable Costs may be levied out of the Penalty of a Bond, but not out of the Penalty of a Recognizance of Bail. *Baldwin v. Morgan, H. 2 G. 2. Str. 826.*]

So the Plaintiff shall have Costs, if he has Judgment upon Demurrer, where he would have had them upon a Verdict.

And in an Action against an Executor, or Administrator. *Hut. 79. D. Hard. 165.*

So, where several Damages are given, he shall have entire Costs, tho' he has Judgment only for Part. *Hob. 6.*

By the *St. 33 H. 8. 39.* In Suits upon Specialty to the King, or to another to his Use, the King shall recover his Costs and Damages as other Common Persons do in their Suits.

[In an Action on the Riot-Act, *1 G. 1. c. 5.* for pulling down the Plaintiff's Houses, brought against the Inhabitants of the Hundred, and in Action of Hue and Cry, full Costs. *Witham v. Hill, P. 32 G. 2. 2 Wils. 91. Barnes 151.*]

[On Recognizance forfeited, and Money levied, the Court will order Prosecutors Costs to be paid, and the Surplus returned. *R. v. Eyres. T 7 G. 3. 4 B. M. 2118.*]

[If Defendant does not go on to Trial by Proviso, according to Notice. *Wilkinson v. Poole, P. 1 G. 2. Str. 797.*]

[On Trial of a feigned Issue by Direction of a Court of Law, Costs follow the Verdict, and the Court has no discretionary Power; but when Issue is directed by Chancery, Costs are not given by this Court, but left to Chancery. *Herbert v. Williamjon, P. 25 G. 2. 1 Wils. 324.*]

[IF

[If there are three feigned Issues, and one only found for Plaintiff, he must have Costs, tho' the most material is found against him. *Tempest v. Medcalf*, T. 25 & 26 G. 2. 1 *Wils.* 331.]

[If on Motion for *quo warranto* Information, it is agreed to try the Corporation-right by a feigned Issue, in which the Prosecutor as Plaintiff prevails, he shall have Costs only from the Time when the feigned Issue was first agreed to and ordered, (which includes the Costs of the Disputes about settling the feigned Issue, in which Dispute Plaintiff prevails) but not Costs antecedent to such Consent. *Thomas v. Powell*, P. 31 G. 2. 1 *B. M.* 603.]

[If Defendant has Leave to amend Plea on Payment of Costs, and the Amendment does not deface the Record, and the Replication is not *de Novo*, but only altered so as to pursue the Alterations in the Plea; Costs on the Plea and Replication shall not be as if new, but only in Proportion to the Alterations made, and also for consulting Counsel if Replication *de novo* is necessary. *Rex v. Philips*, H. 32 G. 2. 2 *B. M.* 757.]

[To a Declaration of two Counts, if Defendant demurs to the one, and has Judgment for him, and pleads to the other, and Verdict against him; Plaintiff shall have Costs on the Verdict, but Defendant none on the Demurrer. *Astley v. Young*, T. G. 3. 2 *B. M.* 1232.]

[Defendant pleads several Pleas; Demurrer to some, and Judgment for Plaintiff; Issue on others, Plaintiff nonsuited; Plaintiff has Costs for the Demurrers, according to 4 *Ann.*, out of which are to be deducted Costs of Nonsuit. *Barnes* 136, 140, 141.]

[If Lessor of Plaintiff dies after Trial, Costs shall be paid to his Representative. *Barnes* 119.]

[If one Defendant in Ejectment confesses Lease, &c. and there is Judgment against him for a Third, and another does not confess, the Court will make a Rule against him for Costs. *Barnes* 121, 149.]

[Costs in one Cause may be set against Costs in another, if between the same Parties; otherwise not. *Barnes* 130, 145, 146.]

[If although Plea confesses Trespass, Plaintiff replies, and the Cause is tried, and Verdict for Defendant; yet the Court will give Judgment for Plaintiff, and Inquiry and Costs for all Proceedings but the Trial. *Barnes* 133.]

[In C. B. Costs of a former Assize, when Cause made a *Remanet*, not allowed, unless by Consent expressed in the Rule. In B. R. otherwise. *Barnes* 150, 153.]

[Costs of a *Remanet*, where neither Side are in Fault, attend the Event of the Cause generally, but on Circumstances otherwise, but the Application must be recent. *Sadler v. Evans*, M. 7 G. 3. 4 *B. M.* 1984.]

(A. 2.)
When a Plaintiff shall not recover Costs.
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But the Plaintiff shall not have Costs, where a Statute since the *St. of Gloucester* gives Damages generally, in a Case where no Damages at all were recoverable before: As, in *Quare Impedit*. 10 *Co.* 116. a. *Barnes* 139. *Cont.* where the Church was full at the Time of the *Quare Impedit*. *Skin.* 25.

So a Plaintiff, who sues *Qui tam*, &c. shall not have Costs, be the Penalty certain or uncertain. *R. 1 Vent.* 133. 1 *Sal.* 206.

As, upon the *St.* 31 *El.* 12. for not paying Toll for a Horse before Sale 3 *Lev.* 374. *Lut.* 200.

Upon the *St.* 5 *El.* 9. for 20*l.* against him who commits Perjury. *R. Hut.* 22. 1 *Brownl.* 66. *Dub. Cro. El.* 177.

[The Prosecutor in a *Noctanter* shall not have Costs. *Rex v. Glassenby*, H. 10 G. 2. *Str.* 1069. *B. R. H.* 355.]

So the Plaintiff shall not have Costs against the Garnishee in a foreign Attachment. *R. Cro. El.* 172.

Nor in a *Scire facias*, till the *St.* 8 & 9 *W.* 3. 11. *Lat.* 101. *Dal.* 95.

[If Plaintiff does not file an Affidavit used before the Prothonotary to augment Costs, C. B. will set the Judgment aside *Boseville v.* —, T. 11 & 12 G. 2. *Barnes* 126.]

[The Security shall pay neither Costs nor Interest in a Recognizance forfeited which was given on a Plea to an Extent. *Rex v. Albert*, P. 1716. *In Sc. B.* 4.]

[On a Repleader, no Costs to either Party for the immaterial Pleadings. *Barnes* 125.]

[Defendant in Replevin moves to amend Avowry on paying Costs, his Agent pays them after his Death; they shall be returned. *Barnes* 138.]

[Juror withdrawn, Matter referred, Award of Costs to be taxed; the Costs of the Reference shall not be allowed. *Barnes* 123, 58.]

[Administrator nonsuited in Action for Tithes accrued in Intestate's Life, or in Trover when the Conversion was in Intestate's Life, pays no Costs; but if in his own Time he does. *Barnes* 127, 129, 132.]

[They are liable to Costs in no Action which they cannot bring in their own Right. *Barnes* 141.]

[Nor if nonsuited, on 14 G. 2. for not proceeding to Trial. *Barnes* 133.]
But he cannot discontinue without Payment of Costs. *Barnes* 169.]

By the *St.* 43 *El.* 6. In personal Actions in the Courts of *Westminster* (and by the *St.* 11 & 12 *W.* 3. 9. in the Courts in *Wales*, *Chester*, *Lancaster* and *Durham*) if it appears that the Debt or Damages amount not to 40s. the Plaintiff shall have no more Costs than Damages. (A. 3.)
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Nor, by the *St.* 21 *Jac.* 16. in an Action for Slander, if the Damages are under 40s.

Nor, by the *St.* 22 & 23 *Car.* 2. 9. S. 149. In other personal Actions, unless where the Judge at the Trial certifies a Battery to be proved, or a Title to be principally in question; and Judgment for more Costs shall be void. 1 *Vent.* 256.

If a Statute says, that if the Damages be under 40s. the Plaintiff shall not have Judgment, but the Defendant shall have Costs; the Jury ought to find for the Defendant in such Case. 5 *Mod.* 367.

The Plaintiff shall not have more Costs than Damages in Trespass for Assault and Battery; if the Defendant be found Not Guilty as to the Battery. *R.* 2 *Lev.* 102.

And the Plaintiff shall have no more Costs than Damages, tho' the Plaintiff joins several Trespases, and the Defendant justifies all, except the *Clausum fregit*, if the Justification be found for the Defendant. *R.* 2 *Vent.* 180, 195.

Tho' the Trespass be for breaking his Close, and also putting Stakes upon his Soil. *R.* 2 *Vent.* 48.

Or, breaking his Close and his Soil. *Dub.* 5 *Mod.* 74, *R.* *Carth.* 224, 5.

Or, breaking his Close, and cutting down Corn. *Semb.* 5 *Mod.* 315. *Skin.* 666.

[Or for breaking and entering House, and keeping Plaintiff out for a Month, whereby he was put to Expence to regain Possession, and lost the Use of it; *Blunt v. Mither*, in *C. B. M.* 12 G. *Str.* 645.]

[In Trespass *vie & armis* for entering Plaintiff's House, making Noise, and continuing until Plaintiff and others gave a Note for Money, not full Costs. *Appleton v. Smith.* *H.* 2 G. 3. 3 *B. M.* 1282.]

[Or for breaking a Door fixed to a House. *Barnes* 121.]

Or, breaking his Close and cutting down his Rails: for they are fixed to the Freehold. *Per Holt*, *Com.* 324. *Anon.* *T.* 11 G. *Str.* 633.

Or, breaking his Closes and pulling up and throwing down his Hedges. *R.* *Comb.* 420.

[In Trespass, Defendant guilty *quoad Transgression' cum averiis & fensurar. Fraction' Prostration' & Divulsion.* and the Judge had not certified; Costs as Damages. *Mitchel v. Soaper*, *P.* 1724. *Bunb.* 167.]

Or, cutting down Trees. *R.* 11 G. 1. *C. B.* *Shepherd and Yard.*

Nor, for Trespass for Assault and Battery, and Striking his Horse, *per quod deterioratas fuit*, and Not guilty, and Damages generally, where no Battery was certified. *R. Pas.* 11 *Geo.* in *B. R.* *inter Clerk and Otherey.* *

[In Trespass for Battery, Imprisonment, breaking House, &c. Defendant justified the Imprisonment, and Not guilty to the Rest; on Trial, Justification found for Defendant, and the Not guilty for Plaintiff, and 2 s. 6 d. Damages: Not full Costs

Costs for the Battery, for the Judge had not certified; nor for the breaking, &c. as it related to the Freehold. *Beck v. Nichols*, M. 10 G. Str. 577.]

Nor, tho' an Action for Slander was commenced before the 21 Jac. if it was prosecuted after. R. Lat. 2. 58.

Or, commenced in an inferior Court, and removed into C. B. by *Habeas Corpus*. R. in C. B. Tr. 12 Ann.

[Yet, if special Damage is alledged and put in Issue, which would have been a distinct Cause of Action, Plaintiff shall have full Costs. *Anderson v. Buckton*, T. 5 G. Str. 192.]

But the St. 21 Jac. 16. does not extend to an Action for Slander of a Title. Per 3 J. Jon. 196. 1 Sal. 207. Cro. Car. 141.

Nor, to an Action for Words, actionable only in respect of special Damage. R. 1 Sal. 206.

Nor, for Words and procuring to be indicted. R. Cro. Car. 163, 307. R. cont. 2 Mod. Ca. 371.

[In Action for Words, whereby he was not only damaged in his Goods, Name, &c. but also by occasion of the Words, by the Procurement of Defendant he was taken up and carried before a Justice; full Costs. *Carter v. Fish*, M. 12 G. Str. 645.]

[Case, for saying to a single Woman.—“ You are a common Street-walking Bitch, and stand every Night at the Corners of Streets to be picked up by Fellows,” full Costs; for the Words in themselves are not actionable. *Bass v. Hickford*, P 12 G. 2. Andr. 375.]

[But in Case for Words spoken of a Tradesman, *per quod* he lost several Customers; if the Words themselves are actionable, no more Costs than Damages. *Burry v. Perry*. Str. 936. Ld. Raym. 1588. *Surman v. Shelleto*, P. 5 G. 3. 3 B. M. 1688. Barnes 132. 135. 142.]

[For Words, where no special Damage proved, and Damages under 40 s. if full Costs are taxed, and Execution, it shall be set aside with Costs. Barnes 128.]

And the St. 22 & 23 Car. 2. does not extend, where the Jury gives Costs to a Sum certain, more than the Damages are. R. 2 Vent. 36. 1 Sal. 207.

Nor, to a Trespass, in which the Title of the Land does not come in Question: As, in Trespass for throwing down his Stalls in a Market. R. Ray. 487. 2 Jon. 232.

Nor to Trespass and trampling *Struem*, *Anglicè*, a Hay-Rick. Dub. F.g. 42.

Or, killing his Horse with a Sword. Ray. 488.

Or, for entering his Close and impounding his Cattle. R. 3 Mod. 40.

Or, for entering his Close and plowing his Soil. 5 Mod. 74, 316.

Or, digging his Turf, Corn, &c. Semb. 1 Sal. 193.

Or, entering his Boat, and cutting his Rope. 5 Mod. 316. R. Comb. 324.

Nor, to a Trespass with an *Asportavit*, tho' the Thing carried away be of small Value. R. 2 Vent. 48. Acc. Skin. 666.

[In Trespass for Assault, and taking a Rope, if the Judge certifies upon Stat. 43 Eliz. c. 6. there shall be no more Costs than Damages, tho' it is laid with an *Asportavit*. *Walker v. Robinson*, T. 18 G. 2. 1 Wilf. 93. Str. 1232.]

[In Trespass for entering his House and eating his Meat, specifying Quantities and Kinds, Half a Guinea Damages, and full Costs; for as to the Goods, it is in the Nature of *Trover*. *Smith v. Clark*, P. 13 G. 2. Str. 1130.]

[On *Asportavit*, or Damage to personal Chattel, or for tearing Plaintiff's Cloaths, full Costs. Barnes 119, 120.]

So, if he enters a Close, and digs Roots, and removes them to another Place in the same Close; for that is a Carrying away. Per 2 J. Vent. cont. 2 Vent. 215.

So, in Trespass, *quod Oves chasavit & abduxit*; for that is a Carrying away. Carth. 225.

So the St. 22 & 23 Car. 2. does not extend to a Trespass where the Defendant justifies, and it is found against him. R. 2 Lev. 234.

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[To Trespass for building a Wall, and treading down the Grass, Defendant pleaded *Not guilty*, and a Way; and on Verdict for Plaintiff, he had full Costs, tho' no Certificate. *Higgins v. Jennings*, M. 13 G. Str. 726. *Ld. Raym.* 1444.]

[In Trespass *quare Clausum*, &c. and any Thing laid for Aggravation, there shall be no more Costs than Damages, tho' the Freehold might come in Question, unless the Judge certifies; but if there are separate Counts, and Plaintiff have *intire* Damages, he shall have full Costs without Certificate: If Defendant is found guilty as to *clausum fregit*, and not guilty *de bonis asportatis*, Plaintiff shall have no more Costs than Damages: On Consideration, *per cur.* *Reeves v. Butler*, H. 1725. *Bunb.* 207.]

[If in Trespass Defendant justifies for a Way, and Plaintiff replies *extra viam*, and obtains Verdict, he shall have full Costs, for the Right comes in Question. *Beale v. Moor*, T. 15 G. 2. Str. 1168.]

[Plaintiff shall not have full Costs, tho' Defendant pleaded a Tender, if Judge certifies under 43 Eliz. *Bartlet v. Robins*, P. 5 G. 3. 2 *Wils.* 258.]

[On Trespass, Justification; on new Assignment, Not guilty; is not special Pleading, to intitle to more Costs than Damages. *Barnes* 124, 129.]

[Only *clausum fregit*, and Assault and Battery are within 22 & 23 Car. 2; and if Plaintiff brings one Action for an Offence within, and another without the Statute, and has a Verdict for both, he shall have full Costs. *Barnes* 134.]

[But not if he recovers for that within, and not for that without. *Barnes* 144.]

[Several Justifications to Trespasses in different Places, and not guilty to novel Assignment, all found for Defendant but this last, no more Costs than Damages. *Barnes* 149.]

Where the Action did not commence at *Westminster*, but is removed out of an inferior Court. *Semb.* 2 *Lév.* 124. R. 4 *Mod.* 379.

Where the Action is for disturbing his Common. R. 2 *Mod.* 141.

Or, for chasing his Sheep, &c. R. 1 *Sal.* 208.

[So, for chasing his Cow and Fowls with Dogs, full Costs. *Keen v. Whistler*, M. 9 G. Str. 534.]

[For entering his Close and chasing his Bull, full Costs. *Thompson v. Berry*, P. 9 G. Str. 551.]

[For taking *vi & armis* Plaintiff's Horse, and sending and conveying him from A. to B. full Costs. *Harper v. Jiffer*, T. 10 & 11 G. 2. B. R. H. 375.]

Neither does it extend to Debt, *Assumpsit*, Account, *Trover*, *Detinue*, &c. where the Title to Land cannot come in Question. 1 *Sal.* 208.

Nor, to the Battery of a Servant, *per quod Servitium amisit*. 5 *Mod.* 74. 1 *Sal.* 208.

[In Trespass for criminal Conversation with Plaintiff's Wife, he shall have full Costs (without the Judges Certificate) tho' the Damages under 40 s. *Batchelor v. Bigg*, M. 13 G. 3. 3 *Wils.* 319.]

Nor, by the St. 4 & 5 W. & M. 23. to Trespass against an inferior Tradesman for hunting, hawking, fishing, or fowling.

And every Tradesman seems to be intended by *inferior Tradesmen*. *Paf.* 9 W. 3. *Bennet and Thalbois*. 1 *Sal.* 212. (*Reported Comyns's Rep.* 26.)

[A Clothier and Alehouse-man found an inferior Tradesman by Jury, pays full Costs under 4 & 5 W. & M. *Barnes* 125.]

[Who is an inferior Tradesman, under Stat. 4 & 5 W. & M. c. 23. is not determined; Court divided, and no Rule. *Clive and Bathurst J.* thought every Tradesman not qualified, and that it is a Question of Law; *Willes C. J.* and *Noel J.* that not every Tradesman, and that it should be left to the Jury. *Buxton v. Mingay*, T. 30 & 31 G. 2. 2 *Wils.* 70.]

Nor, by the St. 8 & 9 W. 3. 11. to a Trespass which appears at the Trial, and is certified by the Judge upon the Record, to be wilful and malicious.

[In wilful and malicious Trespass, by Stat. 8 & 9 W. 3. c. 11. §. 4. the Judge of *nisi prius* must certify in open Court at the Trial; his Certificate afterwards is void. *Ford v. Parr*, P. 28 G. 2. 2 *Wils.* 21.]

And

And tho' the *St. 22 & 23 Car. 2.* says, the Judgment shall be void, it shall not be avoided by Plea. *2 Vent. 36.*

(A. 4.) By an Avowant.

By the *St. 7 H. 8. 4.* an Avowant, or he who makes Conusance in *Replevin*, or Second Deliverance for Rent, Custom, or Service, if it be found for him, or the Plaintiff be barred, shall recover Damages and Costs, as the Plaintiff should have done if he had recovered.

So, by the *St. 21 H. 8. 19.* He who avows, &c. for *Damage-feasant*, or other Rent.

And, by Equity, if he avows for an Amerciament in a Court Leet or Baron. *R. Mo. 893. R. 2 Cro. 520. R. cont. Cro. El. 300. Dub. Cro. Car. 534. Semb. 2 Rol. 75. Court divided, Jon. 422, 434. Cont. per Holt, Carth. 179.*

Or, for a Fine in a Court Leet. *R. Mo. 893.*

Or, for an Estray. *Dub. Ow. 13. Cro. El. 258, 329. Acc. 2 Cro. 520.*

Or, for a Heriot. *2 Cro. 28.*

Or, for a Relief. *Dub. 2 Cro. 28. Jon. 422.*

Or, for the Penalty of a By-Law. *Per 2 J. Jones cont. Cro. Car. 534. Jon. 421.*

[But Avowant of Seizure for *Heriot Custom* is not intitled to Costs under 11 G. 2. c. 19. *Lloyd v. Winton, M. 29 G. 2. 2 Wils. 28. Barnes 148.*]

And the Avowant shall have Costs, tho' Judgment be against the Plaintiff upon Demurrer. *R. 2 Cro. 520.*

Or the Plaintiff be nonsuited. *M. 13 W. 3. inter Smith and Walgrave. (Reported Comyns's Rep. 122.)*

So, if an Executor avows by Force of the *St. 32 H. 8. 37.* tho' it be a subsequent Statute to *21 H. 8. 19.* *R. 2 Rol. 457.*

So, tho' several Issues be joined upon the Avowry, and some found for, and some against him, and the Plaintiff has not Costs for the Issues found for him. *R. 2 Cro. 473. Dub. 2 Rol. 37. R. acc. 2 Rol. 140.*

[If some Issues are found for Avowant, and some against him, Costs for one shall be deducted out of the other. *Barnes 146.*]

But, if a Defendant in *Replevin* pleads in Abatement, and avows for a Return, and has Judgment, that the Plea shall abate, and for a Return; he shall not have Costs. *R. M. 13 W. 3. B. R. inter Smith and Walgrave. (Reported Comyns's Rep. 122.)*

If he pleads Property. *Hard. 153.*

(A. 5.) By a Tenant, or Defendant.

(A. 5.)
In an Action.

By the *St. 23 H. 8. 15.* If a Plaintiff be nonsuited, or have Verdict against him, in an Action upon the *St. 5 R. 2.* in Debt, or Covenant on Specialty made to the Plaintiff, or on a Contract with the Plaintiff, in *Detinue*, if Property be alledged in the Plaintiff, in Account against a Bailiff or Receiver to the Plaintiff, in an Action on the Case, or on a Statute for a personal Wrong or Offence to the Plaintiff, the Defendant shall have Costs.

So, if Judgment be against the Plaintiff upon Demurrer. *R. 1 And. 117. Vide infra.*

And by the *St. 4 Jac. 3.* In Trespas, Ejectment, or other Action, where Plaintiff should have had Costs, if he had recovered.

So, by the *St. 8 El. 2 & 13 Car. 2. 2.* If the Plaintiff be nonsuited for want of Declaration, or afterwards discontinue, or be nonsuited.

So, by the *St. 4 G. 2. 28.* If in any Ejectment the Plaintiff be nonsuited, unless for want of confessing Lease, Entry, and Ouster.

So, by the *St. 8 & 9 W. 3. 11.* If Judgment be against the Plaintiff or Demandant upon Demurrer, in Bar. *R. 1 Sal. 194. Mod. Ca. 88.*

[If Defendant pleads not guilty, and not guilty within six Years; and Issue on the first is found for Plaintiff, and then Demurrer on the second is found for Defendant

fendant; there shall be no Costs on either Side on the Trial, and Defendant shall have Costs on the Demurrer. *Cooke v. Sayer*, H. 32 G. 2. 2 B. M. 753.]

Or the Plaintiff in Prohibition, *Scire facias*, Debt upon *St. 2 Ed. 6. 13.* or in Waste, be nonsuited, discontinues, or has a Verdict against him.

[Verdict for Defendant in Prohibition, as to Part, he has Costs. *Barnes* 138.]

So, by the *St. 4 & 5 W. & M. 18.* An Informer, if a Verdict be against him, or a *Nolle Prosequi* entered by him, shall pay Costs; unless the Judge, on the Trial, certify there was a probable Cause for the Information. *Vide Post*, (A. 6.)

[In an Action *qui tam* for exercising a Trade contrary to *Stat. 5 Eliz. 4.* notwithstanding Affidavit offered that the Suit was for the Benefit of the Corporation. *Elde v. Stephens*, H. 10 G. 2 *Ld. Raym.* 1333.]

[A. convicts B. on Game-laws, he pays Penalty, A. brings Action, B. on the Justice's refusing Copy of Conviction brings *Certiorari*, A. gets Conviction affirmed, and is nonsuited in Action; B. shall have Costs of the *Certiorari* allowed him in Costs on the Nonsuit. *Rex v. Midlam*, T. 5 G. 3. 3 B. M. 1720.]

[In Action on 9 G. 1. c. 22. §. 7. for Damages sustained by setting Plaintiff's Barn on Fire, if Plaintiff is nonsuited, Defendant shall have Costs; for Plaintiff was the Party grieved, and would have been intitled to Costs. *Greetham v. Hundred of Thale*, T. 5 G. 3. 3 B. M. 1723.]

And therefore now, in all Cases where the Plaintiff would have Costs, if he had recovered, the Tenant or Defendant shall have Costs, if the Plaintiff be barred, or nonsuited.

If he be barred upon a special, as well as upon a general Verdict. *R. Cro. El.* 465.

Or, discontinue after a special Verdict. *Dub. Cro. Car.* 575.

And this, since the *St. 4 Jac. 3.*—But not upon the *St. 23 H. 8. 15.* if the Action be not for a personal Wrong or Offence. 2 *Leo.* 9. 52. 3 *Leo.* 68.

As, in an Action upon the Case generally, or in an Action upon a Statute.

In *Warrantia Chartæ*. *Semb.* 3 *Lev.* 322.

[On Issue tried, a Case stated, and argued in Court, but the Facts not being sufficiently stated, the Court recommended, and Parties agreed to go to a new Trial, where Plaintiff was nonsuited; and Defendant had Costs upon the Whole, and not the Nonsuit only. *Herring v. Davila*, P. 6 G. *Str.* 300.]

So the Defendant shall have Costs, where the Plaintiff would be intitled to Costs generally in the same Action, tho' he would not have had them in that particular Case: As, if the Plaintiff be nonsuited in an Action for Words, which are not actionable. *R. Hut.* 16. *Hob.* 219.

So, if the Plaintiff be nonsuited, &c. but the Declaration is insufficient. *R. 2 Rol.* 88, 213. *R. Cro. Car.* 175. *Cont. Cro. Car.* 545, where a Verdict was for the Plaintiff, and Judgment arrested for a Fault in the Declaration.

So, if the Plaintiff be nonsuited at *Nisi prius*, &c. tho' the Plea of the Defendant be insufficient. *R. Mo.* 625.

Or, enters a *Nolle prosequi*, or *Retraxit*. *Dub. Hard.* 152.

[For not going on to execute a Writ of Inquiry; as for not going on to Trial. *Shedford v. Houston*, T. 6 G. *Str.* 317. *Sutton v. Bryan*, M. 13 G. *Cobb. v. Kingmill*, T. 13 G. *Str.* 728. P. 12 G. 2. *Barnes* 230.]

So a Defendant, being an Executor, or Administrator, shall have Costs; tho' a Plaintiff, Executor or Administrator does not pay Costs. *R. Cro. El.* 503.

So a Defendant shall have Costs where the Plaintiff sues as Executor, or Administrator, if it be for a Wrong to himself, or upon his Contract; as, in Trespass or Trover for Goods of the Testator taken out of the Possession of the Executor himself. *Hut.* 79. *R. Cro. Car.* 219. *Jon.* 241. *R. Lat.* 220. *R. cont. per totam Curiam*, 3 *Lev.* 60. *R. acc. in C. B.* 6 *Ann. inter Hunt and Ballow*, (cited *Comyns's Rep.* 163.) *R. Sav.* 133, 4. *Vide Post*, (A. 7.)

[If Executor of an Attorney declares that Testator did Business for Defendant, and leaving it unfinished, Plaintiff caused it to be finished, and in Consideration

Defendant undertook to pay, and Plaintiff is nonsuited, he shall pay Costs. *Marsh v. Yellowly*, H. 12 G. 2. *Str.* 1106. *Andr.* 356.]

In Ravishment of a Ward out of the Custody of the Executor. *Dub. Cro. Car.* 29. *Hut.* 79. *Cont.* 3 *Lev.* 60.

In Debt for Rent upon a Lease by the Executor, of a Term of the Testator. *Hut.* 79.

In Account against one as his Receiver. *Semb. Bend. pl.* 28. *R. Dal.* 96.

In *Trover* for Goods, of which his Testator died possessed, and which afterwards came to the Hands of the Defendant by Finding, tho' he does not alledge any Possession in himself; for the Finding was in his Time, and he might have had the Action in his own Name. *R. Jon.* 241. *R. 1 Vent.* 109. *R. in C. B. P. 8 Ann. inter Hole and King*, (*Reported Comyns's Rep.* 162.) *Harris v. Hanna*, H. 9 G. 2. *B. R. H.* 204.

So, where the Plaintiff in Ejectment declares upon the Demise of an Executor, and is nonsuited; for the Action is his proper Action, and he is bound by the Rule. *Per C. B. M.* 5 *Ann.*

In an *Indebitatus Assumpsit* for Money received to the Use of the Plaintiff as Executor or Administrator. *R. 1 Sal.* 207. *Cont. Semb.* 1 *Sal.* 314. *R. acc. Mod. Ca.* 91, 181. *acc. Barnes* 119.

So, in *Trover* by an Administrator for Goods of the Intestate taken after his Death, and before Administration. *R. 1 Vent.* 109. *R. in C. B. M.* 9 *Ann. Adm.* 1 *Sal.* 314.

So, if the Plaintiff sues as Executor *de son Tort.* *Lit.* 5.

So an Executor shall pay Costs, for not proceeding to Trial upon Notice. 1 *Sal.* 314. *Hawes v. Saunders*, M. 5 G. 3. 3 *B. M.* 1584. Or non-prossed for want of declaring in due Time. *Ibid.*

[If a Point is reserved, and there is Judgment for Defendant, who dies, Costs must be paid his Executor. *Barnes* 120.]

[Executor or Administrator may have Attachment for Costs due to the Deceased. *Barnes* 122.]

[*Prochein Amy* of Plaintiff is liable to Costs. *Barnes* 128.]

So now, by the *St.* 8 & 9 *W.* 3. 11. In Trespass, Assault, false Imprisonment or Ejectment against several, if one or more Defendants be acquitted by Verdict, they shall have Costs, as if the Verdict had been against the Plaintiff as to all; unless the Judge, at the Trial, immediately certify on the Record, that there was a reasonable Cause to make them Defendants.

[Plaintiff in Ejectment nonsuited, may pay Costs to which Defendant he pleases. *Jordan v. Harper*, P. 8 G. *Str.* 516.]

But if the Plaintiff be nonsuited for a Fault in the Declaration, tho' divers Defendants appear severally, they shall have only Costs for one.

So, in an Information, if one Defendant be acquitted, he shall not have Costs, tho' the Judge does not certify. *R. 1 Sal.* 194.

So, in Debt upon the *St.* 2 & 3 *Ed.* 6. 13. If the Plaintiff be nonsuited, or has a Verdict against him, the Defendant shall not have Costs; for it is not a Debt by Specialty or Contract, or for a personal Wrong to the Plaintiff; and therefore it is not within 23 *H.* 8. 15. 2 *Inst.* 651.

If the Defendant recovers Costs, he may have Execution for them by *Capias ad satisfaciendum.* *R. 2 Cro.* 595.

And tho' Judgment be afterwards reversed; the Costs shall not be refunded. *Per 2 J. Englefield cont. Dy.* 32. a. *Mo.* 625.

[It is not sufficient that the Damages are laid above 40 s. to draw the Case out of the *Stat.* 3 *J.* 1. c. 15. Plaintiff must recover so much, or he shall pay Defendant's Costs; and the Court will order Plaintiff to file the Plea-roll, and bring in the *Postea*, that Defendant may enter a Suggestion on the Roll, to intitule himself thereto. *Hickman v. Colley*, M. 13 G. 2. *Str.* 1120. *Andr.* 377. *Barnes* 470.]

[If Defendant is allowed to make a Suggestion on the Record for Costs, he shall have Costs for this Application as well as for the Trial. *Ibid.*]

[But

[But if it appears that the real Demand was above 40 s. and is reduced below it by a Set-off, it does not affect the Jurisdiction, and Defendant shall not have, but pay Costs. *Pitts v. Carpenter*, T. 16 G. 2. *Str.* 1191. *Wilf.* 19.]

[If Defendant moves for special Jury, and Plaintiff is nonsuited, he shall pay the extraordinary Costs attending on special Jury, all but the Striking; so the Loser in all Cases: And the Court will allow more to a special than to a common Jury. *Wilkes v. Eames*, M. 11 G. 2. *Str.* 1080. *Andr.* 51. *Hamilton v. Style*, M. 11 G. 2. *Str.* 1080. *Andr.* 51.]

[If there are two Causes *A. v. B.* and *B. v. A.* and Verdict for Defendant in each; the Costs in one Cause cannot be set against the Costs in the other. *Dutby v. Titbo*, and *Titbo v. Dutby*, H. 17 G. 2. *Str.* 1203.]

[If there is a Rule for Payment of Costs, and the Prothonotary's *Allocatur*, the Affidavit of Service (to ground an Attachment) must be on such a Day, not on or about, for it might be on a Sunday. *Brett adj. Wadham*, P. 4 G. 3. 2 *Wilf.* 227.]

[If a Cause goes off for Want of Jury, the Costs of Attendance shall be allowed. *Sparrow v. Turner*, M. 8 G. 3. 2 *Wilf.* 366.]

[Lessor of Plaintiff, an Infant or abroad, shall name good Plaintiff, or give Security for Costs. *Anon.* P. 19 G. 2. 1 *Wilf.* 130. *Barnes* 183, 188.]

[Lessor of Plaintiff residing in *Ireland* shall give Security for Costs, tho' Ejectment is brought by Direction of Chancery where Security is already given. *Denn v. Fulford*, T. 1 G. 3. 2 *B. M.* 1177. If Lessor dies, Security shall be given. *Barnes* 47.]

[But in other Actions the Court will not require Plaintiff gone abroad, and having no Effects in *England* to give Security for Costs. *Boswell v. Irish*, T. 7 G. 3. 4 *B. M.* 2105.]

[*C. B.* will stay Proceedings in Ejectment, till Costs of a former in *B. R.* are paid. *Barnes* 133.]

So, by the *St.* 18 *El.* 5. The Defendant in an Information shall have Costs, (A. 6.) if the Informer delays his Suit, discontinues, be nonsuited, or the Trial or Mat- In an Infor-
ter pass against him by Verdict, or Judgment against him in Law. mation.

[If the Prosecutor does not go on to Trial, he shall pay Costs. *Rex v. James*, M. 9 G. 2. *B. R.* H. 159.]

[If Prosecutor gives Notice of Trial, and neither goes to Trial, nor countermands in Time, Defendant shall have Costs by the Course of the Court; unless Defendant draws in Prosecutor to give Notice, by Hopes of producing Books, and then refuses them. *Rex v. Heydon*, H. 2 G. 3. 3 *B. M.* 1304.]

Tho' he be not a common Informer, (unless when he is the Party grieved.) *R. 4 Leo.* 55. *R. 1 And.* 116.

Tho' the Information be upon a Penal Statute made since 18 *El.* *R. Hut.* 35.

Tho' the Informer obtains a Verdict, if Judgment be against him, for that the Statute upon which the Information is founded was repealed, or expired. *Semb. Hut.* 36, but the Court divided.

If Judgment be against the Informer, upon a Demurrer, or special Verdict. *Per 3 J. Hut.* 36. *Garland v. Burton*, M. 12 G. 2. *Str.* 1103.

So, in all Cases, where the Cause passes against the Informer for Want of Matter or Form. *Per 2 J. but the others cont. Hut.* 36.

So by the *St.* 4 & 5 *W. & M.* 18. The Clerk of the Crown in *B. R.* shall not file an Information, &c. before a Recognizance given of 20 l. to prosecute, &c. and if a Verdict pass for the Defendant, or a *Nolle prosequi* be procured, to pay Costs taxed in three Months after Demand; unless the Judge certify there was Cause for the Information.

But the *St.* 18 *El.* 5. S. 5. allows any grieved, by Maintenance, Champerty, buying Titles, or Embracery, to sue on the Statutes for such Offences.

And it does not extend to Officers of Record, who, in respect of Office, have used to exhibit Informations, or sue on penal Statutes.

Nor to Officers informing for Matters only concerning his or their Offices.

[Costs shall be allowed Defendant, where the Verdict is for him, though he has brought an Action for the Seizure, and recovered in it. *Shipton v. Newman*, in *Sc. M.* 1721. *Bunb.* 90.]

[On Motion for Costs against the Seizer for not going on to Trial, Court divided. *Warwick v. Rawlins*, *H.* 1721. *Bunb.* 96.]

[If Prosecutor for killing Game does not reply, Defendant shall have Costs; for 18 *El. c.* 5. extends to Informers on all penal Statutes. *Law v. Worrall*, *M.* 21 *G.* 2. 1 *Wilf.* 177.]

So, if one Defendant be found guilty, tho' the other be acquitted, he shall not have Costs. *Sal.* 194. *Vide Ante*, (A. 5.)

So, where the Information is by the Party grieved, the Defendant shall not have Costs. 4 *Leo.* 55. *R.* 2 *Leo.* 116. *R. Sav.* 50. 1 *And.* 116.

As, in an Information for Perjury. *Semb. Cro. El.* 177. 1 *Brownl.* 66.

If a Verdict be against an Informer upon a Fault in pleading, no Costs: As, if an Information be for not inclosing a Wood within a Month after cutting it down; and alledges the Cutting on the 10th of *April*, and that it lay open till the 2d of *May*, which is not a Month. *R. Hut.* 35.

[If the Charge appears frivolous and groundless, on shewing Cause against a *Quo Warranto* Information, the Court will discharge the Rule with Costs. *Rex v. Lewis*, *P.* 32 *G.* 2. 2 *B. M.* 780. *Rex v. Carpenter*, *P.* 9 *G.* 2. *Str.* 1039.]

[Prosecutor of Information in Nature of a *Quo Warranto* shall pay Costs for not going on to Trial. *Rex v. Powell*, *H.* 3 *G.* *Str.* 33.]

[The Statute of 4 & 5 *W. & M. c.* 18. extends to Informations in Nature of *Quo Warranto*, where Prosecutor does not proceed; Stat. 9 *Ann. c.* 20. only where there has been Verdict or Judgment. *Rex v. Morgan*, *P.* 9 *G.* 2. *Str.* 1042.]

[On an Information *Quo Warranto*, if Prosecutor does not procure it to be tried in the Year after Issue joined, Defendant shall have Costs as far as the Recognizance extends; if it goes to Trial, he may have full Costs by Stat. 9 *Ann.* *Rex v. Howell*, *P.* 9 *G.* 2. *B. R. H.* 247.]

[If there is a Rule by Consent to try the Validity of a Bye-Law, and Judgment on the Information to be entered accordingly, Costs follow of Course. *Rex v. Phillips*, *H.* 23 *G.* 2. 1 *Wilf.* 261.]

[On Rule by Consent to try Right of Election by feigned Issue, and Costs to abide the Event of Issue; Costs shall be paid on the Crown-Side, as well as in the Civil Action. *Oldknow v. Wainwright*, *T.* 33 & 34 *G.* 2. 2 *B. M.* 1017.]

[If Defendant is acquitted against Evidence and the Direction of the Court, yet, if no Certificate that there was reasonable Cause, Defendant shall have his Costs, tho' the Chief Justice who tried the Cause certify *ore Tenus*, that the Verdict was against Evidence. *Rex v. Woodfall*, *P.* 13 *G.* 2. *Str.* 1131.]

[Where treble Costs are to be recovered against a Prosecutor for a Matter not appearing on the *Posita*, Court will allow a Suggestion of the special Matter on the Record. *Rex v. Poland*, *E.* 3 *G.* *Catheral v. Cooper*, *H.* 5 *G.* 2. *Str.* 49.]

[On an Indictment in *B. R.* for not repairing the Highway, Costs were allowed to the Prosecutors, though Judgment was not entered; and the Recognizance discharged on the Way's being mended. *Queen v. Hornsey*, *P.* 1 *G.* *Fort.* 255.]

[If Costs are ordered to be paid to or by a Defendant, and he dies before Payment, his Executor shall neither have nor pay them. *Rex v. Earl*, *T.* 4 *G.* 2. *Str.* 874.]

[Defendant shall have Costs, though he himself removed the Information. *Dover v. Hodgson*, *T.* 19 & 20 *G.* 2. 1 *Wilf.* 139.]

[On a Conviction for Deer-stealing affirmed, Costs shall be taxed, as between Attorney and Client. *Rex v. Dore*, *H.* 12 *G.* 2. *And.* 352.]

[If there is a Rule for a special Jury, and they do not appear, and neither Side prays a *Tales*, and the Defendant has a Warrant for a *Tales* in his Pocket, he shall not pay Costs. *Rix v. Righton*, *P.* 5 *G.* 3. 3 *B. M.* 1694.]

But

But a Defendant shall not have Costs, if the Plaintiff discontinues his Original. R. 1 *Leo.* 105. (A. 7.) When a Defendant shall not recover Costs.

Or enters a *Nolle prosequi* after Issue; for it is a Bar to another Action, and therefore differs from a Nonsuit. *Dub. Hard.* 153. *Vide Ante*, (A. 6.)

[If a *Scire facias* (or the Writ in an Action) is abated by the Plea, no Costs shall be paid, though the Party move to quash his own Writ. *Pocklington v. Peck*, M. 12 G. Str. 638.]

[If Plaintiff on Plea in Abatement, enters *nil capiat per breve*. *Barnes* 120, 257.]

If the Plaintiff be nonsuited in an Affise; for the Statute does not extend to an Affise. 1 *Brownl.* 28, 9.

So he shall not have Costs, if a Repleader be awarded. 2 *Vent.* 196. R. *Mod. Ca.* 2.

So the Defendant shall not have Costs, where the Plaintiff in an Action of the like Nature shall not have Costs, if he recovers; as, in an Attaint. R. *Cro. Car.* 542. *Jon.* 432.

In an Action upon a penal Statute by *Qui tam*, &c. R. *Hut.* 22. 1 *Brownl.* 66.

So a Defendant shall not have Costs, if the Plaintiff, being an Infant, sues by Guardian. R. *Cro. El.* 33.

If a Plaintiff, being Executor or Administrator, sues merely in the Right of his Testator, &c. for the St. 23 H. 8. 15. extends only to an Action upon a Contract or Wrong to the Plaintiff himself; and the St. 4 Jac. 3. enlarges Costs as to more Actions, not against more Persons. R. *Hut.* 69. *D. Cro. El.* 503. R. *Yel.* 168. *Dal.* 96. *Bend. pl.* 28. R. 2 *Rol.* 87.

As, in an Action for Goods taken away in the Life of the Testator. *Hut.* 79.

In Debt upon an Obligation to the Testator; tho' the Defendant pleads *Non est factum*, and it is found for him. R. 2 *Cro.* 229.

[Or, though the Breach be assigned after the Testator's Death. *Portman v. Came*, H. 12 G. Str. 682. 2 *Ld. Raym.* 1413.]

Or, pleads Payment to the Executor himself, and it is found so. R. 1 *Vent.* 92.

[The Defendant in *Indeb. Assump.* shall not have Costs of Plaintiff Executor, though more Money paid into Court than the Verdict. *Knight v. Duche's Hamilton*, in Sc. P. 1717. *Bunb.* 44.]

So, in an Action for an Escape of a Person in Execution to the Testator. R. 1 *Rol.* 63.

Or, in Execution upon his Suit as Executor. R. 2 *Cro.* 361.

So, in *Assumpsit* upon a *Computasset* with the Testator. R. 2 *Jon.* 47. R. 1 *Sal.* 207, 314.

Or, with the Executor himself for Money of the Testator. R. 2 *Jon.* 47. 2 *Lev.* 165. 3 *Lev.* 60. 1 *Sal.* 208.

So, in *Trover* for Money of the Testator out of his own Possession. *Vide Ante*, (A. 5.) *cont. acc. per Holt*, 1 *Sal.* 208.

In *Trover* for Goods of the Testator which he lost in his Life-time, tho' the Conversion be alledged in the Time of the Executor. R. in C. B. 6 *Ann. inter Hunt and Ballow*, per *Holt*, 1 *Sal.* 208. (cited *Comyns's Rep.* 163.)

So the Defendant shall not have Costs, if the Plaintiff Executor, or Administrator, be nonsuited within the St. 8 El. 2. R. *Cro. El.* 69.

[If Administrator discontinues with Leave, he pays no Costs. *Baynham v. Matthews*, T. 4 G. 2. Str. 871.]

Or, if an Executor or Administrator brings Error upon a Judgment against his Testator, or himself. *Vide Post*, (B.)

If the Plaintiff takes Administration when there was an Executor living. R. *Lit.* 5.

If the Plaintiff sues as Executor, and upon Issue, That he was not Executor, it be found for the Defendant. R. 1 *Brownl.* 79.

So the Defendant shall not have Costs by the St. 8 & 9 W. 3. 11. if Judgment be for him upon Demurrer to his Plea in Abatement. R. 1 *Sal.* 194.

[Defendant acquitted in Trespass on the Case is not intitled to Costs under 8 W. 3. only in Trespass *Vi & Armis*. *Dibben v. Cooke*, H. 8 G. 2. Str. 1005.]

So the Defendant shall not have Costs by the St. 23 H. 8. 15. if the Plaintiff be admitted *in formâ Pauperis*.

Nor, by the St. 24 H. 8. 8. If the Plaintiff sues upon a Recognizance, Specialty, or Contract to the Use of the King.

But if there be a Plaintiff *in formâ Pauperis*, the Court may tax Costs, which the Plaintiff shall pay, or be whipped. 1 Sid. 261. 2 Sal. 506.

And he shall be dispaupered, where he has an Estate, though he owes the Value. *Per Holt*, Sal. 507.

If the Jury gives Costs where they ought not to be, the Court shall give Judgment without Respect to the Costs. R. 2 Sand. 257.

Tho' the Plaintiff does not release the Costs. *Ibid*.

[If Lessor of Plaintiff delivers many Ejectments, but countermands in Time to save Costs, the Court will not stay Proceedings on the last, till Payment of Costs in the former. *Thrustout v. Troublesome*, M. 12 G. 2. Str. 1099.]

[Court will not stay Proceedings till Costs of former Action paid (except in Ejectment, and then not if Plaintiff is in Prison on Attachment for Non-payment.) *Barnes* 125, 180.]

[Infant Lessee in Ejectment gives no Security for Costs, nor Informer on penal Statute. *Barnes* 177, 126.]

[Plaintiff in Ejectment is a mere nominal Person; and a Person who happens to be of that Name is not liable to Costs. *Barnes* 188.]

[Plaintiff shall not pay Costs for not proceeding to Trial according to Notice, if his Default is not wilful. *Barnes* 133.]

[Inquiry to be executed before Judge of Assize, Plaintiff gives Notice for a particular Day, and does not execute, no Costs; for Notice should have been general. *Barnes* 135.]

[Defendant in *Trover* has no Costs. *Barnes* 139.]

[Assault and Battery against two, who plead Not guilty, and one *son Assault* also; guilty both on the general Issue, for Defendant on *son Assault*, yet he has not Costs. *Barnes* 143.]

[Plaintiff countermands Notice of Trial, and then discontinues, Costs; they shall not be paid for a Witness who set out to attend the Trial before Countermand. *Barnes* 307.]

[Trespass against four, three acquitted; they cannot have their Costs deducted out of the Costs to be paid by the other Defendant found guilty. *Barnes* 145.]

[Several Justifications to Trespasses in different Places, and not guilty on novel Assignment, all found for Defendant but the last; he has not Costs. *Barnes* 149.]

(B) Costs in Error.

BY the St. 3 H. 7. 10. confirmed by the St. 19 H. 7. 20. If Tenant, Defendant, or other bound by Judgment, sue a Writ of Error in Delay of Execution, and discontinue it, be nonsuited, or have Judgment affirmed, he shall pay Costs and Damages at the Discretion of the Justices.

And if the Judgment be affirmed, &c. the Defendant in Error shall have Costs, tho' Costs were not recoverable in the first Action: As, in a *Quare Impedit*. Dy. 77. a. R. Cro. Car. 145, 175.

In a *Quod permittat* for abating a Nuisance. R. Cro. El. 659.

So the Defendant in Error shall have Costs, tho' the Error be in the *Exchequer*, upon the St. 27 El. 8. Cro. El. 588.

By the St. 8 & 9 W. 3. 11. In Error on Judgment for Defendant, if the Judgment be affirmed, or the Plaintiff discontinue, or be nonsuited, the Defendant or Tenant shall have Costs.

So by the same Statute, If Error be sued of a Judgment on Demurrer.

And

And by the *St. 4 & 5 Ann.* 16. If a Writ of Error be quashed for Variance, or other Defect, which was not before. *5 Mod.* 67. *Mod. Ca.* 137.

[But if Writ of Error is quashed, by reason that Continuances are entered after it's *Teste*, it shall be without Costs. *Gould v. Coulthurst*, *M.* 5 *G.* *Str.* 139.

[Whether Plaintiff in Error shall have Costs in this Case, being defeated by Artifice of Defendant in Error. *Dublin Judges divided.* *Ibid.*]

[If a Writ of Error is brought against an Affirmance in *B. R.* in *Ireland*, of a Judgment obtained there by Defendant in Prohibition, and it is quashed for Defect, the Defendant in Error shall have Costs, though none were given below either in the principal Judgment or the Affirmance. *Archbishop of Dublin v. Dean of Dublin*, *H.* 6 *G.* *Str.* 262.]

[If Writ of Error is quashed, because brought by one Defendant, where there are two, there shall be Costs. *Cooper v. Ginger*, *M.* 11 *G.* *Str.* 606.

If Writ of Error is quashed, because returnable before Judgment given, Costs shall be paid by the Party who occasioned the Delay. *Rejindox v. Randolph*, *P.* 2 *G.* 2. *Str.* 834.]

By the *St. 3 Jac.* 8. & 13 *Car.* 2. 2. a Writ of Error shall be no *Supersedeas*, unless a Recognizance be given with Sureties. &c. for Payment of Damages and Costs.

And by the *St. 13 Car.* 2. 2. If Error be brought of a Judgment after a Verdict, and the Judgment be affirmed; the Defendant in Error shall have double Costs.

But the Defendant in Error shall not have Costs, where by the Writ of Error the Execution is not delayed: As, if Error be sued by the Plaintiff or Demandant in the original Action. *2 And.* 123. *R. Cro. Car.* 401. *R. 4 Mod.* 7.—But now, by the *St. 8 & 9 W.* 3. 11. If the Plaintiff or Demandant, after any Judgment for Defendant, sue Error, and afterwards discontinue, be nonsuited, or have Judgment against him, the Defendant or Tenant shall have Costs.

So, no Costs, if Execution be sued before Error brought. *R. 2 Cro.* 636. *R. 1 Vent.* 88. *2 And.* 123.

And if Execution be executed in Part, Costs shall be diminished. *Cro. Car.* 175.

So, if neither Damages nor Costs were recovered in the original Action; for then the Writ of Error does not delay Execution;

As, in Error upon a Judgment in a *Formedon*. *R. Cont. Cro. El.* 617. *R. acc. Cro. Car.* 425.

In Error upon a Common Recovery. *R. Ray.* 135. *R. 1 Lev.* 146.

So, if an Executor brings Error upon a Judgment against his Testator, and the Judgment be affirmed, &c. the Defendant shall not have Costs. *R. 1 Mod.* 77. *1 Vent.* 166.

[If Executor brings Error on Judgment against Testator on Bond, and after Affirmance moves to pay Principal, Interest and Costs, he shall not pay Costs in Error. *Saltern v. Wynne*, *P.* 10 *G.* 2. *Str.* 1072. *B. R. H.* 367.]

[But if Executor brings Error after a *Devastavit*, he shall pay Costs on Affirmance. *Caswell v. Norman*, *T.* 7 *G.* 2. *Str.* 977.]

Or, upon a Judgment against himself, as Executor. *R. 3 Lev.* 375. *4 Mod.* 245. *Skin.* 400.

And therefore, an Executor or Administrator does not find Bail for Damages and Costs upon a Writ of Error within the *St. 3 Jac.* 8. *R. 2 Cro.* 350.

Bul. 284. *Cro. Car.* 59. *Lit.* 3. *1 Sid.* 183. *Vide Bail*, (K. 3.)

So, if a Plaintiff in *Replevin* brings Error, and Judgment for the Avowant be affirmed, he shall not have Costs. *R. 1 Sal.* 205. *Carth.* 179. But this was *2 W. & M.* before the *St. 8 & 9 W.* 3. 11.

So, if Judgment be reversed in Error, the Defendant does not pay Costs in Error; for the Plaintiff recovers his Debt and Costs which he ought to have had if he had recovered before. *R. 2 Mod. Ca.* 314. *Wyvil v. Stapleton*, *M.* 11 *G.* *Str.* 615.

[Or

[On Affirmance of Judgment in a *Qui tam* Action, there may be Costs in Error, tho' there were none in the original Suit. *Ferguson v. Rawlinson*, H. 11 G. 2. *Str.* 1084. *Andr.* 113.]

[On Error on a Bond given in *India*, B. R. will direct the Damages to be computed, by adding to the Costs *Indian Interest* (9 per Cent.) till signing the Judgment, and legal Interest (5 per Cent.) from that Time, on the accumulated Sum ascertained by the Judgment. *Bodily v. Bellamy*, M. 1 G. 3. 2 B. M. 1094.]

[If Bail in Error, on Judgment affirmed and *Sci. Fa.* against them, give vexatious Delay, the Court where the *Sci. Fa.* is, will order Interest from the Time of the Affirmance: Before that, 'tis the Province of the Court where Error is brought. *Welford v. Davidson*, T. 7 G. 3. 4 B. M. 2127.]

(C) Double, or Treble Costs.

(C. 1.) By Construction.

IN all Actions Real, Personal, or Mixt, where Damages are recoverable, if a subsequent Statute gives double or treble Damages, the Costs also, as Part of the Damages, shall be double or treble. 2 *Inst.* 289.

As, upon the *St. of Gloc.* 5. which gives treble Damages in Waste against Tenant by the Curtesy, or in Dower. *Ibid.*

Upon the *St.* 2 H. 4. 11. which gives double Damages for a Suit in the Admiralty, where the Cause of Action arises upon the Land. 10 *Co.* 116. 1 *Roll.* 517. l. 15. *Dy.* 159. b.

Upon the *St.* 8 H. 6. 9. which gives treble Damages for a forcible Entry. 10 *Co.* 115. b. *R.* 1 *Vent.* 22.

Upon the *St.* 5 El. 21. which gives treble Damages for hunting in a Park. 4 *Leo.* 36.

Upon the *St.* 2 W. & M. 5. which gives treble Damages and Costs of Suit against him, who makes *Rescous* of Goods which are distrained for Rent. *R.* T. 6 W. 3. *inter Sir W. Lawson and Story*, 1 *Sal.* 205. (*Vide* 1 *Ld. Ray.* 19.)

[Costs *de Incremento* are to be doubled, as well as those given by the Jury. *Smith v. Dunge*, T. 9 G. 2. *Str.* 1048.]

(C. 2.) By the express Words of a Statute.

(C. 2.) So by the *St.* 2 & 3 Ed. 6. 13. If a Suggestion for a Prohibition be not proved in six Months, the Defendant shall have a Consultation, and double Costs.

But this does not extend, where the Defendant does not pray a Consultation for not proving the Suggestion, but joins Issue upon it, and a Verdict is for the Plaintiff; for then the Defendant shall not have double Costs. *R. Lat.* 140.

Nor where a Suggestion needs no Proof.

So, by the *St.* 7 Jac. 5. In an Action upon the Case, or Trespass in the Courts at *Westminster* against a Justice of Peace, Mayor, Bailiff, Headborough, Portreeve, Constable, Tithingman, or Collector of Subsidy, for any Thing done by Virtue of their Offices, the Judge before whom it is tried may allow to the Defendant double Costs.

[In Trespass against Justice of Peace, if Plaintiff after Plea moves to discontinue, the Court may order double Costs by Rule, tho' on Verdict or Nonsuit it must be by Suggestion. *Davenish v. Mertins*, P. 7 G. 2. *Str.* 974.]

[By Stat. 24 G. 2. c. 44. in Action against Justice of Peace, if the Judge certifies that the Injury was wilful and malicious, Plaintiff shall have double Costs.]

So, by the *St.* 21 Jac. 12. In an Action against a Churchwarden, Overseer, Swornmen, or any in their Aid, or by their Command, for any Thing done in Virtue of their Offices.

And by these Statutes the Defendant shall have double Costs upon Certificate by the Judge, tho' the Plaintiff afterwards discontinue, or be nonsuited. *Vide the Statute itself.*—So Costs *de incremento* shall be double. *Per Holt, Skin. 555.*

And all the Defendants shall have double Costs. *Vau. 117.*

And this, tho' the Declaration be insufficient. *R. Cro. Car. 175. Vide Ante, (A. 5.)*

Tho' it be not in Trespass, &c. but in *Assumpsit*, &c. for Money which they took as Officers. *R. Show. 215.*

But the Defendant shall not have Costs, if the Judge does not certify that the Defendant was an Officer. *Cro. Car. 175. R. 2 Vent. 45.*

[If Plaintiff in an Action of *Trover* against Officers is nonsuited for not shewing a Title to the Goods, so that no Evidence of their being Officers appears, a Suggestion may be entered on the Roll for that Purpose, to intitle them to their double Costs. *Barton v. Miles, T. 8 G. 2. B. R. H. 125.*]

Or, if the Officer acts in a Matter Ecclesiastical: As, if an Action upon the Case be against a Churchwarden for a malicious Presentment for Incontinence, in the Spiritual Court. *R. Cro. Car. 285. Jon. 305.*

Nor in an Action for Neglect of his Office; as, for Refusal of his Vote in the Election of a Mayor. *R. 2 Lev. 250.*

For a malicious Presentment. *R. Cro. Car. 467.*

[Under 13 G. 2. c. 19. to restrain Horse-Races, Plaintiff or Informer has double Costs.]

[Defendant, after Verdict for Plaintiff for less than 40s. shall have Leave to enter Suggestion on the Roll, that he resides in *Middlesex*; to intitle him to double Costs, under 23 G. 2. c. 33. *Fitzpatrick v. Pickering, P. 30 G. 2. 2 Wilf. 68.*]

So, by the *St. 8 El. 2.* If any maliciously arrests in the Name of another, without his Consent, in *B. R.* or the *Marshalsea*, and be convicted, &c. he shall be imprisoned for six Months without Bail, and shall pay treble Costs to the Person arrested. (C. 3.)

By the *St. 43 El. 2. for Relief of the Poor*, In an Action for any Thing done by Authority of that Act, the Defendant shall have treble Damages and his Costs, if the Plaintiff be nonsuited, or has a Verdict against him.

Tho' the Money was not levied by Distress, but voluntarily paid to the Overseer, and he, who paid it, afterwards sues for the Money. *R. Yel. 176.*

So, by the *St. 2 W. & M. 5.* upon a *Rescous* of a Distress for Rent, there shall be treble Damages and Costs.

So, by the *Statutes for the Land-tax*, if the Defendant be sued as Collector of the Land-tax, he shall have treble Costs. [*Brassey v. Dawson, T. 7 G. 2. Str. 978.*]

Tho' by another Count in the same Declaration, he be charged for Fraud in the Execution of his Office, which is not within the Statute. *R. Carth. 189.*

And where treble Damages and Costs are given, the Costs *de incremento*, as well as the Damages, are treble. *R. Skin. 555.*

[Defendant pleading Insolvent Act, has Costs from the Time of his Plea. *Barnes 136.*]

(C. 4.) When not recovered.

But if a Statute gives double or treble Damages, where no Damages were recoverable at all, before; the Plaintiff shall not have any Costs. *2 Inst. 289. (A. 2, 3.)* *Vide Ante,*

As, in Waste against Tenant for Life or Years; (until the *St. 8 & 9 W. 3.* gave Costs if the single Value found does not exceed twenty Nobles.)

2 Inst. 289. 2 Sand. 257.

In an Action upon the *St. 1 & 2 P. & M. 12.* which gives 5*l.* and treble Damages for driving a Distress out of the County. *R. Dy. 177. b. 1 Rol. 516. l. 45.*

C O S T S.

In Debt upon the *St. 2 & 3 Ed. 6. 13.* which gives treble Damages for not setting out of Tithes; (until the *St. 8 & 9 W. 3. 11.* gave Costs where the single Value found does not exceed twenty Nobles.) *R. 2 Cro. 70. Gro. Car. 560. Mo. 915.*

In an Action for a forcible Entry, upon the *St. 8 H. 6. 9. Hard. 152.*

Or, for Ingrossing, upon the *St. 5 & 6 Ed. 6. 14. Hard. 152.*

In a *Decies tantum.* *Hard. 152.*

Where the Plaintiff or Demandant recovers double or treble Damages and Costs, it is the safest Way, that the Damages and Costs found by the Jury be doubled or trebled; and that there be no Costs *de Incremento.* *1 Rol. 517. l. 20.*

And the single Damages found may be doubled, or trebled by the Court. *R. Yel. 176.*

Yet Costs *de Incremento* may be given. *1 Rol. 517. l. 25.*

And Costs *de Incremento* were trebled. *Cro. El. 582.*

If Costs are given by a Jury, when they ought not, there shall be Judgment without Respect to them. *R. 2 Sand. 257.*

Costs in Chancery.

Vide Chancery, (2 W.)

C O T T A G E S.

Vide Justices of Peace, (B. 84.)

C O V E N A N T.

(A) When Covenant lies.

(A. 1.) Upon what Deed.

COVENANT lies when a Man covenants with another, by Deed, to do something, and does it not. *F. N. B. 145. A.*

Or, that he has done it; when it is not done. *Pl. Com. 308. a.*

And it lies upon a Covenant in any Deed indented, or Poll. *1 Rol. 517. l. 40.*

So, for breaking a Covenant by the Lessee in the King's Patent; tho' the Lessee did not seal any Counterpart; for his Acceptance charges him. *R. 1 Rol. 517. l. 50. 2 Cro. 522. R. 2 Cro. 240.*

So, if a Lease be to *A.* and *B.* by Indenture, and *A.* seals a Counterpart, and *B.* agrees to the Lease, but does not seal, yet *B.* may be charged for a Covenant broken. *Co. L. 231. a. 2 Rol. 63.*

Tho' the Covenant be collateral, and not annexed to the Land. *Co. L. 231. a.*

So, if by Charter-Party made by *B.* he lets the Ship to *D.* who covenants with *B.* and *A.* the Part-owners, to pay 300*l.* *A.* may have Covenant, tho' he did not seal, but only *B.* and *D.* sealed it; for it is in the Nature of a Deed-Poll by *D.* in which he may covenant with a Stranger to the Deed, tho' he cannot in an Indenture. *R. 2 Lev. 74.*

So, if by Articles, *A.* covenants generally to indemnify *B.* he may have Covenant, tho' he did not seal the Articles, and the Covenant was not with him. *R. Lut. 305.*

But Covenant does not lie upon an Agreement without Deed; but an Action upon the Case. *F. N. B. 145. A. G.*

Yot, by the Custom of *London*, Covenant lies within Deed. *F. N. B.* 146.

A.

So, by the Custom of any other Place. *1 Leo.* 2.

But such Custom shall be taken strictly; for upon such a Covenant, an Executor shall not be charged. *R. 1 Leo.* 2.

So Covenant cannot be for a Thing present. *Pl. Com.* 308. a.

[It lies not on a Lease made by the Committee of a Lunatick, for he cannot make a Lease at Law. *Knipe v. Palmer*, *T.* 33 & 34 *G.* 2. 2 *Wilf.* 130.]

(A. 2.) Upon what Words.

A Covenant is Real or Personal. *F. N. B.* 145. A. *Co. L.* 139. b.

A Covenant Real is, when a Man covenants to levy a Fine of Lands or Tenements, upon which a Writ of Covenant shall be brought, and a Fine shall be levied. *F. N. B.* 145. A. 146. F. *Vide Dett.*
(A. 8, 9.)

A Covenant Personal is by exprefs Words, or by a Covenant in Law. *Vau.* 118. *Co. L.* 139. b.

Any Words in a Deed, which shew an Agreement to do a Thing, make a Covenant: As, if it be agreed by Articles between A. and B. *that Stock shall be in the Hands of B. until a Jointure be made, B. solvendo proinde the Interest to A.*; Covenant lies against B. for the Interest. *R. 1 Rol.* 518. l. 50.

If it be said in a Lease, *that the Lessee shall repair, and leave repaired, &c.* *R. 1 Rol.* 518. l. 15. 2 *Cro.* 399.

That the Lessee shall have Wood, non succidendo Arbores; this is a Covenant by the Lessee that he will not cut down Trees. *R. Mar.* 9.

If said, *I have a Deed, and will produce it.* 2 *Mod.* 89. *R. 1 Rol.* 519. l. 10.

So, if in a Demise by the King's Letters Patent, it is said, *that the Grantee shall repair*; it shall be a Covenant by him. *R. 2 Cro.* 522.

If there be a Grant of an Office, *absque Impetitione, Denegatione, &c.* Covenant lies if the Grantee does not enjoy. *R. 1 Leo.* 277.

So, if it be said, *that it is agreed A. shall pay 10l. to B. for his Goods*; this amounts to a Covenant by B. to deliver his Goods; for, *agreed*, is the Word of both. *R. 1 Sand.* 322. 1 *Sid.* 423. *Ray.* 183.

That A. shall take Firebote, without cutting more than is necessary; Covenant lies against A. if he cuts more. *R. 1 Leo.* 324.

That an Apprentice shall be faithful, shall not discover the Secrets of his Master, &c. *R. Mo.* 135.

So, if Tenant in Tail leases for Years, and afterwards *covenants and grants that the Lessee shall hold to him and his Wife for the Life of the Lessor*; this does not amount to a Surrender, or Confirmation to enlarge his Estate, but to a Covenant. *R. Dy.* 272. b.

If the Lessee agrees, *that the Lessor shall have two Rooms of an House, and a Lease be of the House, except the two Rooms, and free Passage to them*; if the Lessor be disturbed in his Passage by the Lessee, Covenant lies against him. *R. 1 Sal.* 196.

Otherwise, if disturbed in the Rooms; for they were excepted. 1 *Sal.* 196.

If a Man covenants to stand seised to the Use of his Son, *saving that his Wife shall have the Loppings of Trees*; if the Son cuts down the Trees, Covenant lies against him. *R. Cro. Car.* 437.

If by Articles of Agreement it is said, *that it is intended a Fine shall be levied*; this amounts to a Covenant to levy it. *R. 2 Mod.* 91.

If A. covenants, *that B. shall take so many Trees yearly, and afterwards cuts them all down*; B. shall have Covenant against him. *Mod.* 18.

So, if the Words are introduced by Words of Condition; as, if a Lease be, *upon Condition, that the Lessee shall keep and leave the House in as good Plight, &c.* 40 *Ed.* 3. 5. b.

Or, *with Proviso, that if the Lessee dies within forty Years, his Executor shall have it for so many Years*; this is a Covenant by the Lessor, that the Executor shall have it. 1 *Rol.* 518. l. 45.

So,

So, *provided and it is agreed, that the Lessor shall find Timber.* 1 Rol. 518. l. 20.

Provided he pay out of the first Profits of an Office. R. 1 Lev. 155.

So, Covenant lies if an Agreement appears in an Obligation. Ca. Ch. 294.

So, if it be said in a Deed, *that an Obligation is in the Hand of B. and that I will deliver it*; Covenant lies for not delivering it. R. 1 Rol. 519. l. 10.

So, if a Man gives a Release for Money recovered by him, and at the End of the Deed mentions, *that he will not sue Execution*; if he afterwards sues it, Covenant lies against him upon this Deed. R. 1 Rol. 517. l. 45.

So, if a Deed be, *I oblige myself to pay at such a Day*; Covenant lies. R. Hard. 178.

So, if by Writing it is agreed, *that A. shall give B. 70l. for a House*; Covenant lies against B. for not conveying the House. R. 1 Sand. 320. Ray. 183. 1 Sid. 423. 1 Lev. 274.

That A. shall be accountable to B. for all Money received. R. 1 Lev. 47.

So, if A. assigns and transfers Money due to him from a foreign State. R. 1 Mod. 113.

When Covenant, or Debt lies, *Vide Action*, (M. 4.)

(A. 3.) Upon what, not.

But where Words do not amount to an Agreement, Covenant does not lie; as, if they are merely Conditional to defeat the Estate: As, a Lease, *provided and upon Condition, that the Lessee collect and pay the Rents of his other Houses.* R. 1 Rol. 518. l. 30.

So, if the Words are only a Qualification of the Words on the other Part; as, if a Lessee covenants to repair, *provided that the Lessor finds Timber*; this is not a Covenant by the Lessor to find it, if there be not the Word, *agreed*. R. 1 Rol. 518. l. 25.

If B. covenants to pay 100l. to A. and he covenants, *upon Receipt, to give an Acquittance, and to make an Obligation, &c.* it is not any Covenant that he will receive and give an Acquittance. 2 Dan. 231.

So, if a Deed be in the Nature of a Defeasance; Covenant does not lie upon it, but an Action upon the Case: As, if by Deed it be agreed, *that a Statute be cancelled*, in the present Tense. *Semb.* 1 Sid. 48.

So, if a Mortgage be by A. to B. by a Demise for Years, with a Proviso to be void, *if A. pay 10l. at such a Day, and 410l. at such a Day*, and there be a Bond for Performance of all Covenants, Payments, &c. Debt does not lie, if A. does not pay, without an express Covenant for Payment; for the Mortgage is forfeited. *Semb.* 2 Mod. 36.

So, if the Mortgage was by Feoffment. R. 2 Cro. 281. Yel. 206.

(A. 4.) When it lies upon a Covenant in Law.

Vide Carranty, (A.)

So some Words import and make a Covenant in Law, tho' there be not any express Covenant: As, if a Man, by Deed demise Land for Years, and the Lessee is ousted; Covenant lies upon the Word, *demise*. 1 Rol. 519. F. R. 4 Co. 80. b. Dy. 257. a. R. 2 Leo. 104. Cro. El. 674. R. 2 Cro. 73.

So, if he demise, or assign, by the Word, *concessit*.

So, if he demise *reddendo* Rent; Covenant lies for Non-payment of the Rent, upon the Word *reddendo*. 1 Rol. 419. l. 25. 1 Sid. 266, 447.

Tho' the Reservation be to a Stranger. *Per Hale*, 1 Mod. 113.

So, if he convey the Inheritance with Warranty, and the Feoffee, &c. be evicted for Years; Covenant lies upon the Word *Warrantizo*. R. 1 Rol. 519. l. 20. Yel. 139. 1 Rol. 25. R. Hob. 3.

So it lies upon a Warranty in a Fine *Sur Concessit* for Years. 2 Sand. 180. 1 Lev. 301. 1 Sid. 466.

So it lies against a Woman after the Death of her Husband, upon a Warranty in a Fine by them *Sur Concessit* for Years. *R. 1 Sand. 180. 1 Mod. 291.*

So it lies upon a Warranty in Law, by the Word *Dedi, &c.* if he be evicted for Years.

Or, by the Word, *Dedi, Concessi, or Demisi*, of an Estate for Life, tho' the Eviction be only for Years; for he cannot be aided by Voucher, Rebutter, or *Warrantia Chartæ*. *R. Hob. 4.*

So Covenant lies upon the Word, *Demisi*, if the Lessor had not Power to demise; tho' the Lessee never entred, nor was evicted. *R. Hob. 12.*

Tho' the Lease was good only by Estoppel. *R. 2 Cro. 73.*

So, if he demises, *reddendo* such a Rent free of all Taxes; Covenant lies, if he does not pay it, discharged of Taxes before or afterwards imposed. *R. Carth. 135.*

So, if a Lessee for Years be distrained by the Lord *Paramount*; he shall have Covenant against him in the *Mesnalty*, tho' he cannot have a Writ of *Mesne*. *Ray. 257.*

So, if a Lessor does an Act which destroys or defeats the Effect of his Grant, Covenant lies against him; as, if *A.* grants the Use of a Way to *B.* and afterwards stops it. *1 Sand. 322.*

But an express Covenant controuls the Generality of a Covenant in Law: And therefore, if a Lessor covenants, that the Lessee shall enjoy without Eviction *by him or any who claim under him*; Covenant does not lie upon Eviction by a Stranger. *R. 4 Co. 80. b.*

So, if a Lessor covenants, that the Lessee shall take Estovers *by Assignment*; he cannot take them without Assignment. *Semb. Dy. 19. b.*

If a Lessee covenants to repair at his own Charges, he cannot take Timber. *Vide Dy. 198. b. 314. a.*

So, if Goods be demised by Indenture for Years; if the Lessee be evicted, Covenant does not lie upon the Word, *demisi*; for the Law does not create a Covenant for a personal Thing.

So, if *A.* demises a House, and the Use of a Pump; Covenant does not lie, if the Lessee cannot use it. *R. cont. per 3 J. but Twisd. acc. and the Judgment was reversed. 1 Sand. 322. 1 Sid. 430.*

So, if *A.* covenants or promises by Deed, to do such a Thing; Covenant does not lie by any one not named in the Deed. *R. 1 Sal. 197.*

(B) By whom it lies.

(B. 1.) By an Executor, or Administrator.

IF a Man covenants with *B.* to do a personal Thing, and *B.* dies; his Executor or Administrator shall have Covenant upon it. *F. N. B. 145. D. 146. D. Reg. 165. b.*

So, if he covenants with *B.* and does not name his Executor or Administrator. *By whom, and to whom, a Condition shall be performed, Vide Condition (G. 1, 2.— O, 1, 2.)*

So, if he covenants with *B.* his Heirs and Assigns, upon a Grant or Conveyance of an Inheritance; the Executor or Administrator of *B.* may have Covenant for Damages, upon a Breach in his Life-time. *R. 1 Vent. 176, 347. 2 Lev. 26.*

So, if he covenants with a Bishop and his Successors to repair a Rectory demised; the Executor of the Bishop may have Covenant for a Breach in his Life-time. *R. 2 Vent. 56.*

(B. 2.) By an Heir.

So, where the Covenant relates to the Inheritance, the Heir may have an Action upon it. *1 Rol. 520. l. 42.*

As, if an Abbot covenants with a Lord of a Manor to sing in his Chapel, for him and his Family. *42 Ed. 3. 3. Dy. 24. a.*

If one Parcener, upon Partition, covenants with the other, to acquit her of a Suit issuing out of the Land. *R. 42 Ed. 3. 3. b. Vide Co. L. 385. a. 5 Co. 18. a.*

If a Man covenants with another and his Heirs, to make such an Assurance. *Bend. pl. 260. Dy. 338. a. 1 And. 55.*

If a Man covenants to convey Part of Lands purchased, to the Heir of his Coparcener. *R. Dy. 338. a.*

To leave the Estate in Repair at the End of the Term. *R. 2 Lev. 92.*

Tho' the Covenant be with the Lessor, his Executors and Administrators, and does not name the Heir. *R. 2 Lev. 92.* Where the Covenant was such as runs with the Land, and appears to be intended to have Continuance after his Death.

(B. 3.) By an Assignee.

So by the Common Law, upon a Covenant in Law, the Assignee of the Estate shall have an Action. *Dy. 257. F. N. B. 146. C. 1 Rol. 521. I. R. 4 Co. 80. b. R. 5 Co. 17. a. Mo. 419.*

So, Tenant by Statute-Merchant, &c. who comes to the Land by Act of Law. *5 Co. 17. a.*

So, tho' the Assignment be by *Parol*, where it may be good by *Parol*. *Mo. 419. Cro. El. 437.*

So, upon a Covenant which runs with the Estate, the Assignee shall have an Action, tho' not named: As, if an Abbot covenants to sing for B. and all the Lords of such a Manor, in his Chapel there; the Assignee of the Manor shall have Covenant. *1 Rol. 521. l. 15. 5 Co. 17. b. Co. L. 385. a.*

If one Parcener covenants with the other to acquit her of a Suit due on the Land, the Assignee of the other Parcener shall have Covenant. *1 Rol. 521. l. 22. 5 Co. 18. a. Co. L. 384. b. 385. a.*

If a Lessee covenants to repair; the Assignee of the Reversion shall have Covenant. *R. 1 Lev. 109. R. 3 Lev. 326. Adm. 1 Sal. 317.*

So, if he be named, the Assignee shall have Covenant by the Common Law, upon a Covenant, which relates to the Inheritance: As, if a Man covenants with a Purchaser, his Heirs and Assigns, to make further Assurance, &c. *R. 1 Rol. 521. l. 25. R. Cro. Car. 503.*

If he covenants with a Lessee, his Executors and Assigns, that he shall recoup out of his Rent. *Semb. Cro. Car. 137.*

And now, by the *St. 32 H. 8. 34.* Patentees of the King, and Grantees or Assignees of Reversion from the King, or any other, may maintain Actions for not performing the Covenants, &c. expressed in their Leases, against the Lessees, their Executors, Administrators or Assigns, as the Grantors might have done. *Vide Condition, (O. 2.)*

And thereupon the Patentee of the King (as the King himself) shall have Covenant against the Lessee, his Executor or Assignee. *R. 2 Rol. 64.*

Tho' he be Assignee of the Reversion only for Years. *R. Cro. El. 600, 617.*

So Covenant lies by an Assignee, against the Lessee or his Executor, for Rent due after the Assignment of the Term, and Acceptance of Rent from the Assignee. *R. 3 Lev. 233. R. 2 Rol. 64. Vide Post, (C. 1.)*

So it lies by an Assignee of Part of the Estate demised. *Semb. 1 Leo. 250.*

Or the Assignees of several Parts may join. *R. 1 Lev. 109. 1 Sid. 157. Ray. 80.*

And tho' the Lessee did not covenant with the Lessor and his Heirs and Assigns, but only with the Lessor, his Executors and Assigns; yet the Assignee of the Reversion, being entitled to the Rent, shall have Covenant for it, as incident. *Per Hale, 2 Sand. 371.*

Or, covenanted with the Lessor and his Heirs, without naming Assigns. *R. Mo. 27, 159, 242. 1 Lev. 109. 1 Sid. 157.*

So, if a Woman Lessee takes Husband, the Husband shall have Covenant upon a Covenant in Law. *R. 5 Co. 17. a.*

Or,

Or, upon any exprefs Covenant by the Lessor. 5 Co. 17. a.

So Tenant by Statute, *Elegit*, &c. tho' he comes to the Land by Act of Law. *Ibid.*

And where an Assignee shall have Covenant, it extends to an Assignee in Fact, or in Law.

And to an Assignee of an Assignee, *toties quoties*. 5 Co. 17. b.

And to the Executor or Administrator of an Assignee; or the Assignee of an Executor or Administrator. *Ibid.*

And Covenant lies by an Assignee, upon every Covenant, which concerns the Land; as, to pay Rent, not do Waste, &c. *Vide Condition*, (O. 1, 2.)

So, upon a Covenant to leave the Lands in good Repair at the End of the Term. *R. Cro. El. 600.*

To make a Wall upon the Land. *R. Mo. 159.*

To enter to view the Repairs. 1 *Leo. 62.*

To make a new Lease at the Expiration of the first. *Mo. 159.*

But the *St. 32 H. 8. 34.* does not extend to collateral Covenants, which do not concern the Land demised: And therefore the Assignee shall not have Covenant for a collateral Covenant broken. 5 Co. 18. a. *Vide Condition*, (O. 1, 2.)

Nor if a Covenant be contingent, or upon a Possibility: As, that if the Lessor upon his View finds the Lands, &c. well repaired at the End of the Term, he will make a new Lease. *R. per 3 J. Mo. 27.*

So an Assignee of an Apprentice by the Custom of *London*, shall not have Covenant upon the original Indenture. *R. Sho. 4.*

So an Assignee of a Lease, which appears to be good only by Estoppel, shall not have Covenant. *R. Cro. El. 437. Mo. 419.*

So Covenant does not lie by an Assignee, for a Breach done before his Time.

Yet where a Breach is continuing, it shall be otherwise: As, if a Covenant be to repair within such a Time after Notice; if the Lessee does not repair upon Notice by the Assignee, Covenant lies, tho' it was out of Repair before the Assignment. *R. Mo. 242.*

So Covenant lies by an Infant against a Man of full Age; tho' there are mutual Covenants, and the Covenant by the Infant does not bind. *R. 1 Sid. 446. Vide Action upon the Case*, (B. 14.)

But Covenant does not lie by the Covenantee, after his Assignment of the Reversion. *D. 3 Lev. 154. Vide Dett*, (D.)

(C) Against whom it lies.

(C. 1.) Against an Executor, or Administrator.

SO, if a Man covenants with B. and dies, an Action lies against his Executor, or Administrator upon it, tho' he be not named in the Covenant. 1 *Rol. 519. l. 35, 40. Dy. 14. a. Dub. Dy. 114. a. Cro. El. 553.*

So, in all Cases, an Executor is bound by a Covenant, if it does not determine by the Death of the Covenantor. 1 *Rol. 519. l. 33. 2 Mod. 269.*

So, if he covenants for him and his Assigns: For an Executor, or Administrator is an Assignee. *R. Mo. 44.*

But it does not lie upon a Covenant in Law not broken until the Death of the Covenantor. *R. Dy. 257. a.*

Nor, if a Covenant be for a personal Act of the Testator, if the Breach be not in his Life-time.

So, if a Man covenants for him, his Executors and Assigns; Covenant lies against him, or his Executor, for a Breach done after Assignment of his Term to another, and Acceptance of Rent from the Assignee. *R. 2 Cro. 309. R. 2 Cro. 522. 1 Rol. 522. l. 15, 30. R. Cro. Car. 188, 580. Vide Ante*, (B. 3.)

[Tho' all the Estate of the Lessee is assigned by Act of Parliament, (as in the Case of the *South-Sea Directors*) if there are no Words of Discharge, the Lessee's

fee's Executor is still liable to covenant for the Rent. *Hornby v. Houlditch*, M. 11 G. 2. *Andr.* 40.]

And this, upon all Covenants in Fact, tho' it might be brought against the Assignee: For the Covenantor has an Election, in Covenants which bind the Assignee, to charge him or the Covenantor himself, tho' he has accepted Rent from the Assignee. *R. Jon.* 223.

But upon a Covenant in Law, after Assignment of the Term, and Acceptance of Rent from the Assignee, Covenant does not lie against the Assignor. *Jon.* 223. *1 Sid.* 447.

[Against the Executor of a Joint-lessee, if the Covenant is joint and several, even tho' he died before the Term commenced, and the whole Term, Interest and Benefit survived to the other Lessee. *Enys v. Donnithorne*, T. 1 G. 3. 2 B. M. 1190.]

(C. 2.) Against an Heir.

So, if he covenants for him and his Heirs, Covenant lies against their Heir. *Lut.* 287.

So, if Tenant in Fee leases for Years, and covenants for Enjoyment, and the Lessee is ousted by his Heir; Covenant lies against the Heir, in respect of the Privity, tho' he be not named. *Semb. Dy.* 257. *b.*

So, if a Lease be by the Word, *Demisi.* 2 *Leo.* 104.

(C. 3.) Or an Assignee.

So, if a Man covenants to do a Thing, which has Existence at the Time of the Demise, and relates to it; the Covenant runs with the Land, and binds the Assignee, tho' he be not named: As, if he covenants to pay the Rent reserved.

To repair the House demised. *R. 5 Co.* 16. *b.* 17. *b.* *R. 5 Co.* 24. *a. b.* *Dy.* 13. *b. in Marg.* *R. Cro. El.* 457, 552. *R. 1 Rol.* 521. *l.* 37.

To discharge the Lessor of all Charges ordinary and extraordinary. *5 Co.* 24. *b.*

To permit the Lessor to have free Passage to two Rooms excepted by the Demise. *R. 1 Sal.* 196.

To leave so many Acres yearly *sine Cultura.* *R. 2 Cro.* 125.

So, if a Man covenants to do a Thing which relates to a Demise, and covenants for him and his Assigns expressly; this binds his Assignee, tho' the Thing had not Existence at the Time: As, if a Lessee covenants for him and his Assigns to build a new Wall upon the Land. *R. 5 Co.* 16. *b.*

[Covenant from Lessee of Tithes for himself or Assigns not to let the Farmers have their Tithes, runs with the Tithes and binds the Assignee. *Bally v. Wells*, M. 10 G. 3. 3 *Wils.* 25.]

So Covenant lies against an Assignee of Part of an Estate in Lease, for a Breach on his Part. *R. 1 Rol.* 522. *l.* 5. *Cro. Car.* 222. *Jon.* 245.

So, if a Man covenants for him and his Assigns, so long as they shall be in Possession; Covenant lies against the Assignee, if he continues in Possession after the Term expired, tho' he be not strictly an Assignee. *Semb. Sti.* 407.

So, if an Assignee of a Term covenants for him and his Executors, the Executor may be charged as Assignee. *1 Sal.* 317.

But if a Man covenants for him and his Assigns to do a collateral Thing, which does not concern the Land, the Assignee shall not be charged for it: As, if a Lessee covenants to build a House upon other Land of the Lessor. *R. 5 Co.* 16. *b.* *Jon.* 223. *Vide Condition*, (O. 1, 2.)

If a Lessee covenants for him and his Assigns to pay Money to a Stranger. *5 Co.* 16. *b.*

Or, a Collateral Sum to the Lessor himself. *Ibid.*

So, if Goods are demised, and the Lessee covenants for him and his Assigns, to leave them in as good Plight, or to pay so much for them; Covenant does not lie against the Assignee of the Goods: For there wants the Privity between him and the Lessor, which there is when Land is demised. *R. 5 Co.* 16. *b.*

So, if Land be demised with Stock, &c. and the Lessee covenants for him and his Assigns, to deliver the Stock at the End of the Term; Covenant does not lie against the Assignee, for the Covenant is merely personal, tho' the Rent was increased in respect of the Stock. 5 Co. 17. a.

So, if a Grantor of a Rent-Charge covenants to pay it free from Taxes; Covenant does not lie by the Heir of the Grantee, against the Assignee or Lessee of the Land. R. 1 Sal. 198.

So, if a Bishop covenants for him and his Successors, the Successor shall not be bound but only to the Covenant usual in former Leases. R. 2 Lev. 68. 1 Vent. 223.

So, if a Lessee covenants for him and his Assigns to pay Rent, and he assigns to B. and the Lessor accepts the Rent of B. who afterwards assigns to C. Covenant does not lie against B. for Rent incurred after the Assignment to C. tho' the Lessor had no Notice of the Assignment. R. cont. per 2 J. in C. B. but the Judgment was reversed in B. R. inter Pitcher and Tovy. 4 Mod. 71. 3 Lev. 295. Carth. 177. Vide Dett, (E.)

So, if a Covenant be to build a House before Michaelmas and after Michaelmas he assigns to B. Covenant does not lie against B. for it was broken before the Assignment. R. 1 Sal. 199.

[If Lessee covenants to pull down old Houses, and build new on the Ground within seven Years, and does not, but after seven Years assigns; Assignee is not liable, for the Covenant does not run with the Land, Saint Saviour's v. Smith, H. 2 G. 3. 3 B. M. 1271.]

For Pleading in a Writ of Covenant, Vide Pleader, (2. V. 1, &c.)

(D) Covenant, how expounded.

(D. 1.) In regard to the Context.

A Covenant shall be expounded with Regard to the Context, and Intent of the Deed; and therefore, if A. conveys a third Part of his Estate to B. for the Life of another, and covenants to do any Act, &c. for the better Assurance of his Estate to B. Such Covenant extends only to the better Assurance of the said third Part to B. for the Life of the other. R. Hob. 275.

If a Covenant be, that a Jointure is, and shall continue of such a Value, notwithstanding any Act by him, the Words, notwithstanding any Act, extend to the Value at the Time of the Jointure, as well as to the Continuance. R. Cro. El. 43.

If, upon the Marriage of his Daughter, a Man covenants to pay to Husband and Wife 20 l. per Ann. it shall be understood, for their Lives. R. 1 Sid. 151.

If a Deed recites Legacies of 50 l. given to A. C. and D. and thereupon it is covenanted to pay to A. B. C. and D. the Legacies and Sums aforesaid; he is not bound to pay 50 l. to B. to whom no Legacy was given. R. 2 Vent. 140.

If a Mortgage is made, upon Condition to be void upon Payment at such a Day, and there be a Covenant or Obligation to perform all Covenants and Conditions in the Deed of Mortgage, an Action lies if he do not pay at the Day in the Condition. R. 2 Lev. 116.

[If A. demises Land to B. who by Deed-poll, covenants, that if A. should give him Possession of a Piece of Ground adjoining, or if he should by any Ways have Possession thereof, he should pay for the demised Premises and the said Ground an additional Rent; if B. gets Possession of said adjoining Ground he shall pay the additional Rent, tho' it was by Lease from a third Person. Heath v. Baker, M. 10 G. 2. B. R. H. 319.]

[In a building and repairing Lease, a Covenant to leave the demised Premises, with all new Erections well repaired, extends to new Erections only, if a Sum is agreed to be laid out in new Erections and rebuilding, and the Covenant to keep in Repair extends to new Erections only. Lant v. Norris, P. 30 G. 2. 1 B. M. 287]

(D. 2.) To Synonymous, and other Words.

So distinct Covenants shall be expounded with Regard to Covenants synonymous, or of the same Nature, in the same Deed: As, if a Man covenants that notwithstanding any Act by him, he is seised in Fee; that he has Power to sell; the last shall be expounded, that he has done nothing to defeat his Power to sell, tho' it be distinct from the first. *Semb. per 3 J. 3 Lev. 46.*

So a Covenant shall be construed according to the Import of the Words: As, if a Lessor covenants, that the Lessee shall enjoy without Interruption, except by the King, his Heirs or Successors; an Interruption by a Patentee shall be a Breach, for he is not excepted! *R. Cro. El. 517, 8. Vide Condition, (E.—G. 12, &c.—M. 1, &c.)*

If a Covenant be, that he shall not be evicted during the Term; if the Lease be by Indenture *1st May* for nine Years next, an Eviction after the Lease commenced in Computation will be a Breach, tho' it was before the Delivery. *R. 1 Sid. 374.*

If a Condition of an Obligation be, that he permit his Wife to devise 100*l.* to be paid out of his personal Estate, &c. he ought not only to permit the Devise, but to pay the Legacy. *R. per 3 J. 2 Rol. 247. l. 50.*

Covenant that he will not interrupt *B.* in the Enjoyment of a Close; if he erects a Gate which interrupts, it will be a Breach, tho' he has a Right to erect it. *R. 2 Mod. Ca. 319.*

If a Joint-tenant grants *totum Statum* in a Mill (by which a Moiety passes) and the Survivor, supposing that he has the Whole by Survivorship, grants *totum Molendinum*, with a Covenant that the Lessee shall enjoy without Interruption by him; it will be a Breach, for the Covenant extends to the whole Mill. *R. 2 Cro. 233.*

So the Words of a Covenant shall be restrained to the Meaning of the Phrase at the Time of the Covenant: As, if a Bishop, *Anno 1635*, covenants to pay all Taxes during the Term; this shall be restrained to Synodals, &c. then usually paid, and does not extend to Taxes by Parliament *Anno 1665*. *R. 2 Lev. 68.*

If a Lessor covenants to indemnify the Lessee from all Duties, Charges, and Taxes to be imposed on the Land, except Tithes; it does not extend to the Poor's Rate, which is not a Charge upon the Land, but upon the Person in respect of his Ability. *R. F, g. 297.*

But a Covenant to pay so much clear of all Taxes extends to Parliamentary Taxes. *R. per 3 J. Holt, cont. 1 Sal. 221.*

And the Words of a Covenant shall not be extended to Things of common Right, if they may be otherwise satisfied: As, a Covenant, that Land shall be discharged of all Rents, does not extend to a Rent-Service. *3 Leo. 44.*

So restrictive Words in the Beginning or End of a Sentence, which in good Sense may be applied to several Sentences, shall extend to them all. *1 Sand. 60.*

But several and distinct Covenants shall not be restrained the one by the other: As, if *B.* covenants, that notwithstanding any Act by him, he has good Power to convey for a Jointure, and that the Lands conveyed are of the Value of 200*l.*; the latter Covenant is absolute, and not restrained to any Act by him. *R. Jon. 403. Lit. 185. in Marg.*

If *A.* covenants with his Lessor, that he will pull down three Messuages, and erect three new ones, and that he *omnia Messuagia fore erect.* will leave well repaired at the End of the Term; if he erects four Messuages where he pulled down the three, he ought to leave the four well repaired: For the latter Covenant is distinct, and not restrained by the former. *R. 2 Vent. 128. 3 Lev. 265.*

If a Covenant be, upon reasonable Request to surrender such an Estate to *B.* and also to permit him to enjoy the Profits; he ought to permit the Taking of the Profits, without Request, for they are distinct Clauses. *R. 2 Rol. 248. l. 50.*

If *A.* covenants, that he has a good Estate in Fee, and that he has Power to convey notwithstanding any Act by him, &c. the former Covenant, that *he has a good Estate*, is not restrained by the Words, *notwithstanding any Act.* *R. 2 Rol. 250. l. 5.*

So, tho' the Covenants are not distinguished by distinct Clauses, if they be several in their Nature: As, if a Lease for Years, if *A. B. and C. so long live*, be assigned to *D.* with a Covenant, that he has a sufficient Estate for the Residue of the Term, *if A. B. and C. shall so long live, and they are yet in Life*; Tho' he does not say, *and that they are, &c.* yet it is a distinct Covenant, and it will be a Breach if any of them was dead. *R. 2 Rol. 249. l. 10.*

If *A.* covenants that he and his Wife will levy a Fine to *B. and C.* and their Heirs, and at their Charges; the latter Words make a distinct Covenant, for *A.* cannot covenant to levy a Fine at the Charge of the Conusees. *R. 2 Rol. 251. l. 5.*

So Words in the Middle of a Sentence cannot in good Sense be extended to other Sentences: As, if *A.* covenants to deliver a Terrier of his Lands, and to make Oath upon Request of the Truth of it, and to deliver the original Lease; there is no Need of a Request for the Delivery of the Lease. *R. 2 Rol. 250. l. 10.*

(E) Breach of Covenant.

(E. 1.) What shall be.

WHAT shall be a Breach of a Covenant to make Assurance, *Vide Condition, (H.)*

What, a Breach of a Covenant to keep indemnified, *Vide Condition, (I.)*

Of a Covenant for Enjoyment, without Interruption or Molestation, it shall be a Breach, if the Covenantor prosecutes him in a Court of Equity. *R. cont. Mo. 859. Semb. 2 Vent. 213. Vide Condition, (M. 1. Q.)*

If the Covenantor himself wrongfully disturbs him. *Vide Condition, (G. 12. M. 1.)*

Otherwise, if a Stranger interrupts wrongfully, without Title. *Vide Condition, (E.)*

If a Lessor covenants with the Lessee, that the Land shall continue to him of the Value of 200*l.* during the Term; it will be a Breach, if the Lessor ousts him, for then it cannot continue of such Value. *R. Jon. 360.*

If a Husband seised in Right of his Wife covenants, that he and his Wife have a Right to assure, it shall be a Breach, if the Wife be within Age. *R. 2 Jon. 195, 6.*

So, if a Covenant be to convey free from Incumbrances; it shall be a Breach if he makes a fraudulent Conveyance, tho' it is void as to a Purchaser by the *St. 27 El. 4. R. 2 Cro. 131.*

So, if it be, that the Land is free from all Incumbrances; a Grant by Copy of the same Land will be a Breach. *Sav. 74.*

So, if a Covenant be, that Land shall be *clare exonerata ab omnibus prioribus titulis jur' & oneribus, &c.* if there was a former Lease to the Feoffee *quamdiu sola manserit*, and that if she married, her Son should have it; if the Feoffee marries, and the Son enters, it shall be a Breach of Covenant, tho' the Charge was future and contingent. *R. 1 Leo. 93.*

So, if a Covenant be, that the Land is discharged, and a Rent-charge was before granted to commence at a Day to come. *1 Leo. 93.*

If a Man acts contrary to the Intention of the Covenant, it shall be a Breach, tho' he performs the Words of the Covenant: As, if a Covenant be to deliver a Recognizance to be cancelled; it is a Breach if he extends it before, tho' it be afterwards cancelled. *R. Ray. 25. 1 Sid. 48.*

If a Brewer covenants to deliver all his Grains for the Cattle of the Plaintiff; and he puts Hops to them before Delivery. *R. Ray. 464.*

If a Man covenants to leave all the Trees upon the Land; and he cuts them down, and leaves them there. *Ray. 464.*

So it shall be a Breach of Covenant, if the Covenantor be disabled to perform. *Vide Condition, (M. 2, &c.)*

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If the Thing
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before Per-
formance.
*Vide Condition:
(M. 1.)*

(E. 13.)

(E. 3.) What not.

But a Covenant shall not be broken, if a Man does an Act, which by Consequence may be a Breach, if the Breach does not actually follow: As, if *A.* covenants to maintain every Action in her Name, without Release or Countermand; if *A.* after an Action commenced takes Husband, it is not a Breach, tho' the Writ be abateable, if it be not abated by Judgment. *R. 1 Leo. 169.*

If *A.* covenants that *B.* shall enjoy a Lease assigned, free from Arrears of Rent; if Rent be in Arrear, it shall not be a Breach, where no Damage accrues thereby to *B.* by Suit, or otherwise. *R. 1 Sal. 196.*

So, if an Obligation be, to indemnify from Rent in Arrear, or Money due by Obligation, after the Arrears incurred, or the Obligation broken. *1 Sal. 197.*

So a collateral Thing shall not be a Breach, tho' it be within the Words of the Covenant: As, if *A.* covenants that *B.* shall enjoy without any Molestation; a Suit in *Chancery* against him to stay Waste is no Breach, tho' the Bill be dismissed; for it is a collateral Thing. *R. 2 Vent. 214.*

So a Covenant shall not be broken by a subsequent Act, to which the Words do not extend: As, if a Covenant be, that *A.* shall enjoy free from prior Incumbrances, except Estates for the Life of *B.* and *B.* afterwards grants by Copy for three Lives, for, tho' this extends beyond the Life of *B.* it is not a prior Incumbrance. *R. Sav. 74.*

So a Covenant shall not be broken by a Thing which happens by the Act of God, if it be repaired in convenient Time: As, if a Lessee covenants to repair a Wall against a River, so that a Meadow shall not be overflowed; if by an outrageous and sudden Flood the Wall be thrown down and the Meadow overflowed, it is not a Breach, if it repaired in due Time. *Per 2 J. Dy. 33. a.*

So a Covenant to do an unlawful Thing shall be void: As, to permit his Escape. *Hob. 14.*

To indemnify from an Escape, which he has permitted. *Ibid.*

(F) Covenant, how defeated.

IF the Foundation of the Covenant fails, the Covenant also fails: As, if a Lease be agreed on and the Lessee executes his Part, but the Lessor does not execute his Part, whereby there is not any Lease; the Covenants in the Indenture sealed by the Lessee, and also the Bond for Performance of Covenants, are void. *R. Yel. 18.*

So, if a Lease be made, and afterwards surrendered, the Covenants contained in the Lease become void. *Yel. 19.*

So, if a Lease be void, the Covenants contained in the Lease, and the Bond to perform the Covenants, are also void: As, if a Man grants so much of a Term as shall be at his Death, and the Grantee assigns it; the Grant being void for Uncertainty, the Covenants in the Assignment are also void. *R. Ray. 27. R. 3 Lev. 193. 1 Lev. 45.*

So, if Tenant for Life, or in Tail, leases for twenty Years, and covenants by *demise*, and dies within the Term, Covenant does not lie. *R. 1 Leo. 179.*

So, if a Lease be extended for the King's Debt, a Covenant to pay the Rent to the Lessor is void. *Sav. 132.*

If a Lessor ousts his Lessee, he shall not have Covenant against him for the Rent.

Nor against *A.* who gave a Bond, that the Lessee should pay Rent for the Occupation of the Lands. *R. 3 Leo. 159.*

So, if an Obligation be for Performance of such and such Covenants in an Indenture, Part of which are void by the *St. 5 Ed. 6. 16.* against buying Offices; an Action does not lie, for, tho' Part of the Covenants may be lawful, the Obligation shall be void for the Whole. *R. Cro. El. 529.*

So,

So, in all Cases, where Part of the Condition is void by Statute. *R. Hob.*

14. [A Covenant not to marry any other Woman, and if he does, to pay Plaintiff 1000 *l.* is a Restraint of Marriage, illegal and void; and if on Plea of *non est factum*, there is a Verdict for Plaintiff, Judgment shall be arrested. *Lowe v. Peers*, P. 8 G. 3. *Affirmed in Exchequer Chamber*, P. 1770. 4 B. M. 2225.]

But where Part is void by the Common Law, and other Part is good, the Obligation shall be good. *R. Hob.* 14. *Mo.* 856. *R. Cart.* 230.

But if a Lease becomes void, Covenant lies for a Covenant broken before: As, if a Lease be upon Condition to be void for Non-payment of Rent; an Action lies for Rent due before. *Cro. El.* 78. *R. Cro. El.* 244.

So, if a Parson makes a Lease, and afterwards becomes Non-resident, he shall have Covenant for a Breach before. *Cro. El.* 78, 245. *Dub. Dy.* 373. *a. but there acc. per Nich. in Marg.*

So Covenant lies for a Breach in Non-performance of a Thing, which makes the Lease void; as, if a Man covenants by Indenture to give a Bond, &c. *Proviso that upon Failure the Indenture shall be thenceforth void*; Covenant lies for not giving the Bond, for the Intent was, that it should be void as to all Covenants *in futuro*. *R. Cro. El.* 77.

So, if a Lease be void, Covenant lies upon a collateral Thing: As, if a Dean and Chapter lease to *A.* and afterwards lease to *B.* and covenant, that they have Power to lease; Covenant lies, tho' the Lease to *B.* was void, for it was broken immediately by the making of the Lease. *R. Ow.* 136. 2 *Dan.* 228. 1 *Brownl.* 21.

So, Covenant that the Lessee shall enjoy, shall be indemnified, &c. *Ow.* 136.

So, if a Bargain and Sale be to *A.* and his Heirs, upon Condition to be void, upon Payment by the Bargainor of so much Money, and he covenants that he will pay; tho' the Deed be void for not inrolling within six Months, *A.* shall have Covenant for Non-payment of the Money. *R.* 1 *Sal.* 199.

So, if there be a Covenant to do a lawful Thing, and afterwards by Act of Parliament the Thing be prohibited, the Covenant shall be defeated. *R.* 1 *Sal.* 198. *R. cont.* 3 *Mod.* 39.

So, if a Covenant be, that he will not do, what a Statute afterwards requires him to do. 1 *Sal.* 198.

But if a Covenant be, that he will not do a Thing then unlawful, tho' a Statute afterwards makes the Thing lawful, the Covenant is not repealed. 1 *Sal.* 198.

So, if a Covenant be to find eight Men to grind at a Mill, and that the Lessee shall deduct it out of his Rent; if the Lessee makes it a Horse-Mill, by this Alteration the Covenant is discharged. *R.* 2 *Cro.* 182.

(G) Covenant to stand seised.

(G. 1.) When it shall be good.

IF a Man covenants or agrees for him and his Heirs, with another and his Heirs, that upon such Consideration the other shall have his Lands or Tene-^{*Vide Bargain and Sale, (B. 1, &c.)*}ments; tho' the Land does not pass for Want of Livery, &c. yet the Covenantee shall have the Use and Profits, and now the Possession is executed to the Use by the *St.* 27 H. 8. 10. *Pl. Com.* 301. *b.* 303. *a.*

Tho' he covenants, that at a future Day, as next *Easter*, &c. he will stand seised. *R.* 2 *Cro.* 180. *Vide Uses.*

Tho' the Covenantor was seised only in Reversion, or Remainder. 2 *Co.* 15. *a.*

But such Covenant ought to be by Deed; for an Use shall not be raised by Parol. *Adm. cont. Pl. Com.* 303. *a.* *Dub. Cro. El.* 345. *R. acc. Mo.* 688. *Poph.* 48, 50. *R. per tot. Cur. Dy.* 296. *b.* *R. saepe* 2 *Rol.* 788. *l.* 20. *R. saepe* 1 *Vent.* 140. *R.* 1 *Sid.* 26, 82. *Vide Ante, (A. 1.)*

So it ought to be a Covenant with another and his Heirs; for otherwise it is but a personal Covenant, which does not raise an Use. *D. 1 Sid. 26.*

And, with a Person capable; for with his Wife is not good. *2 Rol. 788. l. 40. Co. L. 112.*

So the Covenantor ought to be seised at the Time of the Covenant; otherwise he cannot stand seised to the Use of another; and therefore, a Covenant to stand seised of Lands, which he shall afterwards purchase, is void. *R. Mo. 342. R. 2 Rol. 790. l. 30, 40. R. Cr. El. 401. Win. 60. F. g. 237.*

Or, of such Land in particular, which he shall thereafter purchase. *2 Rol. 790. l. 37.*

So, if a Joint-tenant covenants to stand seised of the Moiety of his Companion after his Death; it is void, tho' he survives. *R. 2 Rol. 790. l. 45. Mo. 776.*

Or if one covenants to stand seised of so much Land as is worth 20*l.* per Ann. *R. Het. 147.*

[But a man seised may covenant to stand seised to the Use of another after Covenantor's Death. *Roe v. Tranmer, T. 30 & 31 G. 2. 2 Wils. 75.*]

So the Covenant ought to be, that he himself will stand seised, &c. tho' the Uses do not arise until after his Death; for a Covenant that his Heir shall stand seised is not good. *Per Hob. Hob. 313.*

Or, that he will levy a Fine to his Son, who shall stand seised, &c. *R. 3 Lev. 306.*

(G. 2.) By what Words.

So there ought to be apt Words and a manifest Intent: And therefore, if the Words are future and obligatory, and not *in presenti* and declaratory, no Use arises. *D. Ray. 48. Win. 36, 60. Adm. Pol. 535.*

So, if the Words seem intended for another Purpose: As, if a Man covenants, that another shall enjoy free from Incumbrances; it does not amount to a Covenant to stand seised. *R. 1 Sid. 26. Adm. Ray. 48.*

So Articles of Agreement by which a Man covenants, grants, bargains, and sells, &c. do not amount to a Covenant to stand seised; for they are only preparatory to a subsequent Conveyance. *R. Ray. 43. 1 Sid. 82.*

So a Covenant to levy a Fine, which and all Fines shall be, and the Covenantor shall stand seised, to the Use of B. does not amount to a Covenant to stand seised. *R. 3 Lev. 126. Adm. Win. 36.*

So, Articles, by which a Mother grants and demises to her Son. *2 Lev. 214. R. 1 Lev. 56.*

So, a Covenant to levy a Fine to a Son, and that the Land shall remain to the Son free from Incumbrances. *R. 3 Lev. 306.*

To make an Estate to A. and B. and that all Estates shall be to the Use of the same Indenture. *R. Dal. 112.*

So, if the Intent of the Covenantor appears uncertain: As, if a Man, in Consideration of Marriage, covenants that Land shall descend, remain, and come, &c. for it does not appear, whether he intends that he shall have it by Descent, or by Way of Remainder. *2 Rol. 788. l. 50. Vide 2 Lev. 77. R. Bend. pl. 153. 1 And. 25.*

So, if he covenants, or gives, and grants Land after his Decease; for it does not appear that he intended to make himself Tenant for Life. *R. 2 Rol. 788. l. 45. 789. l. 5. R. 1 Sid. 3. Semb. cont. 2 Lev. 77, 226.*

So, if for Affection he gives, or grants Lands, of which he was seised in Reversion after an Estate for Life to B. and his Heirs, to the Use of D. and his Heirs; for the Use is not limited to B. but was intended to arise out of his Estate, which cannot be. *R. 1 Sid. 26. R. 2 Vent. 319.*

If *Cestuy que Use* in Tail, 14 H. 8. covenants, that he or his Feoffees will not make an Estate, levy a Fine, &c. but that the Lands, after his Death, shall descend to his Son; this does not raise an Use, but is a Covenant only. *3 Leo. 6. Bend. pl. 153.*

So, if another Sort of Conveyance seems intended, it shall not be construed to be a Covenant to stand seised: As, if a Man gives, or bargains and sells Land to his Son, without more; no Use arises by Way of Covenant. *Cro. El.* 394. *Semb.* 2 *Cro.* 127.

If he covenants, that after his Death the Land shall remain and be to his Son, and his Wife. *R. Win.* 60. *R. Cro. El.* 279.

So, if a Man makes a Charter of Feoffment, with a Letter of Attorney to make Livery, and Livery is not made; it does not operate by Way of Covenant. 8 *Co.* 94. *R. cont.* 2 *Lev.* 213.; but there was a Blank for the Name of the Attorney.

So, if by Deed inrolled in Consideration of Marriage, he gives, grants, and confirms, and inserts a Letter of Attorney to make Livery. *Agr.* 2 *Rol.* 787. *l.* 12. *Cont.* 2 *Lev.* 213. *Adm. Pol.* 532.

[Yet if the Covenantor is seized in Fee, and there are apt Words (as *Grant*) a plain Intent, and a proper Consideration (as naming one, the eldest Son of his well beloved Uncle) a Release (void as such, because a Grant of Freehold to commence *in futuro*) shall take Effect as a Covenant to stand seised. *Roe v. Tranmer*, T. 30 & 31 G. 2. 2 *Wils.* 75.]

Yet the Word, *Covenant*, is not necessary, if there be Words equipollent, 1 *Vent.* 140. 2 *Rol.* 789. *l.* 30.

And therefore, if a Man in Consideration of Marriage, gives, grants, and confirms Land to A. and his Heirs, to the Use of him and his Heirs; it shall be good by Way of Covenant. *R.* 2 *Rol.* 787. *l.* 5. *R.* 3 *Mod.* 237.

[If A. seized in Fee, in Consideration of Marriage to be had between him and B. by Indenture between A. one Part. and B. and C. other Part, gives, grants, in-*feoffs*, *aliens* and *confirms* to B. and C. and their Assigns, the Lands then in his Possession, *Habend.* to the Use of B. for Life, Remainder to the Heirs of her Body by A. who covenants the Lands shall remain to the said Uses, clear of Charges; this shall operate as Covenant to stand seised, and B. has an Estate in Special Tail, A. an Estate for Life by Implication, and the Reversion in Fee. *Doe v. Assigns of Simpson*, T. 28 & 29 G. 2. 2 *Wils.* 22.]

So, if a Father, for natural Affection, gives Land to his Son; tho' Livery be indorsed and not executed. *Ray.* 49.

[If a Father by Deed in Consideration of natural Love grants Lands after his Decease to his two Children, it is a Covenant to stand seised. *Rigden v. Vallier*, H. 1750. 2 *Vezey* 252.]

So, if for Affection he grants and assigns a Rent in Fee; tho' this be a Conveyance at Common Law. *Ray.* 48. 2 *Vent.* 150. *R.* 3 *Lev.* 372.

So, if he grants, bargains, sells, enfeoffs, and confirms Land; tho' there be a Clause of Warranty in the Deed, and a Covenant for Enjoyment when the Estate shall be executed. *R.* 1 *Vent.* 137. 1 *Mod.* 175. 2 *Lev.* 10.

So, in all Cases, where the Intent appears, that the Covenantor shall have the Estate, if the Deed be defective, it shall be construed a Covenant to stand seised: As, if a Son covenants, that if he dies without Issue, he gives and grants the Land to his Mother. *R.* 2 *Lev.* 226. 3 *Lev.* 372. 2 *Jon.* 105. *Pol.* 527. *Carth.* 39.

If a Man gives, and grants a Rent to A. and his Heirs, *Habendum* after his Death, if he dies without a Son then living. *R.* 3 *Lev.* 370.

If he covenants, that after the Death of him and his Wife the Land shall descend and be to his Son and his Wife. *Semb. Win.* 37.

If he enfeoffs Trustees, and grants to them to stand seised to the Use of his Brother, and there be no Livery. 1 *Ver.* 141. But there was in the Deed an express Covenant that the *Cestuy que Trust* should enjoy.

(G. 3.) Upon what Consideration.

So there ought to be a sufficient Consideration, otherwise no Use arises.

And the Consideration proper for raising an Use by Way of Covenant, is for Love and Affection.

(G. 3.)

What shall be
a good one,

In

In Consideration of his brotherly Love. *Pl. Com.* 309. *2 Rol.* 785. *l.* 20.

In Consideration of Marriage had, or intended. *Per Twisd.* *1 Sid.* 83. *Pl. Com.* 301. *b.*

So, for Advancement of his Blood or Kin, &c. *Pl. Com.* 309.

That the Lands should continue in his Name, or Blood. *Pl. Com.* 309. *2 Rol.* 785. *l.* 50.

That they should descend to his Heirs Male, &c. *Pl. Com.* 309. *b.* *2 Rol.* 785. *l.* 40. *7 Co.* 13. *b.*

So, Payment of Debts, &c.

In Consideration that he was bound for him in several Recognizances. *Semb. Cro. El.* 394.

That he will enfeoff him of such Land. *Win.* 59.

And it is sufficient, if a Consideration appears by the Import of the Deed, tho' it be not expressed: As, if a Man covenants to stand seised to the Use of his Son, Daughter, Wife, Brother, &c. *7 Co.* 40. *R.* *1 And.* 79.

To the Use of his Mother. *R.* *2 Jon.* 105.

So, if a Man for Love to his Son, covenants to stand seised to the Use of himself for Life, and afterwards to his Wife for Life, and afterwards to his Son, &c. an Use arises to his Wife (being named his Wife) tho' another Consideration is expressed. *R.* *2 Rol.* 782. *l.* 40. *7 Co.* 40.

So, if a Consideration expressed for one extends to another, to whom by the Covenant the Estate is limited in the same Deed, it is sufficient: As, if a Man, in Consideration of Affection to his eldest Son, covenants to stand seised to the Use of him in Tail, and afterwards to the Use of his younger Son, &c. an Estate arises to the younger Son; for the Consideration expressed to the elder extends to the younger Son. *R.* *2 Rol.* 783. *l.* 5.

If, in Consideration of Affection to his Brother, he covenants to stand seised to the Use of his Brother and his Wife for their Lives; this extends to the Wife of his Brother. *2 Rol.* 783. *l.* 50. 786. *l.* 10.

So, in Consideration that he will marry his Daughter, a Covenant to be seised to the Use of both. *2 Rol.* 784. *l.* 5, 15.

So, in Consideration of Affection to his Son, extends to the Wife of his Son. *2 Rol.* 784. *l.* 10. *2 Cro.* 168.

So, if an Estate be limited to several, upon a Consideration which extends only to one, the Use of the Whole arises to him: As, if a Man, in Consideration of Affection, covenants to stand seised to the Use of B. his Brother, D. and C. in Trust, &c. tho' D. and C. are Strangers, to whom the Consideration does not extend, B. shall have the Whole. *R.* *2 Rol.* 783. *l.* 15. *Vide Post*, (G. 5.)

So, if some Considerations expressed are good, and some not, it is sufficient: As, in Consideration of 100*l.* and a Rent to be granted; tho' the Consideration of the Rent is executory, and therefore not good, the Use arises upon the other Consideration of 100*l.* *R.* *Mo.* 547, 8.

So a Grant, in Consideration of Affection, and also of Money, shall be good by Way of Covenant. *R.* *3 Lev.* 292.

So a Consideration consistent with the Deed, or with the Considerations expressed, may be averred. *2 Co.* 76. *2 Rol.* 786. *l.* 45. 790. *l.* 5. *7 Co.* 40.

As, if in Consideration of continuing the Estate in his Family, &c. a Man covenants to stand seised to the Use of B. it may be averred, that B. is of his Kin. *F.g.* 301.

So, if the Consideration expressed is not sufficient to raise an Use, it may be averred to be made upon other Considerations, which are good. *2 Rol.* 790. *l.* 10.

[*Contra* if no Consideration is mentioned in a Deed, you may enter into Proof of Consideration; but if any Consideration is mentioned, and not said for other Considerations, you cannot prove any other. *Peacock v. Monk*, 1748. *1 Vezey* 127.]

But if the Consideration be too general, it is not sufficient: As, if a Man, (G. 4.)
for divers good and valuable Considerations, covenants to stand seised; no Use What nor.
arises. 2 Rol. 786. l. 35. R. 1 Co. 176. a. Mo. 145. R. 2 Co. 15. If it be too
general, or
does not im-
port a Real
Consider-
ation.

So, if the Consideration mentioned does not import *quid pro quo*: As, in
Consideration of long Acquaintance, or being School-fellows, &c. Pl. Com. 302. a. R. 2 Rol. 783. l. 35.

Or, being Chamber-fellows, or, intire Friends. R. 2 Rol. 783. l. 30.

In Consideration, that the King is the Head of the Common-wealth, hath the
Charge of preserving Peace, repelling Hostilities, &c. R. 2 Co. 15. Semb.
1 And. 141.

In Consideration of Love and Affection to him who is not his Kin,

Or, to his Bastard, or Natural Son. Co. L. 123. a. R. 2 Rol. 785. l. 25,
30.

So, if it be, in Consideration that A. out of the Profits of the Lands shall
pay his Debts; it is not sufficient to raise an Use to A. for he gives Nothing.
R. Mo. 194. 1 Leo. 195.

Yet, if a Covenant be, in Consideration of Marriage, to A. and B. and the
Heirs of their Bodies, &c. and afterwards there be a Feoffment and Fine to the
same Uses; tho' the Marriage does not take Effect, but B. (the Woman) mar-
ries another, she shall take a Moiety for Life; for by the Fine, &c. the Uses
are fixed in A. and B. R. Jon. 346. (Vide 2 Rol. 795. l. 5.)

So, if a Man be a Stranger to the Consideration, no Use arises to him; as, (C. 5.)
if a Man, in Consideration of Marriage between his Son and A. covenants to If the Cove-
stand seised to the Use of them for Life, Remainder to C. the Remainder is nantee be a
void. Pl. Com. 307. b. 2 Rol. 784. l. 20. Stranger to
the Consider-
ation.

If, for Payment of Debts, &c. he covenants to stand seised to the Use of him-
self for Life, and afterwards to A. for Years; the Estate to A. is void, if he
was not Executor. R. 2 Rol. 784. l. 35. 1 Co. 154. a. 1 Leo. 195. 1 And.
260.

If, for Advancement of his Blood and Marriage of his Bastard, he covenants,
&c. no Use arises to the Bastard; for she is *Filia Populi*, and a Stranger. 2
Rol. 785. l. 25. 1 And. 79. Vide Bastard, (E.)

If, for Advancement of his Blood, Name, and Issue, he covenants to stand
seised to his first, second and other Sons in Tail, Remainder to the King; the
Remainder to the King is void, for want of a Consideration. R. Mo. 195. 2
Co. 15.

If, in Consideration of the Marriage of his Son with A. without saying, for
a Settlement in his Name or Blood; no Estate shall arise to himself, for the
Father is a Stranger to this Consideration, which was personal to the Son. 1
Brownl. 193.

So, if in Consideration of natural Affection, a Man covenants to stand seised
to himself for Life, with Power to make Leases, &c. a Lease to a Stranger is
void, for he is not within the Consideration, upon which the Power was found-
ed. R. 2 Rol. 260. l. 30. 2 Cro. 181.

So, if it be in Consideration of Marriage, with Power to make Leases, and
the Husband leases to a Stranger; the Lease is void as to the Wife. R. 1 Lev.
30.

So, if one Covenantee be a Stranger, and the other not, the Whole vests in the
other: As, if A. for natural Love, covenants with B. his Brother, C. and D.
to stand seised to the Use of the Covenantees and their Heirs, in Trust to raise
Portions for his Issue; the whole Use vests in B. his Brother, to whom the
Consideration extends, not to the others. R. Jon. 419. 2 Rol. 783. l. 15.

Tho' the Limitation was, upon Trust to raise Portions, the Estate vests,
which is not destroyed by the Trust; but the Estate shall be subject to the Trust
in Equity. R. Jon. 419.

And if the Trust becomes impossible by the Act of God, the Estate shall be
absolute in the Trustee. Ibid.

So, if in Consideration of Affection to his Wife, a Man covenants to be seised to him for Life, afterwards to his Wife for Life, afterwards to such as his Wife shall appoint; the Consideration does not extend to a Stranger to whom the Wife shall appoint it. *Semb. F.g. 300.*

[If *A.* in Consideration of Love and Affection to his Wife, covenants to stand seised to the Use of them, and the Survivor for Life, Remainder to their Issue, Remainder to such Person as Wife shall dispose to, and for want of such Disposition to *B.* which *B.* is Nephew to *A.* tho' not named as such in the Deed, and the Wife after *A.*'s Death without Issue conveys to *D.* *D.* has no Title, as being a Stranger, and *B.* has a Title, as being named in the Deed, he may aver himself within the Consideration. *Goodtitle v. Petto, P. 5 G. 2. Str. 934.*

So, if a Man, in Consideration of Marriage and 100*l.* paid, covenants to stand seised to *A.* and *B.* his intended Wife; no Use arises, tho' the Money be paid, if the Marriage does not take Effect; and the Marriage was the Principal, and the Money only Accessary to it. *R. Mo. 102.*

So, if the Consideration be contingent or future, no Use arises till it happens: As, if a Man, in Consideration of his Marriage with *B.* covenants to stand seised to the Use of himself and *B.* no Use arises till the Marriage takes Effect. *R. 2 Rol. 792. l. 50. Vide Uses, (K. 7.)*

If a Man, in Consideration that *A.* will pay his Debts, &c. covenants to stand seised to the Use of *A.* &c. no Use arises till the Consideration be executed. *R. Mo. 194.*

But a contingent Use shall arise by a Covenant to stand seised, as well as by a Feoffment. *Per 3 J. Cro. El. 801.*

So, if the Consideration ceases, the Use also ceases: As if a Man, in Consideration of his Marriage with *B.* covenants to stand seised to the Use of him and *B.* and the Marriage is solemnized before *B.* attains the Age of twelve Years, who after such Age disagrees; the Use ceases as to *B.* *2 Rol. 792. l. 52.*

So, if after Marriage they be divorced. *2 Rol. 792. l. 52.*

Pleading concerning Covenants, and in Writ of Covenant,
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(A) Covin, What shall be.

COVIN is a secret Contrivance between several to defraud and prejudice another. *Co. L. 357. a. 9 Co. 110.*

So Fraud may be committed by one only. *9 Co. 110. b.*

(B. 1)

(B. 1.) An Act by Covin is void.

THE Law abhors Covin ; and therefore every covinous Act shall be void.

So a lawful and rightful Act, if it be done by Covin, shall be void : As, if a Wife, after the Death of her Husband, be of Covin with B. to disseise the Tenant, and endow her ; the Tenant shall avoid the Dower. *Co. L. 357. b.*

If Tenant for Life makes a Surrender of his Estate, to defraud his Creditors, it shall be void. *Vide Hale in 1 Vent. 257.*

(B. 2.) So, a fraudulent Gift, &c.

By the *St. 50 Ed. 3. 6.* Because Divers give their Chattles by Collusion, and then flee to Places privileged till their Creditors compound, it was enacted, that if such Gift be found to be made by Collusion, the Creditor shall have Execution of the Chattles, as if no Gift had been made.

And by the *St. 3 H. 7. 4.* Deeds of Gift of Goods and Chattles to defraud Creditors, made on Trust, &c. shall be void.

So, by the *St. 13 El. 5.* Every Gift, Grant, Bargain, &c. of Goods and Chattles, or any Profit out of them, and every Bond, Judgment, and Execution made of Intent to defraud Creditors or others of their just Actions, Debts, Damages, Forfeitures, Heriots, Mortuaries, &c. shall be void against the Person so defrauded, his Heirs, Executors, or Administrators, &c.

And if any Party or Privy to such fraudulent Gift, Grant, &c. put in Ure, or avow, &c. the same as true, and done *bonâ fide* and on good Consideration, he shall forfeit the whole Value of such Goods, Bond, &c. a Moiety to the Queen, a Moiety to the Party grieved.

Provided, not to avoid any Interest in Goods, Chattles, &c. conveyed, &c. on good Consideration and *bonâ fide* to any Person, not having at the Time of such Conveyance Notice of such Covin.

A fraudulent Gift, or Grant of Goods and Chattles was void by the Common Law. *Dy. 295. a.*

And therefore, if it was made after Judgment to defraud the Execution, it was not a Trespass in the Officer, or Creditor, who took them in Execution. *Dy. 295. a.*

Yet a fraudulent Deed was not void by the Common Law against him, who had a younger Title. *R. 3 Co. 83. a.*

But now, without Question, every Gift, Grant, &c. being fraudulent shall be void, as to Creditors, &c. whether they claim by a younger, or by an elder Title.

As, if a Man, being in Debt, conveys his Goods to another, and takes the Profits. *Dy. 295.*

If a Man before his Death bargains and sells all his Horses to another, without a Consideration, to defraud the Lord of his Heriot. *Dy. 351. b.*

If a Man, indicted for Recusancy, conveys his Leases and Goods to others, upon feigned Considerations, to defeat the King of his Forfeiture, and then flies over Sea. *R. 3 Co. 82. a.*

And the Word, *Forfeiture*, in *St. 13 El. 5.* shall be extended to every Thing which may be forfeited to the King, or to a Subject. *R. 3 Co. 82. b.*

If A. makes a Feoffment to avoid a *Formedon*, &c. against him, and then pleads Non-tenure. *R. Cro. El. 233.*

And a Deed has the Ensigns and Marks of Fraud, if it be comprized in general Terms : As, if he grants all his Goods and Chattles generally without Exception. *R. 3 Co. 81. a.*

If it be made in a secret and clandestine Manner. *R. 3 Co. 81. a. 6 Co. 72. a.*

If it be pending an Action, Indictment, &c. *3 Co. 81. a.*

If it be accompanied with unusual Clauses : As, if the Deed expresses, that it was made honestly and *bonâ fide*, &c. *Ibid.*

Or, has the Colour of Payment of Debts ; when none were paid, and the Possession continues with the Bargainor. *6 Co. 72. a.*

So,

So, if it be upon an exprefs Trust. 3 Co. 81. b.

Or, if a Trust be implied: As, if after the Gift, Bargain, &c. the Vendor continues in Possession, and takes the Profits, &c. 3 Co. 81. a.

If the Grant be without any Consideration. 3 Co. 81. b.

If the Grant be for Affection, or in Consideration of Blood, or Nature. *Ibid.*

Or, to a Son, Cousin, or other Relation. *Ibid.*

If a Bargain, &c. of Goods be attended with Marks of Fraud, it shall be void, tho' it was made upon good and valuable Consideration: As, if A. conveys all his Goods and Chattles to a real Creditor for Satisfaction of his Debt, and afterwards continues in Possession, &c. R. 3 Co. 80. b.

So, if A. indebted to several Persons, conveys all his Goods to one in Satisfaction of his Debt, upon Agreement, that he will deal favourably with him; for tho' it be a good Consideration, it is not *bonâ fide*. R. 3 Co. 81. a.

If a Man be Party or Privy to a fraudulent Grant, &c. an Information lies against him upon the St. 13 El. 5. 3 Co. 80. b.

Or an Action of Debt for so much as is the Value of the Goods, by *Qui tam*, &c. Dy. 351. b.

And, if to defraud of an Heriot, &c. a fraudulent Deed be made of twenty Horses; an Action lies for so much as was the Value of all the Horses contained in the Grant. *Per 2 J. Manw. cont. Dy. 351. b.*

If a fraudulent Gift, Grant, &c. be made, it shall be absolutely void as to Creditors.

But it is not void as to the Party, his Executor, or Administrator: And therefore, the Administrator, to covenant for Delivery of Goods sold by Fraud to B. and covenanted to be delivered at the Death of the Covenantor, cannot plead the St. 13 El. 5. and that the Sale was to defraud Creditors. R. Yel. 196, 7. 2 Cro. 271.

But a Gift, Bargain, &c. shall not be fraudulent, if it be made *bonâ fide* and upon valuable Consideration. *Vide Post*, (B. 4.)

(B. 3. And a fraudulent Feoffment, &c.

So by the St. 50 Ed. 3. (*quod Vide Ante*, (B. 2.) A Feoffment found to be by Collusion to avoid Execution, shall be void.

And by the St. 13 El. 5. Every Feoffment, Grant, Conveyance, &c. of Lands or Tenements, or any Profit or Charge out of them, as of Rent, Common, &c. made to defraud Creditors, or others, of their just Actions, Suits, Debts, Damages, Penalties, Forfeitures, Heriots, Mortuaries, Reliefs, shall be void as to all Persons who might so be defrauded, their Heirs, Successors, Executors, Administrators, or Assigns.

So, by the St. 27 El. 4. Every Conveyance, Grant, Charge, Estate, Incumbrance, or Limitation of Use, of, or out of Lands or Tenements, made to defraud any who hath or shall purchase in Fee, for Lives, or Years, the same Lands, or any Part of them, or any Rent, &c. out of them, shall as to such Purchaser for Money or other good Consideration, and all claiming, by, from, or under him, be void.

And every Conveyance, &c. with any Clause of Revocation, &c. shall be void as to any, who shall after purchase for Money or other good Consideration (the first Conveyance not revoked) and all claiming by, from, or under them.

And any, Party or Privy to such fraudulent Conveyance, who puts the same in Ure, as true and made *bonâ fide* or on good Consideration, to the Prejudice of such Purchaser, shall forfeit one Year's Value of such Lands; a Moiety to the Queen, a Moiety to the Party grieved,

Provided, not to extend to any Conveyance, Charge, &c. made on good Consideration, and *bonâ fide*.

And therefore, every Feoffment, &c. made to defraud Creditors, &c. shall be void. *Vide Fraudulent Gift*, &c. *Ante*, (B. 2.)

So every Conveyance, &c. to defraud a Purchaser, is void as to him, &c.—*Who shall be a Purchaser*, *Vide in Chancery*, (4 I. 2.)

So, if Tenant for Life commits a Forfeiture, to the Intent that the Reversioner shall enter; a Purchaser shall avoid it, as well as a Conveyance. *Per Hale, 1 Vent. 257.*

Every voluntary Conveyance *prima facie* shall be fraudulent as to a Purchaser. *Adm. 1 Sid. 133. 1 Vent. 194. R. Ca. Ch. 100, 217. Per Hale, 2 Lev. 147.*

Tho' it be for Advancement of his Blood, for natural Affection, &c.

Tho' it be in Consideration of a Marriage had, where there was no precedent Agreement for it. *Ca. Ch. 99. Vide infra. Vide Post, (B. 4.)*

So a secret Lease, &c. shall be fraudulent. *6 Co. 72.*

So a Conveyance upon Colour of a good Consideration, is fraudulent, where it is only colourable: As, if a Man assigns a Lease to an Infant for Payment of Debts, which are not paid. *R. 6 Co. 72.*

If he conveys to his Daughter, &c. for her Provision in Marriage, and she does not marry. *R. 1 Sid. 133.*

Or, conveys to Trustees to the Use of himself for Life, with Power to make a Mortgage, and then in Trust to sell for Payment of his Debts. *R. 2 Ver. 510.*

If Tenant in Tail conveys to Trustees by Fine upon Trust to pay Debts with Power to make Leases with Rent or without Rent, for any Time, and afterwards continues in Possession; for the Power of Leasing, and the Continuance in Possession, are Marks of Fraud. *R. 2 Lev. 147.*

So, if there was an Agreement before Marriage to make a Settlement, and he after Marriage makes a Settlement for other Purposes. *R. 2 Lev. 147.*

If the Agreement was only for a Jointure to the Wife, and the Settlement goes to the Issue of the Marriage, it will be fraudulent for so much. *1 Ver. 285, 6.*

If the Agreement was upon the Marriage of B. his Son, and after a Limitation to B. for Life, he limits in Remainder to another Son; the Remainder will be fraudulent as to a Purchaser. *R. Lane 22.*

[But if A. seized in Fee has a Mother who has Annuity issuing out of the whole Lands, and two Brothers B. and C. and the Mother previous to A.'s Marriage consents to part with her Security on the whole Lands, and to take it on Part of the Lands; and A. and Mother join in Fine, and then in Consideration of said Grant and Release, and of Marriage and Portion, conveys to Trustees to pay Annuity out of Part, then the whole Lands to the Use of A. for Life, Remainder to preserve, &c. Remainder to first and other Sons, Remainder to B. and C. successively in Tail-male, Remainder to the Daughters of A. Remainder to A. in Fee; the Mother's Consent to change her Security is a good Consideration for A. to make this Settlement on B. and C. *Roe v. Mitton, M. 8 G. 3. 2 Wilf. 356.*]

So a Conveyance with a Clause or Revocation will be fraudulent as to a Purchaser, tho' the Power of Revocation be future, *viz.* after the Death of B. &c. and the Statute speaks only of a present Power. *R. 3 Co. 82. b. Mo. 618. Bridg. 23.*

So, if the Power of Revocation is to be exercised with the Assent of another. *3 Co. 82. b. Bridg. 23.*

Or, to be executed by another.

So, if the Power be reserved by the Recoveror, and not by him to whose Use the Recovery was. *R. Mo. 616.*

So a Conveyance, with a Power of Revocation, will be fraudulent tho' made in Consideration of Marriage, &c. *Lane 22.*

So it will be void as to the Conusee of a Statute, or any who has a Charge out of, or upon the Land, as well as to a Purchaser, or Grantee, &c. of the Land itself. *R. Bridg. 22.*

So, if a Conveyance be with a Clause of Revocation, and afterwards the Power be extinguished by Fine, Feoffment, &c. to the Intent to defraud a Purchaser; the Fine, Feoffment, &c. shall be void as to him, for a Conveyance with a Power of Revocation is in the same Degree as a Conveyance by Fraud. *R. 3 Co. 83. a. Mo. 618.*

If a Father makes a fraudulent Lease, &c. and the Son sells the Estate, the Purchaser shall avoid it. *R. 6 Co. 72. b.*

Tho' the Son did not know of the fraudulent Conveyance. *6 Co. 72. b.*

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A fraudulent Conveyance shall be void as to a Purchaser tho' he had Notice of it before his Purchase. *R. 5 Co. 60. b. D. 2 Lev. 105.*

(B. 4.) What shall not be fraudulent.

But a Conveyance shall not be fraudulent, if it be made upon good Consideration, tho' it was concealed, or secretly made. *R. 2 Cro. 158, 455. R. 1 Vent. 194.*

So, if it was concealed in the Time of the Civil War, for Fear of a Sequestration. *R. 1 Sid. 134.*

So a Lease made by him, who has a Power of Revocation, shall not be fraudulent, tho' there be no Consideration, except the Rent reserved. *R. 2 Cro. 181.*

So a Conveyance upon a good Consideration is not fraudulent, tho' it was not for Money : As, if it be upon Consideration of a Marriage to be had.

So, if it be made after Marriage, in Pursuance of Articles, &c. before Marriage. *R. 2 Cro. 158, 455. R. 1 Vent. 194. Vide Ante, (B. 3.)*

Or, in Pursuance of an Agreement by Parol before Marriage. *2 Cro. 158, 455. 1 Vent. 194.*

Tho' it be provided, that it shall be void upon Settlement of another Jointure on his Wife, and so in some Sort is determinable at his Pleasure. *R. 2 Cro. 455.*

Or, if it be with a Clause of Revocation, with the Consent of four Trustees for the Wife ; for the Settlement, being upon good Consideration, and not determinable at his Pleasure, or of any in Trust for him, is good. *R. 2 Jon. 94.*

So, if Husband and Wife join in the Alienation of Land, limited to them and the Heirs of their Bodies by Marriage Settlement, and the same Day the Husband settles Lands of greater Value to the same Uses ; the second Settlement is not fraudulent as to a Purchaser of the same Land, tho' it does not appear to be pursuant to the Marriage-Agreement ; for it shall be intended the Wife would not otherwise have joined in the Alienation of her Jointure. *R. 2 Lev. 71.*

So, if the Husband, upon such Alienation, undertakes to give to the Wife, at his Death, 400 *l.* and afterwards gives an Obligation to such Intent. *R. 2 Lev. 148.*

So a Settlement upon Marriage, with a Proviso to charge Land with 2000 *l.* is not void as to a Purchaser ; tho' it was voluntary as to such Proviso. *R. 1 Lev. 151.*

So, if a Conveyance, in its Commencement voluntary or covinous, becomes afterwards settled upon a good Consideration, it shall not be avoided, as fraudulent, by a subsequent Purchaser : As, if a Man conveys to his Daughter, as a Provision for her when she shall marry, and upon Prospect of this Settlement, she marries, and then the Father sells for a valuable Consideration ; the Purchaser shall not avoid the Settlement upon the Daughter. *R. 1 Sid. 133, 4.*

So, if a Man makes a covinous Settlement upon his Son, who sells for a valuable Consideration, and afterwards the Father sells to another for Money ; his Purchaser shall not avoid the Settlement by the Son. *R. 1 Sid. 134.*

So, if a voluntary Lease be assigned for a valuable Consideration, the Purchaser of the Inheritance after the Assignment, shall not avoid it. *R. 3 Lev. 388. Skin. 423.*

So a voluntary Settlement by a Father, shall not be avoided by a Purchaser from the Son. *1 Ver. 46.*

So, if the Consideration extends only to an Estate-Tail ; a Remainder afterwards, tho' without good Consideration, is not fraudulent ; for a Remainder after an Estate which may be perpetual, shall not be supposed made for defrauding Creditors. *R. 2 Lev. 105.*

So a Settlement after Marriage, in Consideration of the Wife's joining in the Alienation of her Jointure, shall not be fraudulent as to the Issue, tho' the Husband might have barred them without his Wife. *R. 2 Lev. 71.*

So a voluntary Conveyance shall not be taken to be fraudulent, as to a Purchaser upon a Consideration of Nature, or Blood, &c. for the Words in the *St. 27 El. for Money or other good Consideration*, are tantamount to the Words, or other valuable Consideration. *R. 3 Co. 83.*

And therefore, if a Man, for Advancement of his Heirs Male to be begotten upon the Body of his Wife, covenants to levy a Fine to the Use of himself for Life, and afterwards to his eldest Issue Male upon the Body, &c. and afterwards, to defeat that Covenant, makes a fraudulent Lease, and then levies the Fine; tho' the eldest Issue be a Purchaser *bonâ fide*, he shall not avoid the Lease. *R. 3 Co. 83. b. Cro. El. 444.*

Or, covenants to stand seized to the Use of his Son, Nephew, &c. *R. Mo. 602.*

So, if a Man makes a Settlement after Marriage, upon his Wife for her Jointure, without a precedent Agreement, the Wife shall not avoid a fraudulent Conveyance made before. *R. Cro. El. 445.*

So, if a Lease be made *bonâ fide*, but without a Fine given, or Rent reserved; the Lessee shall not avoid a fraudulent Conveyance made before. *R. 3 Co. 83. a.*

So, if a Man, by Imposition of the Vendee sells to him at an Under-value; he shall not avoid a voluntary Settlement made by the Vendor before by Advice of Friends: For the Statute does not extend to a Purchaser by indirect Means. *3 Co. 83. b. Cro. El. 445.*

So, if a Purchaser upon Consideration of Nature, or Blood, afterwards sells upon a valuable Consideration; the Vendee shall not avoid a voluntary Settlement made prior to the Settlement on his Vendor. *R. Mo. 602. R. Ray 25.*

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Countermand of an Authority.

Vide Attorney, (B. 9, &c.—C. 8, &c.)

C O U N T E R P L E A.

Vide Voucher, (B. 1, 2.)

C O U N T Y.

(A) County.

THE Kingdom was divided into Counties before the Time of King *Alfred*.
Co. L. 168. a. 2 Inst. 71.

But others aver, that the Division of the Kingdom into Counties, and of the County into Hundreds, and of the Hundred into Tithings, was originally made by King *Alfred*.

The County, by the *Saxons*, was called the Shire, from *Schiram, partiri*.
Co. L. 168. a.

The King by his Patent may make a County, or erect any Part of a County into a County by itself. *Poph. 17.*

So in the Erection of a Town into a County he may reserve a Privilege, &c. which the County out of which it is taken, had there before: As, to hold Courts, Assizes, Gaol-delivery there. *R. Poph. 17. 1 And. 292.*

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The Courts of *Westminster* judicially take Notice of every County. 1 *Sal.* 266.

As to County Palatine, *Vide Franchises*, (D. 1, &c.)—*Abatement*, (D. 2.)

As to *Wales*, *Vide Wales*, (A. 3.)

(B) Sheriff.

(B. 1.) How constituted.

THE Earl had antiently the Government of the County. *Co. L.* 168. a. *Dav.* 60. a.

And now the Sheriff is the principal Officer there under the King. *Co. L.* 168. a.

Who was an Officer before the Conquest. 3 *Co. Pref.* 2. b.

Antiently the Sheriff was chosen, as the Coroner is, by the County. 2 *Inst.* 174, 558. *By Art. sup. Chart.* 28 *Ed.* 1. 8.

By the *St. of Linc.* 9 *Ed.* 2. Sheriffs shall be assigned by the Chancellor, Treasurer, Barons of the Exchequer, and Justices; or, in Absence of the Chancellor, by the Treasurer, Barons and Justices.

By the *St.* 14 *Ed.* 3. 7. By the Chancellor, Treasurer, Chief Baron, and two Chief Justices yearly, the Morrow after *All Souls* at the *Exchequer* *. **Vide St.* 12. R. 2. 2.)

And the King ought, regularly, to name one of the three Persons presented to him according to the Statute. *Certified by the two Chief Justices, with the Agreement of the other Justices*, 34 *H.* 6. 2 *Inst.* 559.

But it is not of Necessity, that the King appoint one of the three presented to him. *Semb.* 2 *Inst.* 559.

So the Day for nominating Sheriffs may be adjourned by the King to a Time after the Morrow of *All Souls*. *Cro. Car.* 13. *R. Cro. Car.* 595.

So the King may appoint without such Assembly. *R. Dy.* 215. b.

The King by Letters Patent constitutes him, whom he will have, to be Sheriff. *Crompt. Off. of Sheriff* 183.

And other Letters Patent are directed to all Archbishops, Bishops, Dukes, Earls, Barons, Knights, and others within the County, to be aiding and attending upon the Sheriff. *Ibid.*

But by the *St.* 3 *Geo.* 1. 15. If a Sheriff die before his Year ends, or be superseided; his Under-sheriff shall continue in his Office, and execute the same in all Things in the Name of the Sheriff deceased, and shall be answerable for the same in all Respects, &c.

(B. 2.) For what Time.

Antiently a Sheriff might be constituted for Life, for Years, or in Fee.

But by the *St.* 14 *Ed.* 3. 7. 28 *Ed.* 3. 7. 42 *Ed.* 3. 9. No Sheriff shall continue in his Office above one Year.

And by the *St.* 23 *H.* 6. 8. (which confirms the former Statutes) If any Sheriff, Under-sheriff, &c. occupy his Office contrary to the Effect of the said Statutes, (except Under-sheriffs and all other Officers in *London*, and Sheriffs in Counties that have an Estate of Inheritance or Freehold in their Office) he shall forfeit 200*l.* yearly, as long as he so occupies: And a Pardon of such Offence or Forfeiture shall be void.

And all Patents of the said Office for Years, for Life, in Fee, or Tail, shall be void.

And therefore the Commission to the Sheriff says, *Commissimus A. Com' nostr', &c. custodiend' quamdiu nobis placuerit.* *Crompt. Off. of Sheriff.*

Yet, by the *St.* 12 *Ed.* 4. 1. & 17 *Ed.* 4. 6. A Sheriff may execute and return Writs, and do any Thing belonging to his Office, during *Michaelmas* and *Hilary* Terms, unless he be duly discharged, without incurring the Penalty of the said *St.* 23 *H.* 6. 8.

(B. 3.) How discharged.

After a new Sheriff is appointed, a Writ shall be directed to the old Sheriff, commanding him *quod Comitatus una cum Rotulis, Brevibus, Memorandis, & omnibus aliis ad Officium Vic. Com. præd. spectant. per Indenturam int' te & præfat' W. conficiend' liberet.* *Crompt. Off. of Sheriff 183. b. Dy. 355. a.*

And after such Writ delivered to the old Sheriff, his Authority ceases.

So, if it be delivered to the Under-sheriff in the County-Court. *Per 2 J. Dy. 355. a. Dub. Crompt. Off. of Sheriff 183. b.*

And if the Under-sheriff, after the Delivery of the Discharge to his Sheriff, does Execution, tho' he did not know it, it shall be void. *Per 2 J. Dy. 355. a. in Marg.*

After the Writ to the Sheriff for his Discharge, he ought to deliver to the new Sheriff, by Indenture with a Schedule, all Writs and Rolls in his Custody, and all Prisoners by their Names, and the Causes for which they were committed to him. *Crompt. Off. of Sheriff 183. b.*

[Assignment of Prisoners by Under-sheriff to the succeeding High-sheriff is good without Indenture. *Barnes 367.*]

And if he does not mention any Execution in the Schedule, or give Notice of it to the new Sheriff by *Parol*, when he delivers a Prisoner to him for another Cause, and the Prisoner afterwards escapes; an Action lies for the Escape against the old Sheriff. *R. Mo. 688, 9. 2 Leo. 54.*

So a Writ of *Superfedeas*, tho' it be not returnable. *R. 1 Mod. 222. 2 Mod. 217.*

And an Action upon the Case lies against him, if he does not deliver it. *R. 1 Mod. 222.*

But an Execution by the Sheriff before Notice of his Discharge, tho' a new Sheriff be appointed, shall be lawful. *R. Dy. 355. a. in Marg. R. Cro. El. 440. R. Mo. 364, 186.*

So, the Holding of a County-Court. *Cro. El. 12.*

So, if a Barony, or other Dignity, descends to the Sheriff, he is not discharged; but he continues Sheriff during the Will of the King. *R. Cro. El. 12.*

Tho' the Dignity descends in the Time of Parliament, so that he ought to attend Parliament as a Peer. *Cro. El. 12.*

As to the Oath, Duty, and Office of a Sheriff, *Vide Viscount.*

(C) County-Court.

(C. 1.) The Stile, &c. The Sheriff's Court.

THE Sheriff has two Courts within his County: The Tourn, formerly the *Folk-mote*, for Criminal Causes, (*de quo Vide Leet*, (A.) and the *Scire-mote*, or County-Court. *2 Inst. 69. Dav. 60. a.*

The Stile of the County-Court is, *Effex ff. Curia prima Comit' A. B. Vic. Com. præd. tent. apud D. &c. 4 Inst. 266.*

And therefore, the County-Court is the Court of the Sheriff. *R. 4 Co. 33.*

A Writ of *Justicies*, &c. is directed to the Sheriff; for it is his Court. *6 Co. 11. b.*

And therefore, the Sheriff alone may name the County-Clerk; for it is incident to his Office. *R. 4 Co. 33.*

And if the King by Patent constitutes a County-Clerk before the Sheriff himself has his Patent; yet the Grant of the King shall be void. *R. 4 Co. 33. Mitton.*

(C. 2. Who shall be Judge there.

The County-Court is a Court-Baron and not a Court of Record, in which the Suitors are Judges, and not the Sheriff. *R. 6 Co. 11. b. Per Choke and Litt. Catesby cont. 6 Ed. 4. 3. b.*

Tho' the Plea be there by *Justicies*, &c. *6 Co. 11. b.*

Or, in Admeasurement of Dower, *Replevin*, &c. *Per Litt. 7 Ed. 4. 23. a.*

In these Cases, the Sheriff or his Bailiffs are only Ministers. *6 Ed. 4. 3. b.*

And therefore, upon a Judgment in the County-Court, a Writ of false Judgment lies, and not Error. *6 Co. 11. b.*

Tho' the Judgment be given there upon a *Justicies*. *R. 2 Leo. 34, 210. 21 H. 6. 34.*

But in *Re-disseisin* the Sheriff is Judge, and the Proceedings are of Record, upon which Error lies. *6 Co. 11. b. Vide Affise, (F. 1, &c.)*

So, if a Plea be there by *Justicies*, the Sheriff ought to be there in Person, and cannot make a Deputy: For if he does, the Proceedings will be *coram non judice*, and void. *R. 2 Leo. 34, 210.*

Yet, if the Court is alledged to be held before the Sheriff, it seems to be well. *21 H. 6. 34.*

So in the Tourn the Sheriff is Judge. *6 Co. 12. a.*

(C. 3.) When it shall be held.

By *St. M. Ch. 9 H. 3. 35. Nullus Comitatus teneatur nisi de mense in mensem, & ubi major Terminus esse solebat, major fiet*; which was an Affirmance of the Common Law. *2 Inst. 70.*

And by the *St. 2 & 3 Ed. 6. 25.* No County-Court shall be deferred longer than from Month to Month, and so be kept every Month.

And the Computation shall be by Lunar Months. *2 Inst. 71. Vide Ann, (B.)*

(C. 4.) At what Place.)

A County-Court may be held at any Place within the County, if it be not appointed by Statute in a Place certain.

(C. 5.) The Jurisdiction of the County-Court.

The County-Court may hold Plea by *Justicies* of any Value above 40s. for (C. 5.) it is in the Nature of a Commission. *2 Inst. 312. 4 Inst. 266. Tho' the Value be 1000l. 21 H. 6. 34.*

As, in Debt, Detinue, Trespas, and other Personal Actions. *4 Inst. 266. F. N. B. 85. F.*

Tho' the Trespas be *vi & armis*. *2 Inst. 312.*

In Annuity. *4 Inst. 266.*

Dower, *unde nihil habet*, and *Quarentinâ habend'*.

So in divers Real Actions the Sheriff may hold Plea by *Justicies*: As, in Admeasurement of Dower, or Pasture. *4 Inst. 266. 2 Inst. 312.*

In a Writ of *Mesne*, of Customs and Services. *4 Inst. 266.*

In a *Quod Permittat*, Nuisance, &c. *4 Inst. 266. Vide Quod Permittat, (D. 1.)*

In *rationab. Divisis*, and *Curiâ Claudendâ*. *4 Inst. 266.*

In *secta ad Molendinum*. *Ibid.*

In Right Patent, or Right of Ward.

In *Nativo habendo*. *2 Inst. 312.*

In *Plegiis acquietandis*.

So in Debt for Tithes. *Dub. 1 Lev. 253.*

(C. 6.)
By Appeal.

So the County-Court shall hold Plea in an Appeal of Robbery, Rape, or other Felony. *Vide Appeal, (F.)*

(C. 7.)
By Replevin.

So the County-Court may hold Plea by Writ of *Replevin* of any Value; for the Writ is in Nature of a Commission. 2 *Inst.* 312. *Vide Pleader, (3 K. 1, &c.)*

So, in an *Homine Replegiando*.

So a Writ of Re-captation may be sued in the County-Court before the Sheriff and Coroners.

Vide Post, (C. 8.)

(C. 8.)
By Plaint.]

So the County-Court holds Plea by Plaint in Debt, Detinue, or other personal Action (not being *vi & armis*) under the Value of 40s. 2 *Inst.* 312. 4 *Inst.* 266.

So, if the Debt was originally above 40s. if the Plaintiff by his Declaration acknowledges the Receipt of so much as reduces the Debt under 40s.

So it may hold Plea by Plaint of Trespass, if it be not *vi et armis*: As, of a Battery. 2 *Inst.* 312.

So by the *St. of Marl.* 52 H. 3. 21. The County-Court may hold Plea by Plaint in *Replevin*, tho' the Cattle are of the Value of 20l. 2 *Inst.* 139, 312. *Vide Pleader, (3 K. 2.)*

But the County-Court cannot hold Plea by Plaint, in Debt, Detinue, or other personal Action, of the Value of 40s. or above: For *Placita de debitis aut Catallis quæ summam 40s. attingunt aut excedunt sine brevi Domini Regis placitari non debent.* 2 *Inst.* 312. 4 *Inst.* 266. *Vide Copyhold, (R. 14.)—Courts, (B. 3.)*

And it ought to appear in the Declaration to be under 40s. for if he counts to more, tho' the Verdict finds less, he shall not have Judgment. 2 *Inst.* 312. or, if he has Judgment, it shall be reversed. R. 2 *Mod.* 206.

Neither can he divide a Debt, and by several Plaints demand under 40s. in each. 2 *Inst.* 312.

Nor can he join several Debts in the same Plaint, if they all amount to 40s. tho' each severally be under that Value. R. 1 *Vent.* 65, 73.

Nor can he acknowledge Satisfaction of Part, falsely, to reduce the Debt under 40s. R. *Pal.* 564.

So the County-Court cannot hold Plea *vi & armis*; for then a Fine is due to the King, which cannot be assessed in a Court not of Record; and therefore, it shall not hold Plea by Plaint in Trespass *vi & armis.* 2 *Inst.* 311. 4 *Inst.* 266.

Nor, of Wounds and Mayhem. 2 *Inst.* 312.

Nor, for Deceit or Maintenance.

Or, forging of a false Deed.

So it shall not hold Plea in Account against any, as Receiver, tho' it be under 40s. for the Sheriff cannot assign Auditors, who are Judges of Record. 2 *Inst.* 380.

Nor, for Debt upon a Record or Specialty.

So it cannot hold Plea, by Plaint, concerning Freehold.

Nor, in Dower. 2 *Lev.* 123.

And therefore, if a Man in a Plaint in *Replevin*, justifies, avows, or makes Conusance as in the Freehold of B. the Jurisdiction of the County-Court is ousted. 3 *Lev.* 196, 204.

So it cannot hold Plea of Charters for Land of Freehold or Inheritance. 2 *Inst.* 311.

Or, in an *Homine replegiando*, where any one is committed for the Death of a Man, by Command of the King, or of the Justices, or for the Forest. 2 *Inst.* 186, 7.

If the County-Court holds Plea where it has no Jurisdiction, the Proceeding is *coram non Judice*, and void, and Trespass lies against any, who act under the Process of the Court. 3 *Lev.* 203.

And

And if Freehold, or other Plea, which ousts the Jurisdiction, be pleaded, all the subsequent Proceedings are void. *R. 3 Lev. 204.*

And a *Superfedeas* may be granted to such Process. *F. N. B. 239. D. H.*

Every Resiant within the County ought to do Suit at the County-Court.

And for Default of Appearance when summoned, he shall be amerced.

So he may have Land by the Tenure of doing Suit at the County-Court.

Vide Dismes, (M. 5.)

(C. 9.) Process.

Process in the County-Court shall be by Summons, Attachment and Distress (C. 9.) infinite in all Personal Actions by Plaint or *Justicies*, except in Trespafs. *Mefne.*

In Trespafs, it shall be by Attachment and Distress infinite.

And the Sheriff may by his Precept award Summons of the Defendant by his Goods, returnable in two or three Days at his Discretion. *4 Inst. 266.*

And the Summons may issue two or three Days before the Court. *Ibid.*

And shall be directed to a Bailiff. *Ibid.*

And the Sheriff shall make the Precept in his own Name, tho' the Suitors are Judges. *R. 3 Lev. 203.*

And it shall be to the Sheriff's Bailiffs; not to special Bailiffs. *Semb. Lut. 1413.*

If the Defendant does not appear upon Summons, an Attachment shall go against him, (and in Trespafs it is the first Process) directed to a Bailiff *quod pon' per vad' & salv' pleg', &c.* *Vide Process, (D. 6.)*

Upon which the Bailiff attaches him by Pledges, or his Goods.

Or, it is sufficient, that he warns him to appear, if he be returned warned.

The Bailiff shall keep the Goods attached till the next Court, and if the Defendant then makes Default, they are forfeited. *Vide Process, (D. 6, 7.)*

If the Defendant does not appear upon the Attachment, a *Distringas* shall go, by which the Bailiff shall distrain the Goods of the Defendant, and keep them till he appears; and if he makes Default, they are forfeited. *Vide Process, (D. 6, 7.)*

And so *Distringas in infinitum* till the Defendant appears.

But a *Capias* does not lie in the County-Court.

After Judgment, Process for Damages and Costs shall be made by *Levari* (C. 10.) *facias.* *Judicial.*

But a *Levari facias* out of the County-Court ought to be *de bonis & catallis* only, and not *de terris & catallis.* *Semb. Lut. 1413.*

And the Goods taken shall not be sold without a Custom alledged for it. *Semb. Lut. 1413.*

Vide Copyhold, (R. 18.)

(C. 11.) Trial.

If a Suit be in the County-Court by *Justicies*, the Trial shall be by a Jury.

So, by Prescription, it may be in a Suit by Plaint.

But, without a Prescription for it, in a Suit by Plaint, the Trial shall be by Wager of Law, or Examination of Witnesses.

[Statute 23 G. 2. c. 33. impowers County-clerk, and Suitors in County-court of *Middlesex*, to determine any Plaint under 40 s. in a summary Way, and regulates the Times of Holding, and other Methods of Proceeding.]

(C. 12.) Plaint.

Every Plaint ought to be entred in Writing *sedente Curia.*

And the Plaintiff must be present in Person, or by Attorney.

And shall find Pledges. *Vide Pleader, (3 K. 5.)*

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(C. 13.)

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(C. 13.) Execution.

After Judgment, Execution shall be done, and the Damages and Costs levied (if the Custom allows it) by a *Levari facias*. *Vide Ante*, (C. 10.)

If the Custom does not allow a *Levari facias*; it shall be only by *Distringas*, and Detainer of the Goods distrained as a Pledge till the Costs and Damages are satisfied.

If the Sheriff delays Execution, a Writ *de Executione Judicii* may be directed to him out of *Chancery* to do Execution.

And thereupon, an *Alias*, and *Pluries*, and Attachment against the Sheriff.

Foreign County.

Vide Justices, (Y. 14.)—*Pleader*, (S. 9, 11.—3 M. 3.)

In what County an Action shall be sued.

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Vide Ante, (C. 1.)

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The Courts of County Palatine.*Vide Franchises, (D. 1, &c. 9.)***The Courts of the Cinque Ports.***Vide Franchises, (E. 2.)***The Court of Antient Demesne.***Vide Antient Demesne, (G. 1, &c.)***The Court-Baron.***Vide Copyhold, (R. 1, &c.)***The County-Court.***Vide County, (C. 1, &c.)—Dismes, (M. 5.)***The Customary-Court.***Vide Copyhold, (R. 2, &c.)***The Courts in a Forest.***Vide Chase, (R. 1, 2.)***The Hundred-Court.***Vide Hundred, (B.)—Dismes, (M. 5.)***The Lord of a Manor's Court.***Vide Copyhold, (P. 1.)***The Courts in the Plantations.***Vide Navigation, (G. 2.)***The Court of Pye-Powders.***Vide Market, (G. 1, 2.)***The Court of Commissioners of Sewers.***Vide Sewers, (D.)***The Court of the Tourn, or Leet.***Vide Leet.***(A) All Judicature remains in the King's Courts.**

THE King has distributed all his Power of Judicature to divers Courts. 4
Inst. 70.

And therefore, the King himself cannot administer Justice except by his
 Justices. 4 *Inst. 71. R. 12 Co. 64.*

And

And if any one renders himself to the Judgment of the King, it is of no Effect, if he does not render himself to the King's Court. 4 Inst. 71.

If the King himself sits in B. R. Justice shall be administered by the Judges. 4 Inst. 73. 12 Co. 64.

(B) The King's Bench.

(B. 1.) The Extent of it's Jurisdiction.

THE King's Bench is held *coram Rege*. 4 Inst. 71, 73.

[If by the King's Pardon Security is directed to be given, *qual. Curia de Banco nostro dirigeret*, it is the King's Bench. *Rex v. Leonard*, P. 6 G. Str. 302.]

And antiently it was attendant upon the Palace, or Court of the King. 4 Inst. 71, 73. *Mad.* 539, 543.

The Justices of B. R. have supreme Authority. 4 Inst. 73.

And therefore, have properly Jurisdiction in all Pleas of the Crown; as, High Treason, Felony, &c. 4 Inst. 71.

In all Errors in Fact, or in Law, upon Judgments by any other Court of Record in the Kingdom, except the *Exchequer*. 4 Inst. 71. *Vide Pleader*, (3 B. 3.)

Tho' the Felony, &c. is committed within the King's Palace; for the *St.* 33 H. 8. 12. does not take away their Jurisdiction. *R.* 2 Jon. 53.

So B. R. may hold Plea, by Original out of *Chancery*, in Trespas *Vi & Armis*. 4 Inst. 71.

So, in *Replevin*. 4 Inst. 71. 2 Inst. 23.

In *Rescous*, Forcible Entry, &c. 2 Inst. 23.

In Trespas, &c. *Vi & Armis* under 20 s. or of whatever Value. *R.* 3 Mod. 275. *Carth.* 108.

So, in Ejectment, and all Actions *Vi & Armis*. 2 Inst. 23.

So, in *Quare Impedit* by the King, tho' it be not *Vi & Armis*. 4 Inst. 71.

And in every other Action brought by the King. 2 Inst. 23. 2 Rol. 167. l. 5.

So B. R. may hold Plea by Bill, in Debt, *Detinue*, Covenant, *Assumpsit*, Account, and all Personal Actions, where the Plaintiff has Privilege as an Officer, or Clerk of the Court. 4 Inst. 72.

Or, where the Defendant has Privilege as an Officer, or Clerk of the Court, or being in *Custodia Marescalli*. 4 Inst. 71. 2 Inst. 23.

Whether the Defendant be in Custody by Commitment, or by *Latitat*, Bill of *Middlesex*, or other Process. 4 Inst. 72.

Tho' it be in an Action upon a Statute, *Valore maritagii*, &c. 1 Rol. 536. l. 50. 537. l. 45. *Vide Action upon Statute*.

So, if Error be in B. R. upon a Judgment in C. B. in a Plea of Abatement, and the Judgment be reversed, B. R. may then proceed in the original Cause. 4 Inst. 72. 2 Inst. 23.

So B. R. may hold Plea in an Affise of *Novel Disseisin*; for it is a Plea, and not restrained by *M. Ch.* 9 H. 3. 11. which enacts that Common Pleas *non sequantur Curiam nostram*. *Ibid.*

In a *Scire facias* to repeal the King's Patent. 4 Inst. 72.

So, in *Redisseisin*, &c. 2 Inst. 23.

So B. R. has Jurisdiction to correct and reform all Errors and Misdemeanors extrajudicial, which tend to the Breach of the Peace, or Oppression of the Subject. 4 Inst. 71.

And therefore, if a Corporation or others, disfranchise or amove an Officer, &c. without Cause, or wrongfully refuse to execute a Power or Authority intrusted to them, B. R. will grant a *Mandamus*. 4 Inst. 71. *Vide Franchises*, (F. 31, &c.)—*Mandamus*, (A.—B.)

If a Court, Temporal or Spiritual, exceeds its Jurisdiction, B. R. will grant a Prohibition. 4 Inst. 71. *Vide Prohibition*.

If any be imprisoned without just Cause or Authority, it will grant an *Habeas Corpus*. 4 *Inst.* 71. *Vide Habeas Corpus*.

So *B. R.* is superior to the Justices in *Eire*. 4 *Inst.* 73.

The Justices of *B. R.* are the Sovereign Justices of *Oyer and Terminer*, Gaol-delivery, and of the Peace, &c. within the Realm. 4 *Inst.* 73.

They are the Sovereign Coroners within the Realm. *Ibid.*

And therefore, if *B. R.* sits in any County, the Authority of Justices in *Eire*, or other Justices of *Oyer and Terminer*, Gaol-Delivery, &c. in the same County, ceases immediately. *Ibid.*

And *B. R.* may do all that the Coroner, &c. can do. *Ibid.*

Yet if an Indictment be removed before special Commissioners of *Oyer and Terminer*, they may proceed upon it, tho' *B. R.* sits in the same County. 4 *Inst.* 73.

So, if an Indictment be taken in *Middlesex* in the Vacation, tho' *B. R.* sits there the next Term, when *B. R.* is adjourned, Special Commissioners of *Oyer and Terminer* may proceed upon it. *Ibid.*

So *B. R.* is so high, that a Record of that Court shall not be removed, if it be not warranted by Act of Parliament, but only the Transcript of it. 4 *Inst.* 73. *Vide Pleader*, (3 *B.* 13.)

So a Record removed into *B. R.* shall not be afterwards remanded. 4 *Inst.* 73. 1 *Rol.* 534. l. 45, 50.

[It will make a Rule for a Justice to cause to be produced at Examination at a Trial, and to give a Copy in the mean Time. *Rex v. Smith*, M. 5 G. Str. 126.)

[The Court granted Access to the Books of the Commissioners for stating the Army-debts. *Moody v. Thurston*, P. 6 G. Str. 304.]

[It may order a Suitor to have Liberty to inspect and take Copies of City of London's Books relating to Boundaries. *Warriner v. Giles*, M. 7 G. 2. Str. 954.]

[It may order one not a Party to attend the Master on a Reference. *Elwood v. Kneller*, M. 8 G. Str. 477.]

[If Plaintiff obtains Judgment against Defendant in Custody, and instead of charging him in Execution, brings Debt on the Judgment, and charges him in Custody; the Court will discharge him on common Bail, if it appears intended to deprive Defendant of the Benefit of an Insolvent Act. *Maud v. Branthwaite*, M. 6 G. 2. Str. 943.]

[It may order Persons who put in Bail in feigned Names, (when there are no such Persons, so that they could not be prosecuted on Stat. 21 Jac. 1.) and the Attorney concerned, to be set in the Pillory. *Anon.* T. 6 G. Str. 384.]

[A Judge of *B. R.* has Power to grant Warrants to be executed by all Constables, &c. through *England*; and, on Disobedience to it, Attachment shall issue. *Rex v. White*, T. 7 G. 2. *B. R. H.* 42.]

(B. 2.) When *B. R.* has not Jurisdiction.

But by the *St. M. Ch.* 9 H. 3. 11. all Common Pleas are restrained to *C. B.* (B. 2.)
2 *Inst.* 22. 4 *Inst.* 71. 1 *Rol.* 536. l. 35. Of Common Pleas.

As, *Quare Impedit*, and *Quare Incumbavit*. 1 *Rol.* 536. l. 40.

So, all Real Actions.

So, if a *Quare Impedit* be removed by Error into *B. R.* and Judgment affirmed;
a *Quare Incumbavit* does not lie in *B. R.* for it is a new Original. 1 *Rol.* 537.
l. 40.

So, an Action of Debt upon a Statute.

So an Action upon the Statute of *Winton*, against the Hundred, does not lie by Original in *B. R.* for it is a Common Plea. *Semb.* 1 *Rol.* 536. l. 45. *Vide Action upon Statute*, (E. 1.)

So by the *St. Gloc.* 8. a Writ of Trespass a Man shall not have before the Justices, if he does not affirm the Goods taken away to be of the Value of 40 s. (B. 3.)
at the least. *Vide County*, (C. 8.) If the Damages be not alleged at 40 s.

And therefore, generally, Debt, *Detinue*, Covenant, &c. which does not amount to 40 s. does not lie in a Superior Court. 2 *Inst.* 311.

But this does not extend, where the Debt or Damages are alledged at 40s. tho' the Verdict finds a less Sum. 2 *Inst.* 312. R. 19 H. 6. 8. b.

Nor, to Trespass *Vi & Armis*, or other Action, in which an Inferior Court has not Jurisdiction.

Nor, to an Action for Costs, &c. given by a subsequent Statute, tho' they are under 40 s. C. Cro. El. 96.

[If the Cause of Action appears, on the Face of the Declaration, to be only 20 s. the Court will stay Proceedings; but not on Affidavit, that the Debt is such, if Plaintiff demands more. *Oulton v. Perry*, M. 5 G. 3. 3 B. M. 1592. *Barnes* 497.]

[Debt for 20 s. *per Annum*, Rent, Damages 100 s. is within the Jurisdiction. *Barnes* 497.]

[A Set-off reducing Plaintiff's Demand under 40 s. does not affect the Jurisdiction of C. B. under Statute appointing a County Court for small Debts. *Gross v. Fisher*, H. 10 G. 3. 3 *Wils.* 48.]

(B. 4.) Officers of B. R.

(B. 4.) The Chief Justice of B. R. was antiently constituted by Patent; but 25 Ed. The Judges, I. and from thenceforth, he was constituted by Writ. 4 *Inst.* 74, 5.

&c. The other Justices there are all made by Patent. 4 *Inst.* 75.

Vide Post, (C. 2.) And none but the Chief Justice can be made a Justice, unless by Patent, or Commission. *Ibid.*

None can be a Judge, if he be not before a Serjeant at Law. *Ibid.*

A Grant of Chief Justice cannot be made to two. *Hob.* 153.

A Judge of B. R. was antiently, and of later Times constituted *durante bene-placito*. 4 *Inst.* 75. *

[* By the Stat. 12 & 13 W. A Judge of B. R. may be discharged by Writ. *Ibid.*

3. 2 *Quam- dia se bene gesserint.*] The Coroner, or Clerk of the Crown, shall be granted by the Chief Justice of B. R.

So, the Chief Clerk of the Office *ad irrotuland' Placita* in B. R. *Skin.* 354.

[By Stat. 32 G. 2. c. 35. 500 l. *per Annum* is added to the Salary of each of the *puisne* Judges in B. R., in C. B. and in the Exchequer; 1000 l. to the Chief Baron, 200 l. to the Chief Justice of *Chester*, 150 l. to the second Justice of *Chester* and to each of the *Welsh* Judges, and 300 l. to the President of the Session and to the Chief Baron, and 200 l. to each of the Judges in *Scotland*.]

[By Stat. 5 G. 3. c. 47. further Provision is made for such Augmentation.]

(C) The Common Bench.

(C. 1.) The Jurisdiction.

THE C. B. seems to have been severed from the *Curia Regis*, 7 R. 1. or *tempore Job.* and the Severance was established by M. Ch. 17 *Job.* & 9 H. 3. *Mad.* 539, &c.

And after the St. M. Ch. 9 H. 3. 11. all Common Pleas were determined in C. B. 2 *Inst.* 21. 4 *Inst.* 99.

And therefore all Real Actions shall be there determined. 4 *Inst.* 99.

All Fines and Common Recoveries shall be there levied, and suffered. *Ibid.*

So every Action by Original, Real, Personal, and Mixt, may be sued there. *Ibid.*

So where the Plaintiff or Defendant has Privilege, as an Officer, Minister or Clerk of C. B. the Action shall be there by Bill, without an Original. *Ibid.*

So C. B. may award a Prohibition to a Temporal or Spiritual Court, which exceeds it's Jurisdiction, without Original, or Plea depending before them. 4 *Inst.* 99, 100. R. 12 Co. 109. *Vide Prohibition.*

So

So it may award an *Habeas Corpus*, if any be imprisoned without Cause.
Vide Habeas Corpus.

So *C. B.* has Jurisdiction for the Punishment of their own Officers and Ministers. 4 *Inst.* 100.

(C. 2.) Officers of *C. B.*

The Judges of *C. B.* are all made by Patent. 4 *Inst.* 100.
The King himself cannot be Chief Justice there.

The Chief Clerk of *C. B.* is the *Custos Brevium*, who is appointed by the King's Patent. *Dy.* 176. *a.*

So is the Chirographer. *Ibid.*

C. 2.)
The Judges.
Vide Ante,
(B. 4.)

(C. 3.)
Custos Brevi-
um, and Chi-
rographer.

There are three Prothonotaries in *C. B.*

The Chief Justice grants the Office of Chief Prothonotary, and may revoke it, if he be insufficient, without the other Justices. *Dy.* 150. *b.*

(C. 4.)

Prothonotary

So the Office of Exigenter is, by Prescription, to be appointed by the Chief Justice; and a Grant of the Office by the King, tho' during a Vacancy of the Office of Chief Justice, will be void. *R. Dy.* 175.

(C. 5.)
Exigenter.

(D. 1.) The Court of Exchequer.

THE Court of *Exchequer* is an original Court, Time whereof, &c. held without Commission as well as *B. R.* and *C. B.* 4 *Inst.* 103.

It began since the Conquest. *Mad.* 121.

In the *Exchequer* are seven Courts; 1. The Court of Pleas. 2. Of Accounts. 3. Of Receipt. 4. The Court of *Exchequer-Chamber* for Matters of Law adjourned *propter difficultatem*. 5. For Error in the Court of *Exchequer*. 6. For Errors in *B. R.* by the *St.* 27 *El.* 8. 7. For Causes in Equity. 4 *Inst.* 119.

(D. 2.) The Court of Pleas.

The Court of Pleas is held *coram Baronibus in Scaccario*. 4 *Inst.* 109.

And has Jurisdiction of all Causes which concern the King's Profit. 4 *Inst.*

Vide Dett.
(G. 14.)

As, of Debts or Duties due to the King. 4 *Inst.* 103, 110, 112. 2 *Inst.* 551.
So in Matters which relate to Tenures of the King *in Capite*, or as of an Honour, or Manor, &c. 4 *Inst.* 110.

So, in Matters which concern the Lands, Rents, Franchises, Hereditaments, Goods and Chattels of the King. 4 *Inst.* 112. 2 *Inst.* 551.

By the *St.* 33 *H.* 8. 39. The Court of *Exchequer*, &c. shall have full Authority to hear and determine all Debts, *Detinues*, Trespasses, Accounts, Wastes, Deceits, Negligences, Defaults, Contempts, Complaints, Riots, Suits, Forfeitures, Offences, &c. which shall grow, &c. upon any Matter, &c. assigned, committed, &c. to the several Orders of the same Court, &c. or which may concern the same, where the King shall be only Party.

And all States for Years between Party and Party concerning the Premises.

And all Estates, Rights, Titles and Interests, as well of Inheritance as Freehold, &c.

So the Court of Pleas in the *Exchequer* has Jurisdiction, when the Plaintiff or Defendant has Privilege as an Officer or Minister of the Court. 4 *Inst.* 112. 2 *Inst.* 551. *Pl. Com.* 208. *a.*

So, if the Defendant be a Prisoner to the Court of *Exchequer*, he shall be privileged to be sued there in all Personal Actions. 2 *Inst.* 551.

So, an Accountant, or other who has a Title to Privilege there. 2 *Inst.* 551. *Pl. Com.* 208. *a.*

So, a Servant to an Officer there; as, to the Treasurer, &c. *Sav.* 10.

So, if the Plaintiff be Debtor to the King, he may sue in the *Exchequer* against any, for a Debt or Duty to him, upon a Suggestion. *Quo Minus*, &c. *2 Inst.* 551. *4 Inst.* 111, 112. *Pl. Com.* 208. a.

So, the King's Farmer for Tithes, Parcel of the Possessions leased to him; tho' the Right of the Tithes be in Debate. *1 Rol.* 538. l. 40. *Hard.* 177.

So a Suit between a Parson and Vicar for Tithes, where the King is Patron, ought to be in the *Exchequer*. *R.* *1 Rol.* 538. l. 45.

So, a Prohibition to a Libel in the Spiritual Court for Tithes of a Copyholder of the King's Manor. *R.* *1 Rol.* 539. l. 10.

So, Trespass, &c. against him who distrains for an Amerciament, &c. in the King's Manor. *R.* *1 Rol.* 539. l. 15.

Ejectment by him, who claims Title by an Extent in Aid. *R.* *Hard.* 193, 176.

Or, by him who has Privilege. *Sav.* 10, 12.

Every Action which concerns the King's Revenue immediately. *R.* *Hard.* 193. *4 Inst.* 112.

And if begun in another Court, it may be removed. *Hard.* 176.

[The Court will remove an Action brought in another Court for the Seizure of a Ship, though no Information is filed here; but after Information tried here, and Verdict for Defendant, the Court will not remove an Action brought in another for the Seizure. *Bercholt v. Candy*, in *Sc. H.* 1718. *Bunb.* 34.]

[The Court will remove *Trover* brought against an Officer for Goods seized and condemned, and also a Great Coat, Saddle, &c. on Affirmation that they were not seized, and only thrown in for a Colour. *Penny v. Bailey*, *M.* 1731. *Bunb.* 309.]

[But the Court will not remove an Action brought in *B. R.* for taking Ropes and Cordage, against an Officer who had seized two Cables, one of which only was foreign, (and actually condemned in this Court.) *Barkley v. Walters*, *M.* 1731. *Bunb.* 306.]

So false Imprisonment or other Action against an Under-sheriff may be in the *Exchequer*; tho' the Sheriff be the Officer of the Court: For it takes Notice also of the Under-sheriff. *R.* *1 Rol.* 539. l. 30.

So, if a Man having Privilege in the *Exchequer*, begins a Suit there, and afterwards sues the same Defendant, for the same Cause, in *B. R.* it shall be a Contempt. *Semb.* *Sav.* 14.

So the Plaintiff in any Case may sue for Tithes, &c. in the *Exchequer*, when he pays Tenths and Annates to the King. *R.* *Cont.* 3 *Leo.* 258.

So he may have Debt there upon the *St.* 2 & 3 *Ed.* 6. 13. for not setting out his Tithes. *Sav.* 131.

But after the *St.* of *M. Ch.* 9 *H.* 3. 11. explained by the *St. Art. sup. Char.* 28 *Ed.* 1. 4. Common Pleas (except in Case of Privilege) shall not be sued in the *Exchequer*. *2 Inst.* 23, 551. *4 Inst.* 113. *1 Rol.* 538. l. 50. 539. l. 5. *Mad.* 141, 145, 544, 594. *Pl. Com.* 208.

And an Accountant shall not have Privilege to be sued there, if he has not entered into his Account. *4 Inst.* 112.

So, a Collector of Tithes shall not. *Ibid.*

So the King's Debtor shall not have the Privilege of the *Exchequer*, if he be before sued elsewhere. *4 Inst.* 112. *Dy.* 328.

Or, if his Debt be discharged. *R.* *Sav.* 15. But *Semb. cont.* *Sav.* 33. *R.* *Sav.* 51.

So, if a Suit be elsewhere, upon a collateral Matter, which does not directly concern the King's Revenue, it shall not be stayed upon Pretence of Privilege in the *Exchequer*; as, if false Imprisonment be in *B. R.* for an Imprisonment for a Fine imposed by Commissioners of Excise. *R.* *Hard.* 193.

So a Defendant, sued there by Information upon a penal Statute, shall not have Privilege to sue there, if he be not convicted, or does not confess the Information. *Sav.* 53.

So an Officer, who becomes Party by Covin in order to obtain Privilege, shall be disallowed. *Sav.* 12.

So an Executor has no Privilege to sue there, if he only alledges that the Defendant does not pay, *Quo minus*, &c. he is able to pay his Debt to the King; for he cannot pay it with his Testator's Money. *Sav.* 39.

So an Information by a Common Informer does not lie in the *Exchequer* upon a penal Statute, which gives Remedy only before Justices of Peace, Oyer and Terminer, Assize, &c. *R. Sav.* 6.

Otherwise by the Attorney-General. *Sav.* 134.

Semb. that it lies if no Court is directed by the Statute. *Hard.* 420.

So a Plaintiff in a Suit by English Bill, or in the *Exchequer-Chamber*, has no Privilege to be sued in the *Exchequer* only. *Sav.* 51.

So a Servant to an Officer in the *Exchequer*, shall not have Privilege there, if he be not attendant upon his Person as a menial Servant, or upon his Office. *Bro. Privilege* 8, 16.

If a Suit be in the *Exchequer*, where the Parties have no Privilege, &c. it will be *coram non Judice*. *Sav.* 36.

(D. 3.) The Court of Accounts.

The Barons of the *Exchequer* are the Sovereign Auditors of the Kingdom. *4 Inst.* 115.

This Court is held *coram Thesaurario & Baronibus*.

And may audit all Accounts of Officers, and others accountant to the King.

4 Inst. 113. *Mad.* 628.

Which may be audited in Court, or by Commission upon the *St.* 6 *H.* 4. 3.

4 Inst. 117.

And ought to be given upon Oath. *4 Inst.* 113.

Divers Officers ought to account annually; as, the Treasurer of Ireland, Keeper of the Wardrobe, &c. *4 Inst.* 113, 117.

So, a Sheriff, Escheator, Aulnager, Comptroller, &c. *Vide Viscount*, (G. 1, &c.)

It is more for the Benefit of the King, that the Account be taken by the Court, than by Commission. *4 Inst.* 113.

But the Treasurer of the King's Chamber shall account only to the King, and not in the *Exchequer*. *Ibid.*

As to Account before Auditors assigned by the Court, or in Equity, *Vide Accompt*, (E. 7, &c.)—*Chancery*, (2 A. 1, &c.)

As to Account in the *Exchequer* by a Sheriff, *Vide Viscount*, (G. 1, &c.)

(D. 4.) The Court of Receipt.

The Court of Receipt is intirely under the Treasurer. *Ld. Som. Arg.* 54.

The principal Officers of this Court are the Treasurer, and Chamberlains. *Sav.* 38.

Under them are the Clerk of the Pells, and four Tellers, and the Auditor of the Receipt. *Vide Post*, (D. 14, 15.)

By the *St.* 8 & 9 *W.* 3. 28. A Teller, on Receipt in his Office of any Money, &c. shall without Delay throw down into the Tally-Court (if the Officers be there) a Bill or Bills for the Money, but not till the Receipt, whereby a Tally may be struck for it.

And the first Clerk in the Offices of the Auditor of the Receipt, of the Clerk of the Pells, and of the four Tellers, shall be sworn to Performance of Duty.

The Auditor of Receipt, for Fee, shall enter and inrol all Patents and Letters of Privy Seal for issuing the King's Treasure, and draw the Orders, or make the Debentures for issuing it, and keep Entries thereof, &c. shall weekly take the Teller's Accounts, and make Certificates of all Receipts, Issues, and Remains, &c. and of all Monies imprest, and transmit the Imprest-Rolls to the King's Remembrancer, &c.

The Clerk of the Pells shall inrol all such Patents and Letters of Privy-Seal, record the Teller's Receipts and Issues, certify them to the Treasury, examine the Imprest, Certificates, and Rolls, &c.

[It is no Office of Record, but only in Matters relating to the King's Revenue. *Colegate v. Juson*, M. 1744. 3 *Atkyns* 197.]

(D. 5.) The Exchequer-Chamber.

(D. 5.) If the Court of B. R. or C. B. be equally divided, or apprehend great Difficulty in the Case, it may be adjourned into the *Exchequer-Chamber*, to be argued by all the Justices of England. *Co. L. 71. b.*

And this was by the *St. 14 Ed. 3. 5.* for before, it was determined by Parliament. *Co. L. 72. a.*

And now by the same Statute, if the Justices in the *Exchequer-Chamber* are equally divided, it shall be determined at the next Parliament by a Prelate, two Earls, and two Barons, with the Advice of the Lords Chancellor and Treasurer, the Judges, and other of the King's Council as shall be deemed convenient. *Co. L. 71. 2.*

If after Adjournment a Judge dies, the Cause goes on. 2 *Bul. 146, 7.*

If after Argument another Judge be made, he shall not give his Opinion. 2 *Bul. 147.*

But it shall not be adjourned to the *Exchequer-Chamber* upon Motion before Argument, and after Argument only, if the Court be divided, or for Difficulty adjourn it of themselves. *R. 2 Bul. 146, 7.*

(D. 6.)
For Errors.
Vide Pleader.
3 B. 4. 5.)

So by the *St. 31 Ed. 3. 12.* Error in the *Exchequer* shall be examined in the *Exchequer-Chamber* before the Chancellor and Treasurer, taking to them Justices and Sages, whom they think meet, and calling before them the Barons to hear the Causes of their Judgment.

And by the *St. 27 El. 8.* Error in B. R. in Debt, *Detinue*, Covenant, Account, Action upon the Case, Trespass, and Ejectment, shall be examined there by the Justices of C. B. and Barons of the *Exchequer*.

By the *St. 31 Ed. 3.* The Chancellor and Treasurer of England are the Judges, and not the Treasurer of the *Exchequer*. 4 *Inst. 105. Vide Pleader*, (3 B. 5.)

And therefore the Writ of Error ought to be directed to the Treasurer of the *Exchequer* and Barons, to bring the Record of the Judgment before the Lord Treasurer, and Chancellor; for the Treasurer of the *Exchequer* and the Barons have the Custody of the Records there. 4 *Inst. 105. Sav. 36, 39.*

Before the *St. 31 Ed. 3. 12.* All Errors in the *Exchequer* were redressed in Parliament, or by the King's Commission. 4 *Inst. 105, 6.*

[The *Exchequer-Chamber* may try a Release of Errors, and award a *Venire* under the Seal of the Court of *Exchequer*. *Gomez Serra v. Munex*, H. 2 G. 2. *Str. 821.*]

(D. 7.)
For Causes in
Equity.

A Court of Equity has been held in the *Exchequer-Chamber* Time whereof, &c. before the Lord Treasurer, Chancellor, and Barons, and did not begin by the *St. 33 H. 8. 39. Semb. 4 Inst. 119. Vide 4 Inst. 109.*

And the Jurisdiction extends to all Causes, which concern the King, or his Profit. 4 *Inst. 118.*

Or, where the Plaintiff or Defendant has Privilege there. *Vide Ante*, (D. 2.)

So if there be a Suit by one, who has Privilege, there may be a Cross Bill without Privilege. *R. Hard. 160.*

There may be a Suit for Tithes by English Bill in the *Exchequer-Chamber. Vide Dismes*, (M. 13, &c.)

So every Cause, which may be sued in the Dutchy-Court, may be commenced in the *Exchequer-Chamber. Hard. 171.*

So a Bill in the Nature of false Judgment may be brought in the *Exchequer-Chamber*, for Reversal of a Judgment against a Copyholder in the King's Manor. *R. 1 Rol. 539. l. 20. Vide Copyhold*, (P. 2.)

So a Bill for a Thing, which concerns the Inheritance of the King, may be brought here; for it is a Court of Revenue, as well as a Court of Equity. *Hard. 50.*

So upon a Bill here, a Mill erected within the King's Manor, where the King has the Multure to his Mill there, may be removed. *Hard. 175.*

And if a Mill be erected out of the Manor, tho' it be not removed, Grist there by the King's Tenants shall be restrained. *R. Hard. 175, 177.*

But the Mill shall not be demolished. *Hard. 175, 184.*

So any Nufance to the Inheritance of the King, may be there redressed. *Hard. 162.*

So, by the *St. 33 H. 8. 39.* If any, against whom a Debt or Duty is demanded for the King, can shew any Matter in Law or good Conscience in Discharge, &c. the Court shall have Power to discharge, &c. And therefore he may have Relief by English Bill, as well as by Plea. *R. 7 Co. 19, 20. Sir Thomas Cecil.*

But a Matter of Freehold shall not be determined upon a Bill, without a Trial at Law. *Vide Chancery, (X.—4 V.)*

Tho' it concerns the Freehold of the King. *R. per 2 J. Parker cont. 1656. Hard. 51.*

So the Plaintiff ought to alledge himself Debtor and Accountant to the King, in a Bill, as well as in an Action; otherwise the Court has not Jurisdiction. *Vide Ante, (D. 2.)*

So, if the Plaintiff sues in his own Right, and also as Administrator to B. he ought to alledge himself Debtor, and also that B. was Debtor; otherwise there is no Jurisdiction to sue as Administrator. *R. Hard. 60.*

[If a Bill be preferred for a Matter or Sum below the Dignity of the Court, it may be dismissed on Motion, or on Demurrer. *Per Price B. M. 1717. Bunb. 17.*]

[But if there is Fraud, or complicated Matter, it will be retained. *Ibid.*

For Proceedings in the Causes in Equity in the *Exchequer*, *Vide* the similar Articles in Title *Chancery*.

(D. 8.) The Officers of the *Exchequer*.

The first Officer of the *Exchequer* is *Dominus Thesaurarius Angliæ*. *4 Inst. 104.* (D. 8.)
Who was antiently constituted by the Delivery of a golden Key; and now, The Lord
by the Delivery of a white Staff. *4 Inst. 104.* Treasurer.
Vide Officer

The Lord Treasurer of England has now, by Letters Patents, granted to him (E. 1.)
the Treasury of the *Exchequer*, which was antiently a distinct Office. *4 Inst. 105. Mad. 568.*

By his Oath he is bound to serve the King truly in his Office, to do Right therein to all, truly to keep and dispend the King's Treasure, truly to counsel the King, and his Counsel keep, not to know nor suffer the King's Hurt, or Disheriting if he can lett it, if not, to disclose it clearly to the King, and to purchase the King's Profit all be reasonably may. *4 Inst. 104.*

As Treasurer of the *Exchequer*, he with the Barons has the Custody of the Records of the *Exchequer*. *4 Inst. 105.*

He ought to have a Warrant for the disposing of all Treasure which he disposes of; for having only the Custody of the Treasure, he cannot dispose of it *ex Officio*. *Mo. 476.*

The Chancellor of the *Exchequer* has the Custody of the Seal of the *Exchequer*. *4 Inst. 104, 119. Mad. 580.* (D. 9.)
The Chan-
cellor.

And now has usually the Office of Under-treasurer of the *Exchequer*. *Mad. 578.*

And is Comptroller of the Pipe. *4 Inst. 106.*

And appoints the two Appraisers of Goods seised for not paying Customs, and directs whether the Party shall have them at such Price, or not. *4 Inst. 104.*

And, in the Vacancy of a Treasurer, does every Thing in the Receipt of the *Exchequer*, which the Treasurer may do. *4 Inst. 104.*

The

(D. 10.)
The Barons.

The Chief Baron and the other Barons of the *Exchequer* are constituted by Letters Patents. *Mad.* 582. 4 *Inst.* 117.

And were antiently Barons and Peers of the Realm. 4 *Inst.* 103. in *Marg.*

The Treasurer and Barons are the principal Officers of the *Exchequer*. *Sav.* 38.

The Barons are the sole Judges of the Court of Pleas; tho' the Treasurer of the *Exchequer* is joined with them in the Custody of the Records of the Court. 4 *Inst.* 105, 109.

And shall take an Oath to do Right to all, &c. 4 *Inst.* 109. *Mad.* 586, 7.

They may discharge and respite Debts due to the King. *Mad.* 137.

But the Court of Equity there, is before the Treasurer, Chancellor and Barons. 4 *Inst.* 109.

(D. 11.)
The Chamberlains.

The Chamberlains of the *Exchequer* have their Office usually for Life, *exer-*
cendum per se aut Deputat. 4 *Inst.* 106.

And appoint two Deputies. 4 *Inst.* 107. *Mad.* 732.

Antiently they had the Keys of the Chests, weighed the Money, and laid up the Bags of 100*l.* *Co. L.* 106. a.

And now they have the Keys of the Treasury where the Records of Leagues, Doomday-Book, Pleas of Justices in *Eire*, and of the Forest, &c. are. 4 *Inst.* 106. *Co. L.* 106. a. *Compl. Att. in Exch.*

But they cannot use their Keys till the Auditor of Receipt brings the Key of the Treasurer. *Compl. Att.*

So the Custody of the Treasure and Record belongs to them jointly with the Treasurer. *Mo.* 475.

To them belongs the Office of one of the Door-keepers of the Receipt. 4 *Inst.* 106.

Their Under-Chamberlains cleave the Tallies, and read them when written by the Clerk of the Tallies, that the Clerk of the Pells and Comptroller of the Pells may see their Entries be true. 4 *Inst.* 107.

(D. 12.)
Remem-
brancers.

There are three Remembrancers, of the King, of the Treasurer, of the First-Fruits. 4 *Inst.* 106. *Mad.* 714.

The two first are in the King's Gift, and have each two Secondaries. 4 *Inst.* 106, 107, 108.

By the Stat. 5 R. 2. 14. The said two Remembrancers shall be sworn to see all Writs of the Great or Privy Seal, sent to the *Exchequer* for Discharge of any Person of any Demand in the *Exchequer*, put into due Execution by those to whom it pertaineth. *Vide* 37 Ed. 3. 4.

And shall every Term make a Schedule of all so discharged, and send it to the Clerk of the Pipe, &c.

The King's Remembrancer, by his Office, ought to make Process against Collectors of the Customs, &c. enter in his Office all Recognizances acknowledged before the Barons, take Bonds for the King's Debts, &c. and make Process upon them, make Process upon all Informations upon penal Statutes (which are entered in his Office) and Bills of Composition upon them, enter the Stallment of Debts, keep all Conveyances, &c. of Lands, &c. granted to the King; and all Proceedings by *English* Bill are entred there. 4 *Inst.* 108.

So he ought to tax all Bills of Costs in the *Exchequer*, *Rules and Orders in Exchequer* 16. *Rule* 42.

The Treasurer's Remembrancer makes Process by *Fieri facias*, and Extent for the King's Debts, &c. enters upon Record if Accountants pay their Proffers, &c. 4 *Inst.* 108.

But if a Remembrancer be made a Baron of the *Exchequer*, his Patent shall be void. *Dy.* 197. b.

(D. 13.)
Clerk of the
Pipe.

The Clerk of the Pipe is, by his Patent, described to be *Ingrossator magni Rotuli in Scaccario*, 4 *Inst.* 106. *Mad.* 717.

And all Accounts and Debts to the King are collected out of the Offices of the King's and Treasurer's Remembrancer, and put into a great Roll, called the *Pipe*, and then they are duly charged. 4 *Inst.* 106.

He has also a Roll of Reversions, which comprehends Grants for Years, for Life, and in Tail, without Rent, &c. to the Intent that a Writ may issue, if need be to inquire whether the Lessee be dead, or the Entail determined. *Ibid.*

There are two Secondaries of the Pipe. 4 *Inst.* 107.

The Chancellor of the *Exchequer* is Comptroller of the Pipe. *Vide Ante* (D. 9.)

There are five Auditors in the *Exchequer*, who take and audit all Accounts of Receivers, Collectors, &c. 4 *Inst.* 106. (D. 14.)
The Auditors,
&c.

The Auditor of the Receipt, who files and enters the Bills of the Tellers, certifies to the Lord Treasurer every Week the Money received, makes a Debiture to each Teller before he pays any Money, and audits their Accounts. 4 *Inst.* 107.

He has also the Custody of the Black Book of Receipts, and of the Lord Treasurer's Key; and sees that the Tellers lock up their Money in the Treasury. *Ibid.*

There are two Auditors of the Prest, who audit all Accounts of Money imprest to any Person. 4 *Inst.* 107. And foreign Accounts. *Mad.* 729.

But an Auditor cannot determine whether a Licence or Grant be good. 4 *Inst.* 106.

Neither can he put any Thing in Charge; for he only audits Accounts. *Ibid.*

Neither can he make a *Super*, but only Money received and audited before. 4 *Inst.* 167.

The Foreign Opposer opposes all Sheriffs, &c. in their Accounts of the Green-Wax, viz. of all Fines, Issues, Amerciaments, Recognizances, &c. for which Process is sent to the Sheriff, sealed with Green-Wax. 4 *Inst.* 107. (D. 15.)
Foreign Opposer, &c.

The Clerk of the Estreats provides that Summons for all Fines, &c. estreated into the *Exchequer* be issued. *Mad.* 731.

The Clerk of the *Nichils* makes a Roll of the Sums in Process, for which the Sheriff returns *Nichil*, and delivers it to the Treasurer's Remembrancer. 4 *Inst.* 107.

The Clerk of the Summons. *Ibid.*

The Clerk of the Pleas, has the Office in which all Suits are entered. *Ibid.*

The Clerk of the Tallies, who makes Tallies for Debt, or for Reward. 4 *Inst.* 107, 8.

The Clerk of the Pells enters all Receipts or Bills of the Tellers, in *pelle Receptorum*; and all Payments in *pelle Exituum*. 4 *Inst.* 108. *Mad.* 739.

There are four Tellers, who receive all Money for the King, give a Bill of Receipt to the Clerk of the Pells, who charges them; pay all Money by Warrant of the Auditor of the Receipt, and make a Book of Receipts and Payments for the Lord Treasurer. 4 *Inst.* 108. *Mad.* 739. *Vide Ante*, (D. 4.)

The Usher of the *Exchequer* is an antient Officer, who has under him four Under-Ushers. *Mad.* 718. *Dy.* 213. b.

The Usher of the Receipt.

The *Pesor* and *Fusor* who weigh and melt the Coin paid in the Receipt of the *Exchequer*. *Mad.* 540, 1.

The Marshal has the Custody of Debtors committed during the Term, receives all Offices found *Virtute Officii*, and delivers them to the Treasurer's Remembrancer, and appoints Auditors for the Accounts of Sheriffs, &c. 4 *Inst.* 107. *Mad.* 725.

Vide 4 *Inst.* 107, 8.

(E) The Court of Chivalry.

(E. 1.) Who are the Judges.

THE Court of Chivalry, or Court Martial, is held before the Lord Constable, and Earl Marshal of England. 4 *Inst.* 123. *Ca. Parl.* 66. *Vide* Officer, (E. 2, 3.)

The Constable was antiently constituted for Life, or for him and his Heirs: but 13 H. 8. it was forfeited by the Attainder of the Duke of Bucks, and was never after granted but *pro hac vice*. 4 *Inst.* 127. *Spel. Gl.* 146.

But the Earl Marshal cannot hold Plea without the Constable. *Ca. Parl.* 66, Not for the marshalling of Funerals, Arms, &c. *R. cont.* 1 *Sid.* 352. 1 *Lev.* 230. *Acc. Ca. Parl.* 66.

And therefore, where the King refuses to make a Constable, the Plea cannot be determined in the Court of Chivalry. *Co. L.* 74. *b.*

(E. 2) What Jurisdiction it has.

By the *St.* 13 *R.* 2. *St.* 1. *c.* 2. it is declared, That this Court has Conifance of Contracts touching Deeds of Arms, and of War out of the Realm. *Vide Co. L.* 391. *b.* 4 *Inst.* 123.

And of Things which touch War within the Realm, which cannot be determined by the Common Law; with other Usages and Customs to the same Matters pertaining.

The Plaintiff shall by his Petition declare plainly his Matter, before any shall be cited to answer thereto.

And therefore if a Man be accused of Treason, Misprifion, &c. done out of the Realm, it shall be tried before the Constable and Marshal. 4 *Inst.* 124.

And tho' by the *St.* 26 *H.* 8. 13. 35 *H.* 8. 2. & 5 *Ed.* 6. 11. Treasons and Misprifions, &c. may be enquired of in *B. R.* or before special Commissioners, if done out of the Realm, as well as done in it; yet this does not take away the Jurisdiction of the Constable and Marshal. 4 *Inst.* 124. 2 *Rush.* 107.

So Murder, Homicide, &c. out of the Realm, shall be tried upon Appeal before the Constable and Marshal. *Co. L.* 74.

So, if the mortal Stroke be given out of the Realm, tho' the Death be within the Realm. *Co. L.* 74. *b.*

So the Court has an absolute Jurisdiction, by Prescription, in Matters of Honour, Pedigree, Descent, and Coat-Armour. 4 *Mod.* 128.

But by the *St.* 13 *R.* 2. *St.* 1. *c.* 2. If a Plea be commenced before the Constable and Marshal of any Matter that may be determined by the Common Law of the Land, a Privy Seal shall be directed to the Constable and Marshal to surcease, &c.

So by the *St.* 8 *R.* 2. 5. All Pleas that ought to be discussed at Common Law, shall not be held before the Constable and Marshal.

And therefore, a Prohibition lies, as well as a Privy Seal, if the Court proceeds upon a Matter out of their Jurisdiction. *R. Ca. Parl.* 63. *Adm.* 4 *Mod.* 128.

As, if the Suit be there for the Ordering of a Funeral. *Ca. Parl.* 64.

For Encroachment upon the Office of an Herald; for an Action upon the Case lies for it at Common Law. *Ca. Parl.* 65.

So the Constable and Marshal have no Jurisdiction of a Thing done upon the High Sea, tho' it be out of the Realm; for it belongs to the Admiral. 4 *Inst.* 124.

So the Marshal has no Jurisdiction alone, if no Constable be made, at least, *pro hac vice*. 2 *Rush.* 107.

The Court of Chivalry proceeds according to the Usages and Customs of the same Court. 4 *Inst.* 125.

And if the Usage fails, according to the Civil Law in the Case of Arms. 4 *Inst.* 125. *Co. L.* 391. *b.* 2 *Rush.* 107.

The Trial in the Court of Chivalry shall be by Combat, or by the Testimony of Witnesses. *Co. L.* 74. *a.*

As to Trial by Combat. *Vide Battle.*

By Attainder upon a Judgment in the Court of Chivalry Lands are not forfeited, nor the Blood corrupted. 4 *Inst.* 125.

After Sentence in the Court of Chivalry, the Party grieved may appeal to the King. *Ibid.*

(E. 3.) What Officers belong to the Court.

The Heralds are Officers attendant upon the Court of Chivalry. 4 *Inst.* 125. ^{The Heralds.}
There are Three Kings of Arms, *Garter*, *Clarencieux*, *Norroy*; and each of them has several Heralds under him. *Vide Norroy*.

A King of Arms shall be created by the King's Patent.

And the Title of *Garter*, &c. *King of Arms* is Parcel of his Name.

So a Herald shall be created by Patent. 4 *Inst.* 127.

And he shall be a compleat Officer by his Patent, tho' he has no other Investiture. *R. Noy* 150.

And tho' he never was a Pursuivant, yet by the Rules of the Office this is required. *Noy* 150.

The Heralds were incorporated by *R. 3.* and afterwards by Charter 3 *Pb. & M.* 4 *Inst.* 126.

And by Patent 3 *Ed.* 6. they are discharged of all Tolls, Subsidies, &c. *Ibid.*

It belongs to *Garter* King of Arms, to marshal all publick Funerals of the Nobility, and to *Clarencieux* and *Norroy*, the publick Funerals of the Gentry, and to direct what Banners and Arms shall be used. *R. per 3 J.* 1 *Sid.* 353. (*Vide Ca. Parl.* 63. 4 *Inst.* 126.)

(F) The Court of the Marshalsea.

THE Court of the *Marshalsea* is held before the Steward and Marshal of the King's Household. 4 *Inst.* 130. 10 *Co.* 72. a. 6 *Co.* 12. a.

And it has Original Jurisdiction within the Verge, viz. within the Circuit of twelve Miles round the Mansion of the King. 4 *H.* 6. 8. 4 *Inst.* 130. *Ld. Bac. Charge at the Sessions of the Verge.* *Vide the St.* 33 *H.* 8. 12.

The Jurisdiction was general, by the Common Law, in all Causes, criminal and civil, real, personal and mixt, within the Verge, as Justices in *Eyre*, or Vicegerents of *B. R.* there: But this is now taken away by the *St. Art. sup. Chart.* 3. 10 *Co.* 71. 2 *Inst.* 549.

And now the Coroner within the Verge may enquire of Murder, Homicide, &c. done within the Verge, with the Coroner of the County, by the *St.* 28 *Ed.* 1. *Art. sup. Chart.* 3.

And his Authority is the same with the Coroner of the County. *R.* 4 *Co.* 46. *Vide the St.* 33 *H.* 8. 12.

But *B. R.* Justices of Gaol-Delivery, of the Peace, &c. have a general Jurisdiction, and may inquire of Felony, &c. within the Verge. *R.* 4 *Co.* 46.

And if the Coroner of the County be also Coroner of the Verge, an Indictment before him is good. *R.* 4 *Co.* 46. a.

So there was also a particular Jurisdiction in the *Marshalsea* by the Common Law, confirmed by the *St.* 28 *Ed.* 1. *Art. sup. Chart.* 3. To have Conscience of Trespasses *Vi & Armis* within the Verge, where the Plaintiff or Defendant was of the King's Household; and of Debt, and Covenant, when both were within the King's Household. 10 *Co.* 71, &c. 2 *Inst.* 548. *R.* 6 *Co.* 20. b. *Conf. by the St.* 15 *H.* 6. 1. *D.* 1 *Sid.* 180.

So there is the *Palace-Court* in the *Marshalsea*, which has Jurisdiction within the Verge of twelve Miles, tho' neither Party be of the Household. *Sal.* 439.

But the *Marshalsea* cannot hold Plea of Freehold.

Nor, of Trespasses upon the Case, or other Trespasses which is not done *Vi & Armis.* 2 *Inst.* 548. 10 *Co.* 76. a.

Nor, in Ejectment.

Nor, in *Trover*, *Assumpsit*, &c. 10 *Co.* 76. a. *R.* unless both Parties are of the Household. 2 *Rol.* 498.

If the *Marshalsea* holds Plea of a Thing done out of the Verge, the Proceedings are void, and *coram non Judice.* *Pl. Com.* 37. b.

So, in Trespasses, when neither Party is, in Debt and Covenant, when both are not of the King's Household. *R.* 10 *Co.* 77. a.

If

If the Plaintiff or Defendant be alledged falsely to be of the Household, by the *St. 15 H. 6. 1.* it may be averred to the contrary; or the Party may have a *Superfedeas* directed to the Steward and Marshal. *10 Co. 75. b.*

The Marshalsea is a Court of Record. *10 Co. 69. b.*

The Proceedings are by Bill, and not by Original. *10 Co. 73. a.*

If the King's Household removes out of the Verge, the Actions there depending are discontinued. *10 Co. 73. a.*

Error of a Judgment there was in Parliament before the *St. 5 Ed. 3. 2.* and *10 Ed. 3. St. 2. 10 Co. 69. b.*

(G) The Court of Green-Cloth.

SO, by the Common Law, a Court is held before the Lord Steward, Treasurer of the Household, Comptroller, Master, Cofferer, two Clerks Comptrollers, who sit at a Table with a Green-Cloth *in Domo Comput' Hospitil Regis. 4 Inst. 131.*

And they have Jurisdiction to take an Account of all the Expences of the King's Household. *4 Inst. 131.*

To make Provision for the Household, and Payment for such Provision. *Ibid.*

For the good Government of the Servants of the Household, who are paid, by the Lord Chamberlain those above Stairs, by the Cofferer those below. *Ibid.*

(H) The Court of the Steward of the King's household.

SO by the *St. 3 H. 7. 14.* The Steward, Treasurer, and Comptroller of King's House, or one of them, may inquire by twelve of the Checque-Roll of the Household, if any Servant of the Checque-Roll, under a Lord, make any Confederacies, Compassings, &c. with any, to destroy the King, or any Lord of the Realm, or any other sworn of the King's Council, or the Steward, Treasurer, or Comptroller of the Household, and if found, he may be put to answer. And they, or two of them, may hear and determine same Offence, (which shall be Felony) by twelve other of the Household, against whom no Challenge but for Malice. And if the Defendants be found guilty by Confession or otherwise, they shall have Judgment as Felons attain by the Common Law.

So by the *St. 33 H. 8. 12.* All Treasons, Misprisions, Murders, Manslaughters, Bloodsheds, &c. in any Palaces or Houses of the King, or other House where he resides, shall be inquired, tried, &c. before the Lord Great Master or Lord Steward, and, in his Absence, before the Treasurer and Comptroller, and the Steward of the Marshalsea, &c. or two of them, whereof the said Steward of the Marshalsea to be one, without further Commission.

And tho' the King be removed from the Palace, where the Offence was done before the Inquest or Trial, it shall be enquired of, tried, &c. before the King's said Ministers, or two of them, by his Servants of the Checque-Roll at the Palace, &c. where the King is residing.

And all Inquisitions by the Coroner of the Household shall be returned before them.

And they may issue a Precept to the Clerks Comptrollers, Clerks of the Checque, and Clerks Marshal to return Twenty-four of the Yeomen Officers of the Checque-Roll, of whom they may appoint any Number more than Twelve to inquire of such Treasons, Misprisions, &c.

So there is a Commission usually granted to Officers within the Verge to be Justices of the Peace, and *Oyer and Terminer*, for Riots, and other Offences there. *Mod. Ca. 76.*

(I) The Portmote Court.

THE Portmote is a Court held in a Port, or Haven of the Kingdom. *4 Inst. 148.*

The Court of High Commission.

Is taken away by the *St. 16 Car. 1. 11.*

(K) The Court of Star-Chamber.

AN antient Court was holden *coram Rege & Concilio suo in Camera*, which was the Court of Star-Chamber. *4 Inst. 60. 2 Rush. 472.*

And therefore, it was not erected by the *St. 3 H. 7. 1.* but that Act affirmed the Jurisdiction of the Court, and was directory to its Proceedings in several Particulars. *4 Inst. 62.*

The Jurisdiction of the Court extended to the Examination and Punishment of Oppressions, and other exorbitant Crimes of great Men, Bribery, Extortion, Maintenance, Embracery, Forgery, Perjury, Spreading of false Rumours, Libels, Riots, Routs, unlawful Assemblies, Misdemeanors in Sheriffs or Bailiffs, Frauds, Duels, Challenges, and other extraordinary Offences, pursuant to the Laws and Customs of the Realm. *4 Inst. 63.*

And the Proceeding was by Information, or Bill, Examination of Parties upon Interrogatories and Witnesses. *Ibid.*

The Informations, Bills, Answers, Replications and Decrees were in *English*, ingrossed in Parchment, and filed. *Ibid.*

The Process was by *Subpœna*, Attachment, Commission of Rebellion, &c. all under the Great Seal. *4 Inst. 66.*

But the Court had no Jurisdiction, except for Things which were contrary to the Common Law, or a Statute. *4 Inst. 63.*

Nor, for an Offence which touched the Life or Member of a Man. *4 Inst. 66.*

Nor, for Matters of an ordinary Nature, which belonged to the Courts of Common Law. *4 Inst. 63.*

And now by the *St. 16 Car. 10.* This Court, and all the Jurisdiction exercised therein, are dissolved, and taken away.

The Court of Requests

Is taken away by Statute. *Vide the St. 16 Car. 1. 10. Vide 4 Inst. 97.*

The Court of First-Fruits and Tenths.

Is taken away by the *St. 1 Mary 10. 4 Inst. 120.*

The Court of Augmentations.

Is taken away by the *St. 1 Mary 10. 4 Inst. 122.*

(L) The Court of Stannaries

(L. 1.) In what Cases it has Jurisdiction.

BY Charters, one to the Tinnors of Cornwall, and the other to the Tinnors of Devon, made 10 *Ap. 33 Reg. Ed. 1.* and confirmed by Charter 8 *Ric. 2. ment, (D. 7.)* The King grants *quod omnes Stannatores dum operantur, &c. sint quieti de Placitis Nativorum & omnibus Placitis & Querelis Curiam nostram spectant, &c. ita quod non respondeant coram aliquibus Justiciariis, &c. de aliquo Placito infra Stannarias prædictas emergent, exceptis Placitis Terræ, Vitæ, & Membrorum. Pl. Com. 327. b. 4 Inst. 232. St. 16 Car. 1. 15.*

Et quod Custos Noster vel ejus Locum tenens teneat omnia Placita inter Stannatores prædictos & inter ipsos & alios de omnibus Transgressionibus, Querelis, & Contractibus infra Stannarias illas emergent, &c. Pl. Com. 327. b.

By *St. 50 Ed. 3.* and by his Charter *6 July 50 Ed. 3.* Upon Complaint of Grievances by Colour of the same Charters, Restraint was put to such Grievances, *salvis Libertatibus & Privilegiis per Chart' prædict. concessis.* *4 Inst. 233.*

And therefore, the Warden of the Stannaries may hold a Court for Redress of all Trespasses, Complaints, and Contracts between the Tinnars working within the Stannaries, &c. and between them and others.

And this Privilege extends to all Blowers, Labourers, and Workers without Fraud in or about the Stannaries in *Cornwall* and *Devon*, during the Time they work there. *R. per all the J. 4 Jac. 4 Inst. 231.*

So the Court of the Stannaries shall have Jurisdiction in all Matters, which concern or depend upon the Stannaries. *R. 4 Inst. 231.*

So, in all transitory Actions between Tinner and Tinner, tho' the Cause be collateral, and does not relate to the Stannaries. *Ibid.*

So it may be in the Stannaries, tho' the Cause arises out of the Stannaries, where the Defendant lives within the Jurisdiction. *Ibid.*

So, between a Tinner and a Foreigner, if the Defendant does not plead to the Jurisdiction, and it does not appear upon the Proceedings to be out of the Jurisdiction. *Ibid.*

(L. 2.) In what not.

But by the *St. 50 Ed. 3.* The Court of Stannaries has Jurisdiction only *de operariis laborantibus in Stannariis illis, & non de aliis, aut alibi laborantibus.* *4 Inst. 233.*

Tho' he be Master to the Labourers within the Stannaries, or his other Servants. *Semb. 4 Inst. 233.*

So by the *St. 16 Car. 1. 15.* in a Vill only, where some Tin-work is in Work, and shall be in Working.

So the Court of Stannaries has no Jurisdiction in any local Action, which arises out of the Stannaries; for Pleas of Land, Life, or Member are excepted out of the Charter, and therefore there must be Justice elsewhere. *R. 4 Inst. 231.*

Nor, in a personal Action, which arises out of the Stannaries, if it be between a Tinner and another, and the Defendant will plead to the Jurisdiction, or it appears upon the Proceedings to be out of the Jurisdiction. *Ibid.*

So, if the Cause of Action, between a Tinner and a Tinner, arises out of the Stannaries, it may be brought elsewhere if the Plaintiff will. *4 Inst. 231.*

If the Plaintiff sues in the Court of the Stannaries, where the Matter arises out of the Jurisdiction, the Defendant may tender a Plea to the Jurisdiction upon his Oath; and, if it be refused, he shall have a Prohibition. *Ibid.*

And he has Privilege, that he shall not be arrested in any Place when he goes to make his Oath, *eundo, redeundo, aut morando.* *Ibid.*

So by the *St. 16 Car. 1. 15.* The Defendant shall be discharged, if he tender an Oath, that he is not, nor was a Tinner when the Suit commenced, unless the Plaintiff makes Oath, that he is a working Tinner without Fraud, and that his Suit arose within the Stannaries, or concerns Tin, or Tin-works.

So, if it appears, by the Plaintiff's own shewing, that the Cause of Action arises out of the Jurisdiction; the Proceeding there shall be void, tho' the Defendant did not plead to the Jurisdiction. *Ibid.*

Or, if it appears by the Condition of an Obligation, that a Thing was to be done out of the Jurisdiction. *Ibid.*

And in such Case, if Execution be executed, Trespass or False Imprisonment lies. *Semb. 4 Inst. 231.*

So by the *St. 16 Car. 1. 15.* An Action lies, if any not a Tinner, &c. sue there, in which the Plaintiff shall recover 10 *l.* and his Damages and Costs.

(L. 3.) How the Proceedings shall be.

The Court of Stannaries is held *coram Custode Stannariæ, &c.* *4 Inst. 229.*

And ought to be guided by special Laws, allowed by Custom or Prescription. *Ibid.*

So a Demurrer there ought to be only for Matter of Substance, and not for Form. *R. 4 Inst. 231.*

So Error does not lie upon a Judgment given there. *4 Inst. 229. 1 Rol. 745. l. 20.*

Nor a Writ of false Judgment. *R. 4 Inst. 230.*

Neither can it be examined in *B. R. Chancery*, or other Court. *R. 7 Eliz. 4 Inst. 230.*

But an Appeal lies, by Usage, to the Steward of the Stannaries, and from him to the Under-Warden, and from him to the Warden of the Stannaries, and from him to the Prince and his Council. *R. 4 Inst. 230. 1 Rol. 745. l. 20.*

And, if there be no Prince, to the King in Council. *1 Rol. 745. l. 20.*

(M) The Courts of the Universities.

BY the *St. 13 Eliz. 29.* the Universities of *Oxford* and *Cambridge* are severally *Vide Univers.* incorporated; and all former Letters Patent to them severally granted, and *fit.* all Manors, &c. Franchises, Privileges, &c. are confirmed. *4 Inst. 227.*

And therefore, by Charter *14 H. 8.* now confirmed by the same *St. 13 El.* the University of *Oxford* may hold Plea, before the Vice-Chancellor, in all Things personal, *secundum Legem Terræ, aut Morem Universitatis.* *Lit. 10.*

And in Trespass by any Person, where a Scholar is Party. *1 Sal. 343.*

Before the *14 H. 8.* The University of *Oxford* had a Court-Leet. *Ibid.*

But an University, in their Court, cannot hold Plea for the Penalty of a Statute; and a Recovery there is no Bar in an Action at Common Law. *Skin. 665.*

[In the Chancellor of *Oxford's* Court, the Plaintiff, to obtain a Warrant to arrest Defendant, must swear he has a personal Action against him, and that he believes he will run away: to swear *of and upon the Truth* of the Premises, and that he suspects he will run away, is not sufficient. *Smith v. Dr. Bouchier, M. 8 G. 2. Str. 993. B. R. H. 62.*]

(N. 1.) The Ecclesiastical Courts.

AS to the Original of the Ecclesiastical Jurisdiction, *Vide Prærogative,* (D. 9, &c.)

As to the Court of Convocation, *Vide Convocation.*

The Court of High Commission is now taken away by the *St. 16 Car. 1, 11.* —*Vide* for this, *Prærogative,* (D. 17.)

The Courts of the Archbishop are, 1. The *Prærogative-Court.* 2. The Court of *Arches.* 3. The Court of *Audience.* 4. The Court of *Faculties.*

[No Proceedings in the Ecclesiastical Courts of this Kingdom are Records, but only Evidence of Sentences in their Courts, and the Officers should not take upon them to intitle them *Recorda Dom. Reg.* *Colegate v. Juson, M. 1744. 3 Atkyns 197.*]

(N. 2.) The Prærogative Court.

The Prærogative Court, is the Court where the Archbishop grants Administration, or makes Probate of the Testaments of All having *Bona Notabilia* within his Province. *4 Inst. 335. Vide Administrator, (B. 3, &c.)*

Or repeals a Probate, or Administration, granted by Surprise.

A Sentence by an Ecclesiastical Judge, in a Spiritual Cause, shall be allowed as consonant to the Ecclesiastical Law, by the Temporal Judges. *2 Rol. 219. l. 20. 5. Co. 7. Caudrey's Case, of the King's Ecclesiastical Law.*

And therefore a Certificate, &c. of such Sentence need not mention the Cause of it; as, if it certifies a Deprivation of an Ecclesiastical Person, it need not express the Cause of the Deprivation. *2 Rol. 219. l. 30.*

So it is sufficient if a Sentence be found in a special Verdict, without mentioning the Cause. *Ibid.*

So a Process in the Name, and under the Seal of a Bishop, &c. shall be good. R. 12 Co. 7. *Vide Prærogative*, (D. 17.)

(N. 3.) The Arches.

The Court of *Arches* has ordinary Jurisdiction in *Bow* and twelve other Parishes in *London*, for Ecclesiastical Causes there arising. 4 *Inst.* 337.

So it has Jurisdiction upon Appeal, in all Causes within the Province of *Canterbury*. *Ibid.*

The Dean of the Arches is the Judge in this Court. *Ibid.*

And may hear Causes, at the Instance of Parties, or *ex Officio*.

And act as Deputy to the Archbishop, and by his Authority. *Skin.* 290.

But a Suit ought not to be in the Arches, where the Archbishop himself is a Party; for tho' another sits as Judge there, the Archbishop may sit there if he pleases. 2 *Sho.* 146.

Tho' the Archbishop sues only as a Trustee; for he ought to have a Commission of Delegates originally. *Ibid.*

So an Appeal does not lie from the Dean to the Archbishop. *Skin.* 290.

(N. 4. The Audience.

The Court of *Audience* is held in the Archbishop's Palace, before his Vicar-General in Spirituals.

The Jurisdiction does not relate to Causes between Party and Party, but to Matters *pro forma*. 4 *Inst.* 337.

As, the Consecration and Confirmation of Bishops elected. *Ibid.*

Admission and Institution to Benefices. *Ibid.*

Dispensations. *Ibid.*

The Grant or Appointment of a Guardian of the Spiritualities *Sede vacante*. *Ibid.*

And by himself, or his Commissary, he may exercise all Ecclesiastical Jurisdiction *in qualibet Dioecesi, Sede vacante*; and make Institutions and Visitations in such Diocese, as the Bishop himself when the See is full.

(N. 5.) The Court of Faculties.

So the Archbishop has a Court of Faculties, which does not hold Plea in Suits, but there the Archbishop, or his Official, Master of the Faculties, grants Dispensations in Cases allowed by the *St.* 25 H. 8. 21. *viz.* for any such Matter whereof Dispensations, &c. were accustomed to be by Authority of the See of *Rome*.

By the *St.* 25 H. 8. 21. The Archbishop by himself, Commissary, or Deputy, may grant by Instrument under his Name and Seal, all Licences, Dispensations, Faculties, Compositions, Delegacies, Rescripts, or other Writing, for any such Cause, whereof such Licences, &c. were accustomed to be had at the See of *Rome*, &c.

The Archbishop may constitute a Clerk to write and register such Licences, &c.

And this Court has Authority to grant such Dispensations and Faculties, by the Master of the Faculties. 4 *Inst.* 337.

As a Faculty to be a Doctor, Batchelor of Arts, &c. *Semb.* 2 *Mod. Ca.* 364.

And if it be subscribed by a Deputy, and not by the Chief Clerk of the Faculties, and afterwards registered and inrolled, it is sufficient. 2 *Mod. Ca.* 364.

And this Court may grant a Dispensation for Marriage, Plurality, accepting a Benefice where his Father was Incumbent, &c. 4 *Inst.* 337.

By the *St.* 5 El. 5. The Archbishop, Bishop, &c. are allowed to grant Licence to eat Flesh in *Lent*; &c. (*Vide* 4 *Inst.* 337.)

(N. 6.) The Consistory-Court.

Every Bishop has his Consistory-Court, held before his Chancellor or his Commissary, for all Ecclesiastical Causes within his Diocese. 4 *Inst.* 338.

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The Consistory-Court seems to be erected after the Time of *H. 1.* but upon the Ground of a Charter by *W. 1.* to the Bishop of *Lincoln.* 4 *Inst.* 259, 260. *Cod. f. Eccl.* 1009. *Seld. of Tithes, ch. 14. f. 1.*

(N. 7.) The Manner of Proceeding.

Omnes Causæ in Foro Ecclesiastico movent ex Officio, vel ad Instantiam partis, Causæ ex Officio sunt pro Crimine commissæ, vel suspecto, & sunt ex Officio mero, vel promoto.

Causæ *ex mero Officio* are, where the Judge proceeds against the Criminal upon Request, or Accusation, or Detection by another;

Ex Officio promoto, where another brings the Accusation, and prosecutes the Cause.

(N. 8.) Censures and Appeals.

As to Ecclesiastical Censures, *Vide Prærogative*, (D. 12.)

As to Appeals, *Vide Prærogative*, (D. 13, &c.)

(N. 9.) The Court of the Archdeacon.

So, by Prescription, or Composition, the Archdeacon has a Court, in what Place he pleases, for Causæ Ecclesiastical within his Archdeaconry. 4 *Inst.* 339. 2 *Rol.* 150. 37 *H. 6.* 28. a. *Vide Ecclesiastical Persons*, (C. 5.)

And shall make a Register of his Court. 2 *Vent.* 269.

The Courts of Law take Notice of his Jurisdiction. 2 *Rol.* 150. 2 *Vent.* 269.

Vide more concerning Ecclesiastical Courts in Dismes, (M. 1, &c.)—*Prohibition.*

(O) The Courts of London.

(O. 1.) The Hustings.

IN *London* there are, the Courts of Hustings, of the Mayor, of the Sheriffs, of the Chamberlain, of Aldermen, of Common-Council, the Wardmote, Court of Conservancy, and Court of Conscience.

The Court of *Hustings* is the most antient and eminent Court within *London.* 4 *Inst.* 247. 2 *Inst.* 322.

And is held before the Mayor and Sheriffs, of all Pleas Real, Mixt, and Personal. 4 *Inst.* 247.

By Custom, the City of *London* shall hold Plea of Lands within the City, by Writ of Right Patent, or by other Writs of the King. *F. N. B.* 6, 7.

And therefore, when the Suit is by Right Patent, he shall not sue in Nature of such a Writ as he pleases at Common Law, as he shall do, when he sues a Writ of Right Close in *Antient Demesne.* *F. N. B.* 7. A.

By Charters of *H. 1.* & *H. 3.* The Hustings shall be held once a Week. 2 *Inst.* 327. (*Vide Priv. Lond.* 4, 10.)

And therefore, the Hustings is held in one Week for Pleas of Land, or Actions Real, and the next for common Pleas; for they are distinct. (*Vide Priv. Lond.* 160.)

After Delivery of the Writ, three Summonses go against the Tenant, returnable at the next Hustings, and an Essoign upon each at the next Hustings; and if he does not appear after the third Summons and third Essoign, Process shall be by *Grand* or *Petit Cape*, as at the Common Law. (*Vide Priv. Lond.* 161.)

If the Tenant appears, the Demandant counts, and proceeds as at Common Law. (*Vide Priv. Lond.* 161.)

And, by Custom, the Tenant shall have an Essoign after every Appearance, and after the View. *Ibid.*

In the Hustings for Common Pleas, the Plaintiff shall sue a Writ *ex gravi Querela*, a Writ of Dower *unde nihil habet*, a Writ of Gavallet, of Waste, of Partition, *Quid juris clamat*, &c. 2 *Inst.* 299. *Vide Waste*, (B. 1, 2.) (*Vide Priv. Lond.* 164, &c.)

So, a Writ of Error upon a Judgment in the Sheriff's Court. *Vide Post*, (O. 4.) (*Vide Priv. Lond.* 164, 168.)

But, by the Custom of *London*, Judgment of Outlawry in the Hustings in *London* shall be given by the Recorder, not by the Mayor, tho' he be Coroner, or his Deputy, as in other Counties. 4 *Inst.* 247.

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If there be a
Foreign Vou-
chee.
Vide Voucher,
(H.)

If the Defendant in the Hustings had vouched in a foreign County, by the Common Law the Plea was put without Day, and the Record ought to be removed to *C. B.* 2 *Inst.* 324.

But now by the *St. Gloc.* 12 There shall be a Summons *ad Warrantizandum* returnable in *C. B.* and a Writ to the Mayor and Bailiffs, to surcease until the Plea be determined in *C. B.* and then the Warrantor shall answer to the chief Plea, and if the Demandant recovers, the Tenant shall have a Writ from *C. B.* to the Mayor to extend the Land, and to return the Extent into *C. B.* and afterwards shall have a Writ to the Sheriff of the County where the Vouchee was summoned, to have of the Land of the Warrantor to the Value. 2 *Inst.* 324. *Vide Voucher*, (H.)

(O. 3.) The Mayor's Court.

The Mayor's Court is a Court of Record, held before the Mayor and Aldermen, for all Actions arising within the Liberties of *London*; in which the Recorder is Judge, but the Mayor and Aldermen may join with him, when they please. (*Vide Priv. Lond.* 186.)

So, in this Court, all Matters of Equity within *London* may be determined upon Bill and Answer, upon which the Recorder also is Judge. *Vide Post*, (O. 5.) (*Vide Priv. Lond.* 256.)

(O. 4.) The Sheriff's Courts.

Each Sheriff of *London* has a Court of Record held before him. (*Vide Priv. Lond.* 264.)

And upon a Plea entered there, any Serjeant of Mace may arrest the Defendant upon a Precept *ore tenus*, till he finds Bail. (*Vide Priv. Lond.* 271, 272, 277.)

Tho' the Entry be only in the Porter's Book, before an Entry in Court. (*Vide Priv. Lond.* 277.)

And tho' Bail be tendered to the Sheriff, the Serjeant is not bound to discharge him till Notice from the Sheriff.

If Error be of a Judgment in the Sheriff's Court, it shall be before the Mayor and Sheriffs in the Hustings. 4 *Inst.* 248. (*Vide Priv. Lond.* 164, 168.)

(O. 5.) The Court of Equity in *London*.

By the Custom of *London*, if a Man be impleaded before the Sheriffs, upon a Suggestion the Mayor may bring the Parties and Record before him, and examine them upon their Pleas; and if he finds that the Plaintiff is satisfied, order that the Plaintiff be barred. 4 *Inst.* 248. (*Vide Priv. Lond.* 275.)

But by the Custom, the Mayor cannot examine the Parties after Judgment. 4 *Inst.* 248. *R. Godb.* 127.

(*Vide Priv. Lond.* 256, 275, 398, &c.) *Vide Ante*, (O. 3.)

(O. 6.) The Wardmote.

The Court of *Ward-mote* is held for every Ward in the City: for each Ward is of the Nature of an Hundred in a County. 4 *Inst.* 249. (*Vide Priv. Lond.* 355.)

By Inquisition of twelve Men, the Wardmote inquires of Defaults in paving the Streets, &c. 4 *Inst.* 249.)

(O. 7.) Folk-mote.

The Court of *Folk-mote* or *Hall-mote* is *Conventus in Aula Publica* of each Company in the City. 4 *Inst.* 249.

(*Vide Priv. Lond.* 408.)

(O. 8.) The Tower-Court.

By Prescription, a Court is held within the *Tower*, for Debt, and other Personal Actions. 4 *Inst.* 251. (*Vide Priv. Lond.* 409.)

So by Charter of *H. 1.* The Citizens of *London* may place whom they will of themselves, for keeping the Pleas of the Crown, and no other shall be Justices over the Men of *London*.

(O. 9.) The Court of Requests.

[By *Stat.* 14 *G. 2. c. 10.* all Debts under 40 *s.* may be recovered in the Court of Requests thereby established; concerning which various Regulations are laid down.]

The Court of Aldermen.

Vide London, (D.—*Vide* 4 *Inst.* 248. *Vide Priv. Lond.* 353.

The Court of the Chamberlain, and of the Chamberlain and Orphans.

Vide Guardian, (G. 1, &c.)—*London*, (I.—N. 2.)—*Vide* 4 *Inst.* 248, 250.
Vide Priv. Lond. 279, &c. 302, &c.

The Court of Common-Council.

Vide London, (F.)—*Vide* 4 *Inst.* 249. *Vide Priv. Lond.* 350, &c.

The Court of Confervancy.

Vide London, (B.)—*Vide* 4 *Inst.* 250. *Vide Priv. Lond.* 364, &c.

The Court of the Coroner.

Vide Officer, (G. 5, &c.)—*Vide* 4 *Inst.* 250. *Vide Priv. Lond.* 408.

The Court of the Escheator.

Vide Escheat, (C.)—*Vide* 4 *Inst.* 250. *Vide Priv. Lond.* 408.

The Court of Watermen.

Vide Priv. Lond. 387, &c.

The

The Court of St. Martin's le Grand.

Vide Priv. Lond. 409.*Vide Dismes*, (M. 6, 7.)

(P) Courts in other Cities, Boroughs, &c.

(P. 1.) Grant *tenere Placita*.

SO, by Grant, or Prescription, every other City, or Borough may have Courts for Matters within their Precincts.

In every Case, where Power is given to any, to hear and determine, they have judicial Authority, and act as Judges. *1 Sal.* 200.

And if Authority be given to fine and imprison, it shall be a Court of Record. *R. 1 Sal.* 200, 396.

A Grant *Tenere Placita*, gives Jurisdiction, but not exclusive of other Courts. *Hard.* 509. If there be no negative Words. *Pal.* 456.

And upon such a Grant, the Grantee may make a Judge; but when made, he is the King's Justice. *20 H.* 7. 6. *a.*

But a Court cannot hold Plea of Freehold, upon a Plaint, without Writ: tho' a Custom for it be alledged. *R. 2 Lev.* 98, 123.

So a Court, which does not proceed according to the Common Law, cannot be established by the King's Charter, without an Act of Parliament, or Prescription. *2 Vent.* 33, 4. *Vide Chancery*, (A. 3.)—*Prærogative*, (D. 28.)

(P. 2.) Conufance of Pleas.

Vide University.

So the King may grant Conufance of Pleas; by which the Grantee shall have Conufance of all Pleas commenced in other Courts out of such Precinct. *Hard.* 509. *Pal.* 456.

And a Grant of Conufance of all *Actions*, is the same as of all *Pleas*. *1 Rol.* 489. *l.* 52.

So the Grant shall be allowed, tho' the Action be laid in *London*, or in another County; for it shall be commenced *de novo*. *R. Hard.* 509.

Tho' the Suit be by *Quo Minus*; for this does not exclude Conufance, where there are the Words, *licet tangat nos*. *R. Hard.* 509.

So an antient Grant *de curia Regali*, or *omni Regiâ potestate*, is sufficient, if Conufance upon it has been allowed. *1 Rol.* 491. *l.* 10.

So such antient Grant is sufficient, tho' no Judge be named, where the Bailiff of the Grantee has always used Conufance. *1 Rol.* 491. *l.* 10, 15, 27.

A Grant of Conufance of all Pleas extends to an Affise, &c. if Conufance of it has been used upon an antient Grant. *1 Rol.* 490. *l.* 20, 23. *14 H.* 6. 12. *a.*

A Grant of Conufance *in quibuscunque Curiiis*, extends to *B. R.* and *C. B.* *1 Rol.* 490. *l.* 2. *Semb. Pal.* 456.—So, to the *Chancery*, and *Exchequer*. *R. Hard.* 509.

A Grant where a Scholar or *Persona privilegiata* is sued, extends where the College or Corporation is sued. *R. 1 Mod.* 164.

And shall be allowed in the *Exchequer*, or *B. R.* tho' the Suit there be by Bill, which imports Privilege. *R. 6 H.* 7. 9. *b.*

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When it shall
not be allow-
ed.

But Conufance cannot be claimed by Prescription. *Co. L.* 114. *1 Sal.* 183.

And a Grant of it will be bad, generally, if it be not said before what Judge. *1 Rol.* 491. *l.* 5, 20.

Unless where it is implied, before whom; as, if a Grant be of Conufance within his Court; for the Judge of the Court shall have it. *1 Rol.* 419. *l.* 17.

So

So a Grant before the Bailiff, Steward, &c. of the Grantee is void, where he has no such Officer. 1 Rol. 491. l. 25. 1 H. 4. 5. a.

So a Grant of Conufance in all Pleas, does not extend to Felony or Appeal. 1 Rol. 489. l. 55.

Nor, to an Affise, unless it be named, for it is a Plaint. 1 Rol. 490. l. 15, 20. 14 H. 6. 12. a.

So a Grant of Conufance in Covenant does not extend to a Fine upon a Writ of Covenant. 1 Rol. 490. l. 50.

So Conufance of Pleas *coram quibuscunque Justiciariis* does not extend to the Justices of B. R. or C. B. if they be not named. 1 Rol. 490. l. 5.

So Conufance of Pleas shall not be allowed, where the inferior Court cannot do Right; as, in *Replevin*; for it cannot grant a Re-summons, or second Deliverance. 2 Inst. 140. 1 Rol. 489. l. 30. F.g. 153, 295.

Or, a *Quare Impedit*: For the inferior Court cannot write to the Bishop. Co. L. 134. b.

Nor, where an Interpleader is necessary: For it cannot allow it. 1 Rol. 493. l. 20.

Nor, in a Fine, or *Scire facias* upon it. 1 Rol. 490. l. 13. 492. l. 40.

Nor, in an Action founded upon a Statute made since the Conufance granted. 1 Rol. 490. l. 30.

Nor, in an Attaint; for, by the St. 23 H. 8. 3. it shall be brought in B. R. or C. B. Co. L. 294. b. Dy. 202. b.

So it shall not be allowed, if the Grantee be Party. 1 Rol. 491. H. 492. l. 15. Semb. Cont. Dy. 157. a.

Tho' the Grant be, *licet ipse sit pars*. 1 Rol. 492. l. 20, 30.

Otherwise, where the Plea is held before the Steward of the Grantee. 1 Rol. 492. l. 5, 25. Dy. 157. a.

So it shall not be allowed in a transitory Action alledged out of the Jurisdiction. R. 1 Sid. 103.

Or, where the Defendant is a Foreigner; or where one of the Defendants is so, if he cannot be severed. 1 Rol. 493. l. 50. 494. l. 2, 5.

Or, pleads Privilege; as, an Attorney, &c. R. 1 Rol. 489. C. Dy. 287. a. in Marg. R. Lit. 304.

Or, is *in Custodia Mar.* Semb. 6 H. 7. 9. b.

If he be sued as a Trustee, or for other Matter of Equity in *Chancery*, or the *Exchequer*. R. Hard. 189. R. 2 Vent. 362. Vide *Chancery*, (3 X.)

Conufance ought to be demanded by the Lord, and not pleaded to the Jurisdiction. Semb. 1 Lev. 89. Bro. Jurisdiction 92. When, and how demanded.

And it shall be demanded the first Day, at the Return of the Original, where the Place appears by the Writ; as, in *Trespas quare Clausum fregit*, &c. 1 Rol. 494. M.

In Debt, &c. if the Franchise be a County by itself. 1 Rol. 495. l. 10. R. 3 H. 6. 30. b.

If the Place does not appear by the Writ, as generally in Debt, *Detinue*, &c. it ought to be at the Day of the Count. 3 H. 6. 31. a. 1 Rol. 494. l. 55. 495. l. 5. R. 9 H. 7. 10. b. 16 H. 7. 16.

It ought to be demanded by the Lord himself, or his Attorney. 1 Sal. 183. 6 H. 7. 10. a.

So, by the Chancellor of the University, the Steward of *Ely*, &c. Dy. 157. a. 1 Mod. 163.

By the Vice-Chancellor, or his Attorney. R. Hard. 510.

And he ought to shew the Charter itself, or an Allowance in *Eyre*. 3 H. 6. 30. b. 1 Sid. 103. 1 Lev. 89. 1 Sal. 183. Pal. 456.

And if it be an Attorney, his Letter of Attorney in *Latin*. 1 Sid. 103. Sho. 352. 1 Sal. 183.

And he ought to continue his Demand at every Return of Process. 1 Rol. 495. l. 31.

And it is sufficient to shew Usage in a single Instance. 1 Sal. 183.

[If an University claim Conuſance, the Claim muſt be entered upon a Roll, the Certificate of the Chancellor that the Parties are of the University, and an Affidavit to verify the Certificate muſt be produced. *Paternoffer v. Graham*, T. 2 G. 2. *Str.* 810.]

[But a Demand comes too late after Plea pleaded, and Replication tendering Iſſue. *Barnes* 346.]

So after an Imparlane, or an Inqueſt awarded by Default. 1 *Rol.* 489. *A.* 492. *l.* 50. 493. *l.* 10. 494. *l.* 45. 495. *l.* 17. 6 *H.* 7. 10. *a.* *R.* 1 *Sid.* 103. 1 *Lev.* 89. *Sbo.* 352.

Or, at the Return of the *Capias* or Exigent, where the Place appears by the Writ. 1 *Rol.* 492. *l.* 45. 495. *l.* 12.

Yet it cannot be allowed, till the Writ ſerved, and all the Defendants appear. 1 *Rol.* 495. *l.* 27, 40 *ad* 45.

(P. 4.) Incidents to Courts.

If the King grants to a Borough, &c. Power *tenere Placita*, it ſhall have all Incidents, tho' not mentioned in the Charter: As, it ſhall have Officers, a Serjeant, Bailiff, &c. to return Juries, execute Proceſs, &c. *R.* 1 *Rol.* 526. *l.* 30.

So, if it be erected by Act of Parliament: And ſhall have Power to continue their Proceſs, as incident. *R.* 1 *Sal.* 408.

So it ſhall have Proceſs. *Vide Poſt*, (P. 8.)

But it ſhall not have Power, as incident, to award a Writ of Inquiry to a Bailiff: For it may be executed in Court. *R.* 1 *Rol.* 526. *l.* 35.

(P. 5.) Jurisdiction.

(P. 5.)
In Actions
Real.

The Jurisdiction of inferior Courts in a City, Borough, &c. extends to all Actions, Real or Perſonal, which by Grant or Preſcription are allowed to them.

A Writ of *Right Patent* lies for a Tenant in Fee, directed to the Mayor and Sheriffs in London, or to Bailiffs, &c. commanding them to do Right to the Demandant againſt the Tenant for ſuch Tenements. *Reg.* 2. *b.* *F. N. B. b.* *C. D.* *Vide Droit*, (B. 1, &c.)

And in this he does not make Proteſtation to ſue in the Nature of ſuch a Writ as he pleaſes, as in a Writ of Right Cloſe, but muſt ſue ſuch Writ as his Caſe requires. *F. N. B.* 7. *A.*

And therefore, as *Right Patent* lies for Tenant in Fee, ſo a ſpecial Writ lies to the Mayor and Sheriffs, or to Bailiffs, &c. to do Juſtice to the Heir in Tail, for Lands deviſed, &c. to him. *Reg.* 244. *b.* *F. N. B.* 7. *A.*

Or, to him in Reverſion, or in Remainder. *Reg.* 245. *a.*

So, to Tenant in Dower. *Reg.* 170. *b.* *F. N. B.* 7. *A.*

So, ſince the *St. Gloc.* 6 *Ed.* 1. 11. if any one impleaded loſe by Colluſion, to make a Termor loſe his Term. *Reg.* 179. *a.* 2 *Inſt.* 323.

So, upon the *St. Glo.* 13. if a Tenant does Waſte or Eſtrepement. 2 *Inſt.* 328. *Reg.* 77. *b.*

So, to make Partition. *Reg.* 76. *b.* *F. N. B.* 6 *G.*

[If a Sheriff is impowered by private Act of Parliament to take Inquiſition of the Value of Lands giving Notice to the Owners, the Notice muſt appear on the Inquiſition, otherwiſe the Jurisdiction does not appear; and on *Certiorari* all will be quaſhed. *R. v. Mayor of Liverpool*, T. 8 G. 3. 4 *B. M.* 2244.]

(P. 6.)
Actions Per-
ſonal.

The Stile of
the Court.

So in Perſonal Actions an inferior Court may hold Plea by Charter, or Preſcription.

And the Stile of the Court ought to ſhew by what Authority the Court was held. *R.* 8 *Co.* 133. *a.* *R.* 1 *Cro.* 489. *Mo.* 422. *Ow.* 50. 1 *Rol.* 795. *l.* 38. *Noy* 35. *R.* 2 *Cro.* 184, 493, 532. *R.* *Yel.* 46. *R.* 1 *Sid.* 311. *R.* *Jon.* 451.

So every Officer who juſtifies under the Authority of the Court, ought to ſhew it; as, a Steward, Bailiff, &c. *R.* *Cro. Car.* 46. *Adm. Mod. Ca.* 72.

[If the Stile of the Court is, *according to the Custom whereof, &c.* it is not necessary to shew that the Steward may appoint an Under-steward, or that he was appointed in Writing. *Blenkinson v. Iles, M. 2 G. 2. Ld. Raym. 1543.*]

But where the Stile of the Court is not conformable to the usual Courts, it shall be aided by Intendment: As if, in the Stile of a Court *Pedis pulverisati*, it be alledged, that it is held by Prescription; it shall not be intended of a Court of Pipowder, which cannot be by Prescription, but of another Customary Court under that Denomination. *1 Sal. 265.*

So, if the Stile alleges the Court to be *secundum Legem Mercatoriam*, where it does not appear to be *Curia Stapulæ*; it shall be intended of some other Court under that Denomination. *R. 1 Sal. 265. Mod. Ca. 61.*

(P. 7.) The Plaint.

In these Courts the Plaint is in the Nature of an Original in *C. B.* *1 Sal. 266.*

[If the Plaint is, *of a Plea of Trespass*, generally; it is good, without adding, *with Force and Arms.* *Blenkinson v. Iles, M. 2 G. 2. Ld. Raym. 1543.*]

(P. 8.) The Process.

If the King grants Conufance of Pleas, the Grantee shall have Power to make Process by *Petit Cape*, Process upon *Voucher*, or other Process, as incident; tho' no Mention of it in the Grant. *1 Rol. 490. l. 45.*

And he shall make Process by *Capias*, where other Justices make it. *1 Rol. 495. l. 50.*

And by Grand Distress, where the Case requires. *1 Rol. 495. l. 51.*

And if the Defendant be convicted, he shall be fined, imprisoned, or amerced, as the Case requires. *1 Rol. 495. l. 55.*

So, by Custom, Goods taken upon Grand Distress, if it be returned *quod nihil habet ulterius*, may be delivered to the Plaintiff, for his Debt if he recovers, upon Security to re-deliver them if he does not obtain Judgment. *1 Rol. 564. l. 4.*

But a *Capias* ought to be after a Summons or Attachment, not the first Process. *Yel. 158. R. 2 Cro. 261.*

And if it be, it shall be Error, and not aided, as the Want of an Original by the *St. 18 El. R. 2 Cro. 222, 261. Yel. 158.*

[But the Irregularity of a *Capias* issuing for the first Process is aided by Defendant's Appearance. *Blenkinson v. Iles, M. 2 G. 2. Ld. Raym. 1543.*]

So a Custom, that a *Capias* be awarded before Summons, will be void. *R. 1 Rol. 563. l. 20.*

So, a Custom, in the *Capias* against the Principal, to have a Clause, if he be not found to take the Bail. *R. 1 Rol. 563. l. 44.*

So a Custom to take the Bail in Execution upon a Return of *Non est inventus*, upon a *Capias* against the Principal, without a *Scire facias*, is void. *R. 1 Rol. 563. l. 35, 45.*

So, generally, the Process ought to be returnable at a Day certain; for *ad proximam Curiam* is not sufficient. *R. 2 Cro. 314. 2 Bul. 36.*

(P. 9.) The Declaration.

By the *St. 36 Ed. 3. 15.* All Pleas in the Courts of the King, or others, shall be in *Latin*. *

And therefore, in a Declaration, if the Day or Year be in *English* Figures, it is Error. *R. 1 Sid. 40. 2 Lev. 102.*

Otherwise, in numeral Letters, which are *Latin* Figures. *R. 2 Lev. 102.*

Or if the Time be well described by the Year of the King, the Addition of the *A. D.* in Figures shall be rejected. *R. 1 Sal. 195.*

So an Usage to write in *English*, does not aid. *R. Cro. El. 85, 185.*

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* (*Vide the St. 4 G. 2, 26. & 5 G. 2. 27.* that all Proceedings in Courts of Justice are to be in *English*.)

By the *St. 8 El. 2.* In Courts of *London* or Corporations, where Continuances are *de die in diem*, the Plaintiff shall declare in three Days after Appearance, otherwise at the next Court, unless Time given by special Order of Court, or pay Costs.

A Declaration *unde idem Q. per Att' suum quod cum, &c.* omitting, *dicit*, is Error. *R. Yel. 103.*

So, if the Cause of Action does not appear to be within the Jurisdiction of the Court, it is Error; as, if the whole Consideration in *Assumpsit* does not appear to have been there: As, *Assumpsit*, for Wares sold, without saying, *ibidem vendit'*. *1 Sand. 74. R. 1 Vent. 243. 1 Sid. 87. 1 Lev. 137. R. 2 Jon. 230. 2 Lev. 87.*

[If it does not alledge that the Goods were sold and delivered within the Jurisdiction, as well as that Defendant was indebted, and promised to pay within it, Judgment shall be reversed on Writ of false Judgment. *Waldock v. Cooper, T. 27 & 28 G. 2. 2 Wils. 16.*

For Money lent, without saying, *ibidem mutuat'*. *1 Vent. 72.*

For Nursing, without saying, *ibidem nutrit'*. *Ray. 75. 1 Lev. 96.*

So, if the Action be for a Close called *B.* without saying, that the Close lies within the Jurisdiction.

Or, for Trespas done there. *Noy 129.*

So, if an *Assumpsit* be for Fees as a Solicitor in *Chancery*; for the *Chancery* is not within the Jurisdiction. *R. 1 Vent. 28.*

Or, *quod non molestaret*, the Jesuits, without saying, that the Jesuits lived within the Jurisdiction. *R. 1 Sid. 105.*

Quod sursum redderet an Obligation, without saying, that it was within the Jurisdiction. *1 Sid. 105.*

Quod iret de York ad A. or carry Goods from *York* to *A.* without saying, that *A.* is within the Jurisdiction. *R. 1 Rol. 545. l. 35, 45. Cro. Car. 571.*

That he would procure a Lease of a House in *A.* without saying, that *A.* is within the Jurisdiction. *R. 1 Lev. 50. 1 Vent. 2.*

That he would pay when he returned to *A.* without such Allegation. *R. Cro. Car. 571. Jon. 451.*

So, if one sues an Heir upon an Obligation by his Ancestor, without saying, that he has Assets there; tho' he says that the Obligation was made within the Jurisdiction. *R. 1 Rol. 494. l. 35.*

If one sues for Slander within the Jurisdiction by which she has lost her Marriage, &c. without saying, that the Loss (which is the Gift of the Action) was there. *R. 1 Sid. 85, 95. Ray. 63. 1 Lev. 69, 153.*

But if an Action be, that he sued *infra Jurisdictionem* in the Name of *A.* without his Consent, *ratione cujus* others sued him: it need not be said, that the other Suits were *infra Jurisdictionem*; for the Suit in the Name of *A.* without Consent, is the sole Ground of the Action. *R. Jon. 448.*

So, if an Action be for Slander, *per quod* he lost Customers *infra Jurisdictionem* & *alibi*. *R. Jon. 450. Mod. Ca. 224.*

In an Action upon the Case for abusing a Horse committed to his Care, by Riding, it need not be said that he rode *infra Jurisdictionem*; for the Gift of the Action is the Neglect. *B. Mod. Ca. 224.*

If in *Assumpsit* the Plaintiff says, that upon an Account for Debts *infra Jurisdictionem* the Defendant was indebted to him in so much, *viz.* for Value received, without saying *infra Jurisdictionem*. *F.g. 44. 2 Mod. Ca. 77.*

[If the Account is laid to be stated *infra Jurisdictionem*, it is not necessary to aver the *Items* to have arisen there. *Emery v. Bartlett, H. 2 G. 2. Str. 827. Ld. Raym. 1555.*]

(P. 10.) Plea.

By Custom, the Defendant in Debt, without denying the Debt, may pray *quod inquiratur de vero Debito secundum Consuetudinem*, upon which the Plaintiff shall have Judgment for the Debt found. *R. 1 Rol. 564. l. 25.*

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(P. 11.) Continuance.

After Appearance until Judgment, a Continuance ought to be entered from one Court to another. 1 Rol. 486. l. 10, 30, 45. *Vide Pleader*, (V. 1, &c. W. 1, &c.)

And therefore *Dies datus* to the Plaintiff, without a Day also to the Defendant, is Error. R. 1 Rol. 486. l. 30.

And the Court shall have a Power to make Continuances as incident. R. 1 Sal. 408. *Vide Ante*, (P. 4.)

But a Continuance by *Dies datus* is sufficient, tho' it is not said *dat' per Cur'*. R. 1 Sal. 265.

So a Continuance from one Court to another; tho' the Charter allows a Court from Week to Week, and it is adjourned to the second Week, leaving a Week between, except where the Charter says, *non aliter*. R. 1 Rol. 526. l. 50.

Vide Amendment, (I.)

(P. 12.) Enquest.

The Trial in an Inferior Court shall be by an Inquest of twelve lawful Men. And the Entry may be *quod venire fac' 12, &c. per quos, &c.* without entring it at large. Ray. 20.

So the *Venire* may be for twenty-four or twenty-three in an Inferior Court, if the Trial be by twelve of them.

[By Stat. 29 G. 2. c. 19. Judges of Courts of Record in Cities, Towns-corporate, Liberties and Franchises, may fine Juror not attending, from 20 s. to 40 s.]

But a Trial by fix only is not good; for a Custom for it shall be void. R. 1 Rol. 564. l. 12.

So it cannot grant a *Tales*; for an Inferior Court is not within the St. 35 H. 8. 6. and a Custom for it is void. R. 1 Rol. 563. l. 50.

But there may be a *Tales de Circumstantibus* by Prescription; and if there be added *secundum formam Statuti*, it shall be rejected. R. F.g. 274.

[It is not a good Custom for an inferior Court to award a *Tales de Circumstantibus*. Ball v. Knight, M. 6 G. 2. Str. 941.]

If the Jury do not agree, an Inferior Court may keep them without Eating, Drinking, or Fire; and adjourn the Court *toties quoties* till they are agreed. 1 Sal. 201.

A *Venire fac' coram Majore*, without saying, *hic*, or, *in Cur'*, is Error. *Per Twissd.* 1 Sid. 77.

So, a *Ven' fac' xii per quos rei veritas scire poterit*, for *sciri*. R. 2 Lev. 83.

So it is Error, if the Jury find the Defendant guilty, without saying, *super Sacramentum suum*. R. Hob. 248.

If they find that the Plaintiff has 40 s. Damage by the Non-performance of the Defendant's Promise; for they ought to say directly *quod assumpsit*. R. Yel. 77.

If the Entry be, *quod Juratores electi, triati, & jurati dicunt*, without saying, *ad veritatem dicend'*. R. 2 Lev. 83.

Vide Amendment, (P.)

(P. 13.) Judgment.

So the Judgment in an Inferior Court ought strictly to pursue the legal Form; and therefore if it be *Ideo consideratum est*, without saying, *per Curiam*, it will be Error. R. 1 Sand. 74. 1 Sid. 143, 147.

So, *Ideo videtur Curie*. R. Yel. 130. Noy 129.

Ideo liquet, or, *concessum est*. Yel. 130.

Ideo consideratum est per Curiam, without saying *quia videtur Curie quod placitum est minus sufficiens*. R. 1 Sal. 402.

So, if it be, *quod Querens nil capiat per Narrationem*, where it ought to be, *per querelam*. R. Sho. 400.

[If Judgment is that Plaintiff *ought to recover*, it is bad, and shall be reversed on Writ of false Judgment: it ought to be, that *he do recover*. *Waldock v. Cooper*, T. 27 & 28 G. 2. 2 Wils. 16.]

So, if *pleg' in misericordia* be omitted in a Judgment in *Replevin*. Sho. 400.

But in a County Palatine, *Ideo consideratum est*, without saying, *per Curiam*, is sufficient. R. 1 Sand. 74.

So, in an Inferior Court a Judgment *quod recuperet pro Damnis*. &c. is good, without saying, *pro Misis & Custagiis*; for *Damna* includes them. 2 Cro. 420.

So, *Quod recuperet pro Misis & Custagiis de Incremento*, without saying, *circa Sectam suam*. Ray. 20.

Vide Amendment, (R.)

(P. 14.) Writ of Inquiry.

After a Judgment by Default, &c. a Writ of Inquiry shall be executed.

And it shall be executed in Court, unless where the Charter allows it to be before the Bailiff, &c. R. 1 Rol. 526. l. 35.

And where the Charter allows it before the Bailiff, Serjeant, &c. it shall not be before the Mayor, who is the Judge of the Court. R. Rel. 69.

(P. 15.) The Remedy, if out of the Jurisdiction.

By the *St. W. 1. 3 Ed. 1. 35*. Of great Men and others, who attach, &c. others to answer before them of Trespasses, Contracts, &c. done out of their Jurisdiction, it is provided, that they answer to the Person attached Damages double, &c.

And therefore, if any sue in an Inferior Court for a Matter arising out of the Jurisdiction, an Action lies for double Damages upon that Statute. 2 Inst. 230.

So a Prohibition goes to stay such Suit. *F. N. B. 45. F. 2 Inst. 230. Vide Prohibition*, (A. 1, 2.)

And such Prohibition goes before the Action commenced. 2 Inst. 230.

Or, after Declaration, before Plea in Bar or Imparance, the Defendant may tender a Plea to the Jurisdiction, upon *Affidavit* of the Fact; and if it be refused, he shall have a Prohibition. R. 1 Sid. 464. 1 Vent. 88, 181. R. Ray. 189.

So, where an Imparance is given with the Declaration of Course, he may, within two Days after the Declaration. R. 1 Vent. 333. *Per Powel, Lut. 1571*.

So, upon an *Affidavit* of the Fact, he may have a Prohibition without pleading to the Jurisdiction. *Per 2 J. 1. cont. Lut. 1026*.

Or, if a Plea to the Jurisdiction be prevented by Artifice. 2 Mod. 273.

So, if a Plea to the Jurisdiction be refused, he may have a Bill of Exceptions, and tender it to be sealed; and thereby take Advantage of that Matter upon Error. *Semb. F. N. B. 21. N. D. 1 Vent. 181*.

And a Prohibition lies, after a Plea to the Jurisdiction refused, tho' the Matter be alledged to be within the Jurisdiction. R. 2 Rol. 317. l. 30.

In transitory, as well as real Actions.

Where the Defendant is attached by his Goods, or by his Body. *F. N. B. 45. F.*

So, if the Declaration does not alledge the Matter to be within the Jurisdiction, a Prohibition lies at any Time. 2 Mod. 273.

Or it may be redressed by Error. R. 2 Cro. 96.

So, if it appears to be out of the Jurisdiction, the Judgment is void, and *coram non Judice*. R. 1 Rol. 545. l. 30.

And if the Man or his Goods are taken upon it, Trespass lies.

Or, if he escapes, no Action lies against the Officer for the Escape. R. 1 Rol. 545. l. 30, 809. l. 50.

So such Judgment cannot be pleaded in Bar to another Action for the same Cause. R. 3 Lev. 234.

So, where a Man sues in an Inferior Jurisdiction, for a Matter which he knows to be out of the Jurisdiction, an Action on the Case lies against him. *Semb. cont. Lut. 1569. R. 1 Vent. 369.*

Or, if the Judge refuses a Plea there, which he ought to receive. *Per Jones, 2 Rol. 498.*

But where the Matter is supposed within the Jurisdiction, and the Defendant does not plead to the Jurisdiction, but imparls, or pleads another Matter, by which he admits the Jurisdiction; he shall never afterwards have a Prohibition, tho' it be out of the Jurisdiction. *Adm. 1 Vent. 88, 181. R. 2 Mod. 273. 1 Mod. 63, 81. 1 Sal. 202.*

Nor, an Action upon the Statute for double Damages. *2 Inst. 230.*

Nor, Relief by Error. *1 Vent. 236. Vide 1 Vent. 369.*

So an Officer shall be excused tho' it does not appear by the Process to be within the Jurisdiction, and in Fact it be out of it; for it is sufficient, that it be alledged in the Plaint, or Declaration. *R. 2 Mod. 59, 195.*

So an Action lies against the Officer for an Escape. *R. 1 Sal. 202. R. P. 7 Ann. inter Higginson and Sheaf. (Reported Comyns's Rep. 153.) R. cont. per 3 J. Ellis acc. 2 Mod. 30.*

Tho' the Officer had Notice, that it arose out of the Jurisdiction. *Vide Comyns's Rep. 153, 156.*

So an Action on the Case does not lie against an Officer, who is not Conu-
fant. *R. Lut. 1568.*

Nor, against the Plaintiff in the Inferior Court. *R. Lut. 1560, 1569, 1572. Carth. 190.*

Tho' he knew, that the Cause of Action arose out of the Jurisdiction. *Semb. Lut. 1569. Vide supra.*

So, if a Prohibition, upon a Suggestion that it arises out of the Jurisdiction, goes to a Suit in an Inferior Court, a *Procedendo* shall be granted, if it appears to be within the Jurisdiction; as, if a Prohibition be to the Courts of London, for Slander of the Plaintiff in saying that she is a Whore, a *Procedendo* shall be granted, upon *Affidavit* that the Speaking was in London, where such Words are actionable, without a Return of the Custom upon an *Habeas Corpus*. *Sho. 131. 4 Mod. 367.*

(P. 16.) Misdemeanor in the Judge or Officers.

So for a Misdemeanor in the Steward or Judge of an Inferior Court, an Attachment lies against him, as for a Contempt: As, if he gives Judgment where he himself is Party. *1 Sal. 201, 396.*

If he grants a new Trial after Judgment and Costs taxed. *1 Sal. 201.*

If he grants an Attachment against all the Goods of the Party. *Ibid.*

If he refuses a Return and Execution of a Writ of Error; tho' his Fees are not paid or tendred. *Lane 16.*

But a Man, who acts as a Judge, can never be questioned by Action or Indictment, for a Matter within his Jurisdiction, tho' he be mistaken. *R. 1 Sal. 396, 7. Vide Action upon the Case for a Conspiracy, (B.)*

So an Attachment does not go, where the Contempt is not manifest: As, if a Judgment be against B. and satisfied, and afterwards another Action between the same Parties, and a Writ of Error upon it delivered before Judgment, upon which the Steward returns the former Judgment. *Ray 189.*

(Q) The Course of the Court.

THE Course of the Court is the Law of the Court.

And the Judges will generally take Notice of the Course and Law of every Court.

As, upon a Writ of Error, the Court of B. R. will take Notice, what are the particular Laws and Customs of the Place where the Judgment was given, without a Return of them upon Record: As, that the Proceedings in *Berwick* are in *English*. *R. 1 Sal. 269.*

So, of the Form of Pleading, &c. in C. B., the Court of B. R. will take Notice: For it cannot be tried, if it should be specially assigned. R. 2 R. 3. 9. b.

[The Judge of an inferior Court cannot grant a new Trial; but for Matters of Irregularity, where the Proceedings are contrary to the Practice and Rules of the Court, he may set aside the Judgment. *Semb. Bayly v. Boorne, M. 7 G. Str. 392.*]

[He may set aside a Writ of Inquiry or Judgment, tho' strictly regular, if obtained by Fraud or Surprize. *Rex v. Urling, M. 4 G. Fort. 198.*]

[He may set aside a regular interlocutory Judgment, in order to let in the Trial of the Merits. *Rex v. Peters, P. 31 G. 2. 1 B. M. 568.*]

[He may set aside a Verdict, when after Notice of Trial a Reference is agreed to, and Plaintiff without new Notice goes to Trial. *Jewell v. Hill, H. 8 G. Str. 499.*]

[He may set aside a Verdict, for Irregularity, but not upon the Merits. *Rex v. Peters, P. 31 G. 2. 1 B. M. 568.*]

In what Court Error shall be brought.

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C R E D I T.

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D A M A G E - F E A S A N T.

Vide Distress, (B. 4.)—Pleader, (3 K. 21, &c.—3 M. 26.)

D A M A G E S.

(A) Damages, when recovered.

(A. 1.) By the Common Law.

BY the Common Law, in all Actions Personal and Mixt, Damages were recoverable. 2 *Inst.* 286.

And tho' the Plaintiff recovers the Thing itself demanded, yet he also recovers Damages: As, in *Detinue*. 2 *H. 6.* 15.

In *Attaint*; tho' he obtains a Reversal of the former Verdict. 1 *Rol.* 574. l. 47.

In Ward of the Body and Land. 17 *Ed.* 3. 72. b.

In Prohibition. 1 *Rol.* 575. l. 30.

In *Audita Querela*. 1 *Rol.* 575. l. 20.

In Account, as Receiver. R. 1 *Rol.* 575. l. 45, 55. 1 *Leo.* 302. *Vide Post, (A. 2.)*

In an Appeal of Mayhem; tho' he does not count for Damages. 1 *Rol.* 575. l. 17.

So in all Actions upon Statutes, which give Damages to the Party grieved, or a certain Penalty, the Plaintiff recovers Damages over and above the Penalty. R. 1 *Rol.* 574. l. 20, 35.

So, in an Action founded upon a Statute, which prohibits any Thing.

In Actions where Damages are recoverable, the Successor, where he is elective, shall recover Damages for the Time of his Predecessor. 1 *Rol.* 569. l. 20, 25.

(A. 2.) When not.

But by the Common Law no Damages were recoverable in a Real Action 2 *Inst.* 286. 10 *Co.* 116. a.

Nor, in an Affise, except against the Disseisor himself. 2 *Inst.* 284.

Nor, in a *Quare Impedit*. 2 *Inst.* 362.

Or, Partition. 1 *Rol.* 575. l. 14.

Nor, in a *Perambulatione faciendâ*. 1 *Rol.* 575. l. 7.

Nor, in Disceit, upon a Recovery by Default. 1 *Rol.* 575. l. 23.

Nor, in Account. 1 *Rol.* 575. l. 8, 11. *Vide Ante, (A. 1.)*

Nor, in *Warrantia Chartæ*, where the Plaintiff recovers *pro Loco & Tempore*. 1 *Rol.* 574. l. 49.

Nor, in a *Scire facias*, or other Writ of Execution. 1 *Rol.* 574. l. 42.

Nor, in an Information, or Action by *Qui tam* upon a penal Statute, tho' it be for a certain Penalty. R. 1 *Rol.* 574. l. 40.

A Successor who is presentative, as a Parson, &c. shall not recover Damages for the Time of his Predecessor. 1 *Rol.* 569. l. 22.

Nor an Heir, or Executor, for the Time of his Ancestor or Testator. 1 *Rol.* 569. l. 15, 17.

Nor, a Reversioner upon a Term for Years, if he recovers in an Affise. 1 *Rol.* 569. l. 30.

(A. 3.)

(A. 3.) When by Statute.

Yet now by the *St. of Merton*, 20 H. 3. 1. Damages shall be recovered in Dower *unde nihil habet*.

By the *St. of Gloc.* 6 Ed. 1. 1. in a Writ of Entry *sur Disseisin*: Be it in the *per*, in the *per* and *cui*, or in the *post*. 2 *Inst.* 286. Dy. 370. b.

In an Action against the Alienee of the Disseisor, if the Disseisor has not sufficient.

And, by Equity, against any one, who has the Land from the Disseisor by Title, or by Wrong. 2 *Inst.* 284.

So, by the same Statute, in *Mortd'ancestor*, *Cofnage*, *Aiel*, or *Besaiel*, or other Action against the Tenant for his own Intrusion, or his own Act. 2 *Inst.* 287, 289.

And the Damages shall be computed for the Time from the Death of the Ancestor to whom the Demandant makes himself Heir. 2 *Inst.* 288.

So by the *St. W.* 2. 5. In an Affise of *Darrein Presentment*, and *Quare Impedit*, *adjudicentur Damna*, viz. *si Tempus semestre transferit per Impedimentum alicujus, & Episcopus Ecclesiam conferat, & verus patronus ea vice presentationem suam amittat, sint Damna ad valorem Ecclesie per duos Annos: Si Tempus semestre non transferit, Damna ad valorem Medietatis Ecclesie per unum Annum.*

And therefore, where the Patron loses his Presentation, *hac vice*, he shall recover Damages to the Value of the Church for two Years. 2 *Inst.* 362.

If the Bishop has not collated by Lapse, he has his Election to recover double Damages, and lose his Presentation; or to recover his Presentation, and single Damages only. 2 *Inst.* 362.

If the Patron recover within six Months, he shall have Damages only for half a Year. 2 *Inst.* 362.

Tho' the Bishop has collated within that Time; for, the Collation being unlawful, he shall not lose his Presentation. 2 *Inst.* 363.

But the King shall not recover Damages in a *Quare Impedit*: For he is not within the *St. W.* 2. 5. R. 6 Co. 51. a. Semb. 1 Leo. 150. Cro. El. 162.

By the *St.* 7 H. 8. 4. & 21 H. 8. 19. an Avowant, &c. shall recover Damages and Costs. *Dub.* Whether he shall recover Damages. 2 *Rol.* 75.

By the *St.* 33 H. 8. 39. In all Suits on Specialty to the King, the King shall recover Costs and Damages, as common Persons use to do in Suits for their Debts.

[By 13 G. 2. c. 21. Persons drowning Coal-pits (except the Owners) shall pay treble Damages and full Costs.]

Vide Costs, (C. 1, &c.)

(B) To whom Damages belong.

THE Damages shall be to him who sustains the Loss: And therefore, in Waste by a surviving Sister and Niece, for Waste in the Life of the other Sister, the Aunt only shall recover the Damages, and not the Niece. Co. L. 198. a.

So, if the Aunt and Niece join in a *Mortd'ancestor*, the Aunt only shall recover the Damages until the Death of her Sister. 2 *Inst.* 288.

But where the Aunt and Niece join for Waste done in their Time, they both shall recover Damages. 2 *Inst.* 305.

Or, in *Mortd'ancestor*, both shall recover Damages for the Time after the Death of the deceased Sister. 2 *Inst.* 288.

So, if they join in Waste, as they may, for Waste done in the Time of the deceased Sister, and also in their own Time; the Aunt only shall have Judgment for the Damage in the Life of her Sister, and both shall have Judgment for the Place wasted, and treble Damages for the Waste done afterwards. 2 *Inst.* 305.

(C) **Damages, how saved:**

IF the Defendant in Dower *unde nihil habet* comes at the first Day, and pleads, *touts temps prist*, and this cannot be denied, he shall save his Damages. *Co. L. 32. b.*

So, in Admeasurement of Dower, if the Defendant at the first Day pleads, *Prist d' admeasure.* *1 Rol. 573. l. 45.*

So in Dower, if, at the first Day of the Summons, the Heir comes and pleads, *touts temps prist*, and the Demandant does not reply, *a Request*; for the Heir has Title. *Co. L. 32. b. 33. a.*

So in *Detinue*, if, the Garnishee comes the first Day, and acknowledges the Condition broken, he shall save his Damages; for they are given against him for his Delay. *1 Rol. 573. l. 49. 8 H. 6. 11.*

So, if he makes Default. *1 Rol. 573. l. 52.*

So in *Detinue of Charters* against an Executor, upon a *Devenerunt ad Manus* after the Death of the Testator, if he pleads, *tout temps prist after the Charters came to his Hands.* *1 Rol. 574. l. 5.*

But the Defendant does not save his Damages, if he does not come upon the first Process, at the first Day after the Return. *1 Rol. 573. l. 54, 574. l. 8.*

So a Wrong-doer does not save his Damages, if he comes the first Day: As, in *Aiel, Cofnage, &c.* if the Tenant at the first Day tenders the Land, and pleads, *touts temps prist.* *Co. L. 33. a.*

(D) **To what Time allowed.**

IN Personal Actions, Damages are allowed only to the Time of the Action commenced.

But in Real Actions, the Demandant shall not count of Damages: For he shall recover till the Time of the Verdict. *10 Co. 117. a.*

Or, if a Writ of Inquiry be awarded, till the Time of the Writ. *10 Co. 117. a.*

(E) **How assessed.**

(E. 1.) By the Jury which tries the Issue.

IN all Cases where the Issue is tried by a Jury, and Damages are recoverable, the Damages regularly ought to be assessed by the Jury.

And if they do it not, where Damages only are recoverable, the Verdict shall be void.

And the Omission cannot be supplied by a Writ of Inquiry; for thereby the Defendant will lose the Benefit of a Writ of Attaint, if the Damages are excessive. *R. 11 Co. 56. a. Vide Post, (E. 2, 8.)*

Nor, by a Release of Damages. *Vide Post, (E. 2, 8.)*

So, if there be several Defendants, and one makes Default, and the other pleads to Issue; tho' a Writ of Inquiry be awarded upon the Default to avoid a Discontinuance, yet it does not issue; for the Jury which tries the Issue shall assess Damages against all the Defendants. *11 Co. 6. R. 2 Cro. 349. 1 Leo. 141.*

So, if the Defendants plead severally, and there are several Issues, the Jury which tries the first Issue shall assess Damages against all; and the second Inquest need not assess any Damages. *R. 11 Co. 5, 6, 7.*

And if the second Inquest assess Damages also, the Plaintiff shall have his Election *de melioribus Damnis.* *R. 11 Co. 5, 6, 7.*

And in such Case there is no Need of a Release of the Damages assessed by the other Inquest; for the Acceptance of the greater Damages is a Waiver of the less. *R. Cro. Car. 193. Semb. Cro. Car. 243.*

So, if there be a Demurrer to Part, or by one Defendant, and Issue as to other Part, or by another Defendant, the Jury which tries the Issue shall assess

Damages upon the Demurrer conditionally. *Lut.* 875. *b.* 2 *Rol.* 723. *l.* 5. *D.* 2 *Sand.* 26.

And it shall not be supplied by a Writ of Inquiry. *Dub.* 2 *Rol.* 723. *l.* 5.

So, if there be a Demurrer upon the Evidence, the Jury which was charged with the Issue, may assess Damages conditionally. *Cro. Car.* 143.

(E. 2.) When they need not.

But where there is Judgment, without any Issue tried, Damages shall be assessed by the Court, or by a Writ of Inquiry. *Vide Pleader*, (Z. 1, &c.)

[The Court will not refer the ascertaining of Damages to Prothonotary. *Barnes* 428.]

So, if there be a Demurrer to the Evidence upon a Trial, the Jury may be discharged without assessing the Damages, which shall be supplied by a Writ of Inquiry. *R. Cro. Car.* 143.

So in *Replevin*, if the Plaintiff be nonsuited at *Nisi prius*, and the Jury do not inquire for the Avowant, it may be supplied by a Writ of Inquiry. *R.* 2 *Rol.* 112.

So, if there be Judgment for Debt as well as Damages, and the Jury do not assess any Damages, it may be aided by a Release of the Damages: As, in Debt, Annuity, &c. 11 *Co.* 56. *a.* *Bentham*.

So in Ejectment of the Custody of the Land and of the Heir, and intire Damages, where they do not lie for the Heir; it shall be aided, if the Defendant releases his Damages, and takes Judgment for the Land only. 11 *Co.* 56. *a.* *Vide Post*, (E. 5, 6.)

Vide Post, (E. 8.)

(E. 3.) To what Value.

(E. 3.)
Not more
than in the
Declaration.

So the Jury cannot regularly assess more Damages than are alledged by the Plaintiff in his Declaration. 10 *Co.* 117. 1 *Rol.* 578. *l.* 5. *R. Yel.* 45, 70.

[If the Jury (by allowing Interest on a Judgment) give greater Damages than laid; on Error brought, Plaintiff shall not have Liberty in another Term to remit the Surplus, to enter Judgment for the Damages laid only. *Wray v. Lister*, P. 12 G. 2. *Str.* 1110.]

Nor more for Damages and Costs together; for it does not appear how much was intended for Damages. 1 *Rol.* 578. *l.* 45.

So the Plaintiff shall not recover more Damages against a Vouchee than are in the Count; for he comes *loco Tenentis*. 1 *Rol.* 578. *l.* 7.

The Damages ought to be assessed in direct Terms; for it is not sufficient to say, that the Defendant took Goods to the Value of 20s.

But the Jury may assess for Damages as much as the Plaintiff has counted for; and also for Costs, beyond that Sum. *R. Cro. El.* 866. 10 *Co.* 117. *b.* 1 *Rol.* 578. *l.* 35. *R.* 2 *Cro.* 69, 297. *R. Yel.* 70.

So the Court may tax, for Damages and Costs together, beyond the Damages alledged in the Declaration: As, in Debt *ad damnum* 10*l.* Judgment *quod recuperet debitum & damna sua*, &c. *ad* 12*l.* is well. *R.* 1 *Rol.* 579. *l.* 5.

So in Real Actions, where no Damages are mentioned in the Count, the Demandant shall recover his Damage to the Time of the Verdict, or Writ of Enquiry. 10 *Co.* 117. *a.*

So in *Detinue*, the Plaintiff may recover against the Garnishee more Damages than were alledged in the Declaration; because he recovers for Delay after his Declaration. 1 *Rol.* 575. *l.* 10.

[If a Jewel, for which *Trover* is brought, is not produced, it shall be presumed to be of the finest Water. *Armory v. Delamire*, H. 8 G. *Str.* 505.]

[In Action against the Sheriff for false Return on mesne Process, in Debt on Judgment where the Defendant is in bad Circumstances, the whole Debt given in Damages against the Sheriff. Had the Defendant been in good Circumstances, not so much. *Powell v. Hord*, M. 12 G. *Str.* 650.]

So

So the Jury may assess Damages to any Value under the Declaration; as, to a Penny, Farthing, &c. (E. 4.)
When left.

So, to half a Farthing, &c. R. 2 Rol. 21.

So, upon a catching Bargain, the Jury may reduce the Damages to a reasonable Sum: As, where a Promise was to pay for a Horse a Barley Corn, a Nail, and double every Nail, &c. they may give the Value of the Horse. R. 1 Lev. 111.

But if the Jury find according to the Promise of the Defendant, they are not subject to an Attaint. Semb. 3 Leo. 150. Mo. 419.

So, where the Jury of course find the Damages alledged in the Count, without Evidence, they shall not be subject to an Attaint for it. Dy. 369. b.

So, where the Defendant confesses, or admits the Damages for which the Plaintiff counts, the Jury ought to find so much; as, in Trespafs for *Rescous* of a Distress *ad Damnum* 40*l.* if the Defendant justifies by Special Matter, he admits the Damages. 1 Rol. 578. l. 15.

So in Prohibition, if the Defendant acknowledges the Contempt alledged. 1 Rol. 578. l. 20.

So, in Debt upon the St. 2 Ed. 6. 13. for not setting out his Tithes, to the Damage of 200*l.* if the Defendant does not take the Damages by Protestation, but pleads a Discharge by the St. 31 H. 8. 13. and there is Issue upon it. R. Al. 88.

So in an Action in the *Debet & Solet*, for subtracting Suit to a Mill, if the Defendant confesses the Action. 1 Rol. 578. l. 25.

In a Writ of Right of Ward, if the Defendant acknowledges his Right to the Ward. 1 Rol. 578. l. 27.

Yet a Demurrer to a Declaration does not amount to a Confession of the Damages, for which the Plaintiff counts. 1 Rol. 578. l. 30.

(E. 5.) When assessed severally.

In an Action against divers Persons, who are found guilty of several Takings or Offences, Damages ought to be assessed against them severally; as, in Trespafs for a Battery and Goods, if one be found guilty for the Battery, and the other for the Goods taken. 1 Rol. 570. l. 42.

[In Action upon the Case for malicious Prosecution of Indictment of Felony, whereof Plaintiff acquitted against Prosecutor and the Justice who committed, several Damages assessed. *Lane v. Santelow*, H. 4 G. Str. 79. *Sed vide infra* E. 6. *contra*.

In Debt against divers by several *Præcipes*. 1 Rol. 570. l. 40.

In *Decies tantum* against divers, Damages shall be against them severally; for they are several Takings. 1 Rol. 570. l. 35.

So in an Action against divers, if one is found guilty at one Time, and another at another, several Damages shall be assessed.

[In Trespafs against several Defendants, though some plead to Issue, and are acquitted, yet Damages shall be assessed against the Defaulters. *Jones v. Harris*, H. 12 G. 2. Str. 1108. *Cressy v. Webb*, H. 18 G. 2. Str. 1222.]

[In Trespafs against several, A. lets Judgment go by Default, B. demurs, and C. pleads not guilty; and it comes on to assess Damages against A. contingent Damages against B. and for trial as to C. who is acquitted; several Damages may be assessed against A. and B. *Chapman v. House*, T. 13 G. 2. Str. 1140.]

So, if several Causes of Action are joined in one Declaration against the same Defendant, the Damages may be severally assessed. *Vide Post*, (E. 6.)

And it is safest for the Plaintiff; for, if for one Cause an Action does not lie, the Plaintiff shall have his Damages and Costs for the other; and the Judgment shall be reversed or arrested only for that Part, which has not a good Cause of Action. R. Cro. El. 537. R. 1 Rol. 24. R. Mo. 708.

As, in *Ejectione Custodiæ Terræ & Heredis*, if intire Damages are given, it will be bad for the Whole; because the Action does not lie for the Wardship of the Heir. Dy. 369. b. *Vide Ante*, (E. 2.)—*Post*, (E. 6.)

In Trespafs *quare clausum fregit*, and for Battery of his Servant, without saying, *per quod Servitium amisit*, if intire Damages are given, it will be bad for the Whole. R. 10 Co. 130. b.

[If Assault is well laid, and then *cumque etiam*, and another Assault, and intire Damages, it is ill. *Amyon v. Shore*, H. 11 G. Str. 621.]

[In Battery, two Counts, the first good, the second with a *cumque etiam*; and because Damages were intire, Judgment was arrested. *Rudge v. Onon*, P. 5 G. Fort. 376.

[If A. and B. bring Trespafs for breaking and entering the House of A. and taking the Goods of A. and B. and intire Damages given, it is ill. *Maddox v. Taylor*, P. 11 G. 2 Ld. Raym. 1381.]

In *Assumpsit* to stand to an Award, and not sue Execution, and a Breach assigned for both, and intire Damages; if the Award was void, it will be bad for the Whole. R. 10 Co. 131.

So, in an Action for Words alledged at several Times, and the Words at one Time are not actionable. 1 Rol. 576. l. 20. Per Popham, Cro. El. 329. Cro. Car. 328. 1 Lev. 134.

So, in Covenant, *Assumpsit*, &c. if the Breach be for not Surrendering Land and Giving an Obligation, and intire Damages; where the Breach in not Giving the Obligation is null. R. 2 Cro. 115.

So, in an Action upon the Case, if the Plaintiff prescribes for Honey, Wax, dead Wood, Goods of Felons, &c. and intire Damages are given, where for some of the Things the Prescription is bad; Judgment shall be stayed for the Whole. R. Mo. 707. Cro. El. 560.

So, if the Plaintiff intitles himself to a Mill by a Lease 9 Jac. and assigns a Breach for not grinding from 2 Jac. to the 12 Jac. and general Damages are given; the Plaintiff shall not recover for any Part. R. Mo. 887.

So, in an Action upon the Case, if the Plaintiff charges the inveigling away his Apprentice, by which he lost his Service for the Residue of the Term, which is not yet expired, and the Jury give Damages generally; it will be bad for the Whole. R. 2 Sand. 171.

So, in Covenant, if several Breaches are assigned, and intire Damages; if any Breach be insufficient, it will be bad for the Whole. R. 1 Sand. 154.

So intire Damages *de Incremento* given by the Court are void for the Whole, if the Action does not lie for Part. R. Mo. 708.

[In Action for Words, some whereof not actionable; if Damages intire, Plaintiff shall have new *venire facias*, that they may be severed. Barnes 478, 480.]

(E. 6.) When not.

But where there is a joint Cause of Action, against divers Persons, Damages ought not to be assessed severally; and if they are, a *Venire facias de novo* shall go: As, in Trespafs against several, if they be all found guilty of the same Trespafs. R. 11 Co. 5. b. Heydon. Carth. 20.

[If two Defendants confess the Trespafs, the Damages cannot be severed; and if severed, Judgment shall be arrested. *Onslow v. Orchard*, P. 7 G. Str. 422.

Or, tho' they plead severally. 11 Co. 5. b. R. 2 Cro. 384.

Or one pleads, *Not Guilty*, and the other justifies. R. Cro. El. 860. R. 2 Cro. 118.

Or, if the Declaration be against A. *simul cum* B. and against B. *simul cum* A. R. 2 Cro. 348.

So, if one, to Trespafs for Assault, Battery, Imprisonment, and Taking of Goods, pleads *Not Guilty* to the Whole, and the other to the Assault pleads *Son Assault*, and says Nothing to the Imprisonment or Goods, and it is found for the Plaintiff against both; Damages shall be assessed generally for the Whole: For the Trespafs being joint in the Whole, and he who pleaded *Son Assault* being guilty for that, will be guilty of the Whole. R. 3 Lev. 324.

[In an Action against several for a malicious Prosecution, Damages cannot be assessed severally. *Lowfield v. Bancroft*, T. 5 G. 2. Str. 910 Sed vide supra E. 5. contra.]

So,

So, if a Plaintiff joins several Causes of Action in the same Declaration, against the same Defendant, intire Damages may be assessed: For it will be at the Peril of the Plaintiff if any Cause is not sufficient, in which Case, Judgment shall be reversed for the Whole; and the Defendant has no Prejudice: As, in *Assumpsit* upon several Promises. R. 1 Rol. 570. l. 12. 1 Rol. 423. 3 Bul. 258.

As, in Ejectment, of the Wardship *Terræ & Heredis*, and intire Damages: For it does not lie for the Wardship of the Heir. R. Dy. 369. b. *Vide Ante*, (E. 2, 5.) *Vide infra*.

So, in Waste for several Wastes in several Places. intire Damages may be assessed. R. 1 Rol. 569. l. 50. Cro. Car. 414.

And tho' in Trespass, *Trover*, &c. for Goods, some are expressed insensibly, in *English*, * or false *Latin*, and intire Damages are assessed, it will be well; * *Vide Courts*, for the Damages shall be intended to be all given for the other Goods. R. (P. 9.) 10 Co. 130, 133. b.

So, in an Action for Words all spoken at the same Time, tho' some be not actionable, and intire Damages assessed; they shall be all intended for the actionable Words. R. 10 Co. 130. b. R. Mo. 142. 1 Rol. 576. l. 15. R. Cro. El. 329, 787. R. Cro. Car. 328.

So, if the Defendant pleads to the Words not actionable *Not Guilty*, and justifies for the others, and Issue upon it; if intire Damages are given, they shall be intended for the actionable Words: For, upon the whole Matter it appears all the Words were spoken at the same time. R. 1 Rol. 576. l. 25.

So, if Words not actionable are of the same Import with the former, and are alledged *ex ulteriori malitiâ*, and thereby refer to the former. R. Cro. Car. 327. Dub. Sho. 80.

So, in *Assumpsit* by an Innkeeper against *A. pro hospit' B.* at his Request, and that he found *pro hospitio præd'* such a Sum, viz. so much *pro esculent'*, so much *pro poculent'*, so much for Apparel; after Verdict, Damages shall not be intended *pro Vestitu*, which it does not belong to an Innkeeper to find. R. 2 Rol. 79.

So, if, in a Breach assigned, some Words are insensible, the Damages shall not be intended for them. R. 1 Rol. 577. l. 35.

So, if the Plaintiff charges for Imprisonment 7 July, and that the Defendant afterwards, viz. 2 June (which was a Time prior) menaced him, whereby from the said 2 June *negotia intendere nequit*; the Time after the viz. shall be rejected, and no Damages intended for that. R. 1 Rol. 576. l. 40.

So, if the Plaintiff assigns several Breaches, and one is insensible and insignificant, no Damages shall be intended for that. R. 1 Rol. 577, l. 15.

Or, in Covenant, where the Plaintiff shews several Covenants, and shews a Breach only upon one; all the Damages shall be intended for that on which the Breach is assigned. R. 2 Rol. 178.

So, if intire Damages are given, when an Action does not lie for Part, if the Plaintiff releases his Damages and Costs, he shall have Judgment for the Part which is good; as, in Ejectment of Ward of the Land and Heir, where it does not lie for the Heir. Dy. 370. a. *Vide Ante*, (E. 2, 5.) *Vide supra*.

In *Replevin*, if the Avowant has a Verdict, which gives Damages for the whole Rent, when he was intitled only to two Thirds; he shall have Judgment *pro Retorno habendo*, if he releases his Damages. R. Mo. 281.

In an Action on the Case, if the Defendant pleads *Not Guilty* to Part, and justifies for Part in another County, upon which there is a Mistrial as to one Issue; if the Plaintiff releases his Damages as to that, it is sufficient. R. 2 Cro. 127.

So, if several Damages are given, and intire Costs, and the Plaintiff has Judgment only for Part; he shall have intire Costs. Hob. 6. *Vide Costs*, (A. 1, &c.)

[If there is an Issue to one Count, and Demurrer to another, and Plaintiff is nonsuited on the Issue, Damages cannot be assessed on the Demurrer. *Snow v. Como*, H. 8 G. Str. 507.]

(E. 7.) Damages increased.

When increased upon View of a Mayhem, *Vide Battery*, (E. 3.)
 Damages may be increased by the Court, where the principal Demand is certain: As, in Account. 10 H. 6. 24. b.

In Debt upon an Obligation, where the Deed is denied. 1 Rol. 572. l. 27.

So, if the Plea be sent to be tried in a foreign County; for the Jury there have not full Knowledge of the Fact. 1 Rol. 572. l. 50.

So, where the Court can assess Damages without a Writ of Inquiry, they may increase them after a Writ of Inquiry upon a Demurrer, or Judgment by Default. R. 1 Rol. 573. l. 5.

So the Court may increase Damages upon the View of any Justice of the Court *en Pais*. 1 Rol. 572. l. 22.

And where the Court can increase, they may mitigate Damages. 1 Rol. 572. l. 25, 28. 573. l. 7.

But the Court cannot increase Damages, where the Damages are the Principal, and the Court has not certain Knowledge of the Cause by the Record, or other apparent Matter: As, in an Action for Slander, tho' the Defendant justifies. 1 Rol. 572. l. 3.

In Trespass for Trees cut. 1 Rol. 572. l. 30. 1 Brownl. 204.

So Justices of *Nisi prius* cannot increase Damages. 1 Rol. 573. l. 30.

Nor, the Court upon the Certificate of Justices of *Nisi prius*. 1 Rol. 572. l. 20.

(E. 8.) Defect in assessing aided by Release.

So, where Damages are not the only Thing to be recovered, the Plaintiff may supply a Defect in the Assessment of the Damages, by his Release of the Damages: As, in Debt, Annuity, &c. 11 Co. 56. a, *Bentham*.

So, where more Damages are assessed than the Declaration mentions, the Plaintiff may aid it by a Release of so much as exceeds the Declaration. *Semb. Ow. 45. R. Yel. 45.*

So, if in a joint Action of Trespass, &c. several Damages are assessed; it shall be aided by a Release, or *Nolle prosequi* against all but one Defendant. R. *Cartb. 21.*

So, if it be doubtful whether Damages can be given, he may release the Damages, and not the Costs. 2 Rol. 75.

And Release of the Damages may be at any Time before Judgment. *Ibid.*

But if the Jury do not assess Damages, where Damages only are recoverable, it cannot be aided by a Release. *Vide Ante*, (E. 1.)

So a Default in Assessment of Damages cannot be supplied by a Writ of Inquiry: For then the Defendant will lose the Benefit of an Attaint, if they are excessive. *Vide Pleader*, (Z. 1, &c.) *Vide Ante*, (E. 1.)

Vide Pleader, (S. 25.)

D A R R E I N P R E S E N T M E N T.

Vide Quare Impedit, (C. 1, &c.)—*Abatement*, (H. 26.)

D A R R E I N S E I S I N.

Vide Seisin.—*Abatement*, (H. 25.)

D A T E.

Vide Fait, (B. 3)

D A — Y.*Vide Ann, (C.)***Dies Dominicus.***Vide Temps, (B. 3.)***Dies Juridici.***Vide Temps, (C. 1, &c.)***Year, and Day.***Vide Temps, (B. 1.)***Year, Day, and Waste.***Vide Ann, Year, & Waste.***Comperuit ad Diem.***Vide Pleader, (2 W. 31.)***Solbit ad Diem.***Vide Pleader, (2 W. 29.)***DEAN AND CHAPTER.***Vide Ecclesiastical Persons, (C. 3.)***D E A T H.****Death of an Incumbent.***Vide Esglise, (N. 1.)***— of Justices.***Vide Abatement, (H. 39.)***— of the King.***Vide Abatement, (H. 38.)—Justices of Peace, (A. 8.)—Officer, (K. 10.)***— of a Party.***Vide Abatement, (E. 17.—H. 32, &c.)—Bail, (Q. 5.—R. 5.)***— of a Stranger.***Vide Abatement, (H. 36.)***— of a Testator.***Vide Chancery, (3 Y. 17.)—Devise, (N. 21.)*

D E A T H.

—of a Wouchee.

Vide Abatement, (H. 37.)

Dying seised.

Vide Discent, (D. 2, 3, 4.)

D E B T.

Vide Dett.

D E C E I P T.

Vide Action upon the Case for a Deceit.—Chancery, (3 F. 1, 2.)—
 3 M. 1, &c.—3 N. 1.—4 D. 3.—4 H. 4.—4 L. 1.—4 O. 2.)
 —Covin.—Justices of Peace, (B. 30, &c.)—Leet, (L. 6, &c.)—
 Parliament, (L. 38.)—Pleader, (2 H.)

Writ of Disceit.

Vide Ancient Demesne, (E. 2.)

D E C I E S T A N T U M.

Vide Enquest, (F.)—Pleader, (S. 46.)

D E C L A R A T I O N.

Declaration in Pleading.

Vide Count.

Declaration of Uses.

Vide Uses, (D. 1, &c.)

D E C R E E.

Vide Chancery, (Y. 1, &c. and other Places in the same Title.)—Evi-
 dence, (C. 1.)—Sewers, (H. 1, &c.)—Uses, (N. 20, &c.)

D E D I M U S P O T E S T A T E M.

Vide Chancery, (K. 3.—P. 2, &c.)—Fine, (E. 7.)

D E E D.

Vide Fait.

DEER-

D E E R - S T E A L I N G.

Vide Justices of Peace, (B. 47.)

D E F A M A T I O N.

Vide Action upon the Case for Defamation.—Libel.—Pleader, (2 L. 1, &c.)—Prohibition, (G. 14.)

D E F A U L T.

Vide Abatement, (H. 52.—I. 27.)—Enquest, (E.)—Justices of Peace, (B. 101.)—Pleader, (B. 11, 12.)—E. 42.—Y. 1.—3 L. 8.—3 M. 28.)—Remitter, (C. 5.)

D E F E A Z A N C E.

(A) What shall be.

A Defeazance is an Instrument which defeats the Force or Operation of some other Deed, or Estate.

And that which, in the same Deed, is called a Condition, in another Deed is a Defeazance.

As, if a Man covenants or grants that upon Payment of a less Sum at such a Day, an Obligation, Recognizance, &c. shall be void. *R. Cro. El. 623.*

If a Defeazance be absolute and perpetual, it amounts to a Release. *Per Holt, Sho. 46. Carth. 64. Vide Pleader, (2 V. 12.—2 W. 35, 37.)*

So a Licence, that he shall not be sued upon such an Obligation, &c. amounts to a Defeazance. *Carth. 64.*

(B) When it shall be good.

(B. 1.) Of a Thing executory.

THINGS executory may be defeated by a Defeazance made at the same Time, or at any subsequent Time. *Co. L. 236. b.*

As, a Recognizance, Statute, Obligation, &c. may be defeated by a Defeazance at a subsequent Day, as well as upon the same Day. *Co. L. 237. a. Adm. Cro. El. 755. R. Cont. per 3 J. but Sand. acc. 2 Sand. 48. Acc. Mo. 811. R. Cro. El. 623.*

So, Rents, Annuity, Warranty, &c. *Co. L. 237. a.*

So, a Power of Revocation. *1 Co. 113. a.*

So a Defeazance, that a Statute shall not be extended, as to Lands in *A.* is good. *R. Mo. 811.*

If a Defeazance be made of a prior Defeazance, the first shall be thereby defeated; as, a Devise by any subsequent Devise. *1 Rol. 590. l. 45.*

(B. 2.) Of a Thing executed.

So Inheritances, and Things executed may be defeated by a Defeazance made at the same Time. *Co. L. 236. b.*

So an Obligation, &c. may be defeated by Defeazance after the Condition broken, as well as before. *R. Carth. 64.*

(C) *When it shall not be good.*

BUT a Thing executed cannot be defeated by a Defeazance at a subsequent Time: As, a Feoffment cannot be defeated by a Defeazance at a future Day. *Co. L. 236. b. Fitz Condition. 18.*

Nor a Release to a Disseisor; for it is executed immediately. *Co. L. 236. b.*

So, if a Thing, executory in it's Commencement, be executed, a Defeazance afterwards is too late: As, if a Debt be assigned to the King, *if the Barons of the Exchequer allow it*; if the King sues Execution, Disallowance afterwards by the Barons is too late, for the Debt was executed by the Assignment. *5 Co. 90. b.*

So a Defeazance ought to be by Matter as high as the Thing which will be defeated: And therefore, if an Obligation be to pay at such a Day, an Agreement, *per Scriptum manu sua signatum*, to give Time to a future Day, is not sufficient; for it ought to be by Deed. *R. 3 Lev. 234.*

So a Writing shall not be construed as a Defeazance, without a Necessity: As, if *A.* covenants to pay *B.* 5*s.* a Week, and 100*l.* at his Death, and *B.* by another Deed of the same Date, reciting the former, covenants to save *A.* indemnified from all Debts and Securities before made, or afterwards to be made by him; it shall not be construed a Defeazance of the Covenant of *A.* *R. Sal. 573.*

So, if it be said, *that he shall be indemnified from the Covenant*; if it be not added, *that the Covenant shall be void.* *R. Sal. 575.*

D E F E N C E.

Vide Abatement, (I. 16.)—Pleader, (E. 27.—3 M. 17.)

DE INJURIA SUA PROPRIA.

Vide Pleader, (F. 18, &c.)

D E L E G A T E S.

Vide Admiralty, (G.)—Prærogative, (D. 14.)

D E L I V E R A N C E.

Second Deliberance.

Vide Pleader, (3 K. 4.)

D E L I V E R Y:

Vide Fait, (A. 3, 4.—B. 5.)—Pleader, 2 X. 6.)

D E M A N D.

Vide Release, (E. 1.)—Rent, (D. 3, &c.)

D E M I S E.

Vide Abatement, (H. 28, 49.)—*Baron and Feme*, (G. 3.)—*Estates*, (B. 32.)—*Pleader*, (2 W. 14, 47, 48.—2 Z. 2.—3 O. 18.)

D E M U R R E R.

Vide Chancery, (H. 1, 2.)—*Pleader*, (Q. 1, &c.—2 V. 3.—2 W. 42.—*Bail*, (R. 7.)

Parol demurring.

Vide Infant, (D. 1, 2.)

D E N I Z E N.

Vide Alien, (D. 1, &c.)

D E O D A N D.

Vide Waife, (E. 1, 2.)

D E P A R T U R E.

Vide Pleader, (F. 7, &c.)

D E P O S I T.

Vide Chancery, (Y. 5.)

D E P O S I T I O N.

Vide Chancery, (P. 8.—T. 4, 5.)—*Evidence*, (C. 4.)

D E P R I V A T I O N.

Vide Prærogative, D. 21, 22.)—*Abatement*, (H. 46.)

D E P U T Y.

Vid Officer, (D. 1, &c.—*Viscount*, (B. 1, &c.)

D E R E L I C T L A N D S.

Vide Prærogative, (D. 61, 62.)

D E S C E N T.

Vide Discent.

DE SON ASSAULT.

Vide Pleader, (3 M. 15.)

DE SON TORT DEMESNE.

Vide Pleader, (F. 18, &c.)

DE TAINER FORCIBLE.

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DETERMINATION.

Determination of the Authority of Justices of Peace.

Vide Justices of Peace, (A. 8.)

Determination of an Estoppel.

Vide Estoppel, (F.)

_____ of a Lease for Years.

Vide Estates, (G. 10, 11, 12.)

_____ of Will.

Vide Estates, (H. 6, &c.)

DETINUE.

(A) When it lies.

DETINUE lies by him who has Property in a Thing certain, against him who detains it; upon which the Plaintiff shall recover the Thing detained *in Specie*. *Co. L. 286. b. F. N. B. 138. A. E.*

So it lies by him, who has only a Special Property: As, by a Bailee of Goods. *Bro. Detinue 20.*

So it lies if the Plaintiff has a Property, tho' he never had Possession: And therefore the Heir may maintain *Detinue* for an Heir-Loom. *Bro. Detinue 30, 45.*

If a Statute says, that Goods imported shall be forfeited, Part to the King, and Part to him who will seize or sue for them; a Subject may have *Detinue* for his Part of the Goods, for the Action vests the Property in him. *R. 1 Sal. 223. 5 Mod. 193.*

So it lies, tho' the Defendant came to the Possession of the Goods by Bailment, or by *Trover*. *F. N. B. 138. Co. L. 286. b.*

If Husband and Wife be divorced, *Detinue* lies by the Wife for Goods given with her in *Frank-marriage*. *F. N. B. 139. A.*

So

So it lies, tho' the Defendant quitted the Possession before the Action brought by Delivery of the Goods to another. *Bro. Detinue* 1, 2, 33, 34, 40.

(B) For what Things it lies.

DETINUE lies for Money or Goods so certainly described that they may be known: As, for Money in a Chest, or Bag. *1 Rol. 606. l. 12, 14.*
For particular Pieces of Silver, or of Gold. *R. 1 Rol. 606. l. 25.*
Or, so many Ounces of Silver, or of Gold. *R. Yel. 81.*
So, for Money taken in the View of another, tho' it was not in a Bag. *1 Rol. 606. l. 16.*
So it lies for twenty Quarters of Wheat. *Bro. Detinue* 51.

(C) For what, not

BUT *Detinue* does not lie for Money at large; for one Piece cannot be known from another. *Co. L. 286. R. Cro. El. 457.*
Nor, for Wheat out of a Sack, or Bag. *Co. L. 286.*
So it does not lie for an Hawk, or other Thing of Pleasure, tho' reclaimed.
So it does not lie *de unâ Dome vocatâ* a Bee-House. *R. 2 Cro. 39.*

(D) When it does not lie.

AND *Detinue* does not lie, if the Plaintiff has not the General or Special Property at the Time of the Action; as, if the Defendant took the Goods as a Trespasser; for by the Trespass the Property of the Plaintiff is divested. *Per Brian, 6 H. 7. 9. a.*

So, if *A.* bails Goods to *B.* and afterwards gives them to *C.* *C.* shall not have *Detinue* against *B.* who had a special Property by the Bailment. *Mod. Ca. 216.*

So it does not lie against him, who never had the Goods: And therefore, it does not lie against an Executor upon a Bailment to his Testator, if the Goods never came to the Possession of the Executor. *Bro. Detinue* 19.

So it does not lie, if the Goods never were detained, by the Fault of the Plaintiff: As, if the Defendant finds Goods, and, before Demand, loses them by Accident. *Semb. Bro. Detinue* 1, 33, 40.

Detinue of Charters.

Vide Charters, (B. 1, &c.)—Pleader. (2 X. 1, &c.—2 Y. 6.)

Pleading in Detinue.

Vide Pleader, (2 X. 1, &c.)

Nil detinet.

Vide Pleader, (2 W. 44.—2 X. 3.)

D E B T.

(A) When it lies.

(A. 1.) Upon an Act of Parliament.

DE B T lies upon every Contract in Deed, or in Law.

As, if an Act of Parliament gives a Penalty, and does not say, to whom, nor by what Action it shall be recovered; an Action of Debt lies upon such Statute by the Party grieved: As, upon the *St. 14 H. 8. 5.* That every Practiser of Physick in *London* without Licence shall forfeit 5*l.* a Month, a Moiety to the King, a Moiety to the College of Physicians. *R. 1 Rol. 598. l. 25.*

Upon the *St. 2 & 3 Ed. 6. 13.* which gives the treble Value for not setting out of Tithes. *R. 1 Rol. 598. l. 30. 2 Inst. 650.*

Upon the *St. 28 El. 4.* which says, the Sheriff shall take for his Fees no more than 12*d.* for every 20*s.* under 100*l.* and 6*d.* for every 20*s.* above 100*l.* the Sheriff shall have Debt for his Fees. *R. 1 Rol. 598. l. 35. Mo. 853. 1 Sal. 209. Lat. 17, 51. Vide Viscount, (F. 2.) (Vide 1 Sal. 331.)*

So, for a Sum of Money payable, upon a Devise out of Land. *Per Holt, Sal. 415. Mod. Ca. 26.*

Vide Action upon Statute, (E. 1, 2.—F.)—Vide Post, (A. 5, 9.)

(A. 2.) Upon a Judgment.

So Debt lies upon a Judgment, within or after the Year after Recovery. 43 *Ed. 3. 2. b.*

Upon a Judgment for Debt or Damages in a Court of *London* by special Custom, Debt lies in *B. R.* or *C. B.* tho' the original Action could not have been brought there. *R. 1 Rol. 600. l. 45.*

So it lies there upon a Judgment in an inferior Court, removed thither by Error, or *Certiorari.* *Hut. 118. R. 1 Lev. 134.*

So it lies for Damages recovered in a Real Action; for, by the Judgment, they are reduced to a Personalty. *1 Rol. 600. l. 25, 37.*

For Damages recovered in Waste. 43 *Ed. 3. 2.*

For Arrearages recovered in Account. *1 Rol. 600. l. 40.*

For Damages recovered in *Right Close*, in *Antient Demesne.* 8 *Ed. 4. 6. a.*

So Debt lies upon a Judgment on a Recognizance against Bail. *R. 1 Rol. 600. l. 5. 2 Leo. 14.*

Upon a Judgment in *Scire facias.* 3 *Mod. 188.*

So it lies in *C. B.* upon a Judgment in *Scire facias* upon a Recognizance in *B. R.* *Dy. 306. a. in Marg.*

Debt lies in *B. R.* upon a Judgment in *C. B.* removed thither by Error. *Semb. 1 Sid. 236.*

So it lies there upon a Judgment there after Error brought in the *Exchequer.* *R. 1 Sid. 236. Lut. 602. 1 Lev. 153. Ray. 100.*

Or, after Error depending in Parliament; for only the Transcript of the Record is removed. *1 Sid. 236.*

So it lies in the *Marshalsea*, or other Court of Record, upon a Judgment in *C. B.* or *B. R.* *R. 1 Sal. 209.*

So it lies in *C. B.* upon a Judgment there, affirmed upon Error in *B. R. Co.* *Ent. 153.*

But Debt does not lie upon a Judgment for the Arrearages of an Annuity, Rent-service, &c. for the Freehold is continuing. 43 *Ed. 3. 2. 1 Rol. 600. l. 32. Vide Post, (B.)*

Nor, for Damages recovered in a Court-Baron in Dower by the *St. of Merton* 1. 4 *Co. 30. b. 1 Rol. 600. l. 50.*

[Nor

[Nor on a Judgment of Nonsuit in an inferior Court (as the Borough-court.) *Murray v. Wilson*, H. 25 G. 2. 1 *Wilf.* 316.]

Nor does it lie upon a Judgment, after Execution sued by *Elegit*, or otherwise; for he has chosen another Remedy. *Vide* 1 *Rol.* 601. *Vide Execution*, (C. 14.)

[Nor after Defendant taken on *Ca. Sa.* and discharged by Plaintiff's Consent. *Vigers v. Aldrich*, M. 10. G. 3. 4 *B. M.* 2482.]

Tho' the Defendant, taken in Execution, escapes. 1 *Rol.* 601. l. 32.

Tho' the *Elegit* be not returned, or the Plaintiff disagrees to the Return. *Dy.* 299. b. 1 *Rol.* 601. l. 25.

Nor does it lie, if after Judgment the Cause is referred, and a *Dimittitur* entered upon the Roll. 1 *Rol.* 601. l. 30.

Or, the Record be removed by Error. *Semb.* 2 *Vent.* 261. if the Plaintiff does not declare upon the special Matter; for then it lies. R. 3 *Lev.* 397. R. *Cont.* where only a Transcript of the Record is removed. 1 *Lev.* 153.

[Debt lies not in *Ireland* on a Judgment in *England*. *Semb* *Otway v. Ramsay*, P. 11 G. 2. *Str.* 1090.]

Vide Pleader, (2 W. 36, &c.)

(A. 3.) Upon a Statute, or Recognizance.

So Debt lies upon a Statute-Merchant; for it is in the Nature of an Obligation, and has the Seal of the Party. 1 *Rol.* 599. l. 40.

And upon a Recognizance in the Nature of a Statute-Staple. *Dub.* 1 *Rol.* 599. l. 50. 1 *Leo.* 52.

So, upon a Recognizance before the Mayor of *London*, &c. *Dy.* 219 1 *Leo.* 284.

Upon a Recognizance in *Chancery*. *Dy.* 369. b. 306. a. *Cro. El.* 608. 1 *Ver.* 313. but it ought to be sued by *Scire facias* in *Chancery*.

So it lies in *B. R.* upon a Recognizance against Bail in *C. B.* *Mod. Ca.* 132.

Or, upon a Recognizance by Bail in the same Court. *Mod. Ca.* 159. R. *Trin.* 13 *Ann.* in *C. B.* *Vide infra*.

So Debt lies upon a Recognizance, tho' he had Judgment before in a *Scire facias* upon the same Recognizance, which stands in Force. R. *Cro. El.* 608, 817.

So, upon a Writing designed to be a Statute-Staple, but not executed pursuant to the Statute. R. *Cro. El.* 233, 494. *Vide Statute-Staple*, (A.)

But Debt does not lie upon a Statute-Staple; for the Seal of the Party is not affixed. 1 *Rol.* 599. l. 45. *Cont. Semb. Ast. Ent.* 223, 237.

So it does not lie upon a Recognizance by Bail in *B. R.* for the Bail will be ousted of the Advantage of rendering the Body before the Return of the second *Scire facias*, &c. *Cont.* 1 *Brownl.* 65. R. *acc.* *Ray.* 14. *Cont. Mod. Ca.* 132, 159. *Vide Bail*, (R. 1, 9.) *Vide supra*.

Nor, (as it seems,) upon a Recognizance by Bail in *C. B.* *Cont.* 1 *Rol.* 600. l. 15. R. *cont.* in *C. B. Trin.* 13 *Ann.*

So it does not lie upon a Recognizance, after Judgment upon it in a *Scire facias*. 1 *Rol.* 601. l. 15, 20.

(A. 4.) Upon other Specialty.

So Debt lies upon an Obligation, or any other Deed or Specialty.

As, if a Man by Obligation, or other Deed, acknowledges that he has received Money from *A. ad computandum*; *A.* may have Debt upon it. 1 *Rol.* 597. l. 30.

Or, that he has so much of the Money of *A.* in his Hands. 1 *Rol.* 597. l. 47.

So, if he covenants to pay *A.* a certain Sum, Debt lies upon it.

Or, to pay his Proportion of such a Suit, with an Averment that his Proportion was so much. R. 3 *Lev.* 429.

So Debt lies upon a Bill to pay 20 *l.* for the true Payment of 10 *l.* R. 2 *Vent.* 106.

So

So Debt lies upon a Tally against a Teller, when Money comes to his Hands. *1 Rol. 599. l. 32.*

[Upon a Charter-party, which is a Deed. *Hooper v. Shepherd, P. 11 G. 2. Str. 1089.*]

(A. 5.) Debt for Rent.

So, if a Lease be of Lands or Tenements for Years, or at Will, rendring Rent; Debt lies for the Rent, by the Common Law. *Lit. S. 58, 72. 1 Sid. 401.*

So, if a Lease be for Years, or at Will, of an incorporeal Inheritance; as an Advowson, Common, Tithes, Fair, Market, Franchise, or Office, &c. *Co. L. 47. a.*

So Debt lies, tho' the Lease be rendring Corn, or other collateral Thing. *R. 1 Rol. 591. l. 30. 4 Leo. 46. 3 Leo. 260.*

So, if a Lease be for Life, after the Estate of Freehold determined Debt lies for Arrears: As, if a Lease be for Life, or *pur auter Vie*, and the Lessee, or *Cestuy que vie* dies, Debt lies for Rent due at his Death. *1 Rol. 596. l. 17, 20. Co. L. 162. a. 4 Co. 49. a.*

So, if the Lessor enters for a Condition broken, or a Forfeiture, Debt lies for Rent due before. *19 H. 6. 42. b. 1 Rol. 596. l. 40.*

So, if he recovers for Waste. *1 Rol. 596. l. 35.*

So, if the Lessee surrenders to him in the Reversion. *4 Co. 49. a.*

Or, assigns to *A.* who surrenders. *4 Leo. 17, 8.*

So, if there be a Lease for Life, Feoffment, &c. rendring Rent, for ten Years, Debt lies for it; for during the Years, it is but a Chattel. *1 Rol. 595. l. 10.*

So, for Rent, upon a Lease for Years upon Condition to have the Fee, due before the Condition performed. *1 Rol. 595. l. 15.*

So, if Rent be granted in Fee for Life, &c. with a *Nomine Pænæ*; Debt lies for the *Nomine Pænæ*, tho' it goes to the Heir along with the Rent. *Co. L. 162. b. 1 Rol. 595. l. 17.*

So, by the *St. 32 H. 8. 37.* Debt lies by an Executor or Administrator of any seised of a Rent Service, Charge, or Seck, or of a Fee-farm Rent, in Fee, in Tail, or for Life of another, against him that ought to pay the same, his Executor or Administrator.

A Lease for Life, or in Tail, rendring Rent; it is a Rent-service within this Statute. *Co. L. 162. b.*

So it lies against any, who claim under him, that ought to pay, by Purchase, Devise, or Descent. *2 Ver. 613. R. 1 Leo. 302.*

So, by the same Statute, if a Wife seised of a Rent, &c. in Fee, Tail, or for Life, dies; her Husband shall have Debt for the Arrears due at her Death.

And this, as well for Arrears before the Coverture, as after. *Co. L. 162. b.*

So by the *St. 29 Car. 2. 8.* which gives Remedy for Augmentations to Vicars, &c. by Debt or Distress, Debt lies upon an Augmentation of an annual Payment reserved upon a Lease for Lives, during the Continuance of the Lives. *R. 3 Lev. 83.*

So now, by the *St. 8 An. 14.* Though a Lease for Life be continuing, any Person having Rent due on any Lease for Life or Lives, may bring Debt for the same, in the same Manner as if due on a Lease for Years.

Vide Rent, (D. 3, &c.)

(A. 6.) Debt for an Annuity.

So, if an Annuity be granted for Years, Debt lies for the Arrears. *R. Cro. El. 268. R. cont. Cro. El. 3. Dub. Cro. El. 895. Acc. 1 Bul. 151. D. cont. per Holt, 5 Mod. 143.*

So, if it be granted for Life, or *pur auter Vie*; after the Estate determined, Debt lies for the Arrears before. *R. Goldsb. 30.*

So, if the Grantee of an Annuity in Fee, leases for Years; after the Term expired, he shall have Debt for the Arrears during the Term. *1 Rol. 597. l. 10.*

So if a Parson, who has an Annuity in Right of his Church, resigns or is deprived; he shall have Debt for the Arrears incurred before his Resignation or Deprivation. 19 H. 6. 41. b. 1 Rol. 595. l. 50.

So, if the Parson dies, his Executors shall have it. 4 Co. 49. a.

So, if a Bishop had granted an Annuity before the St. 1 El. 19. confirmed by the Dean and Chapter, and dies; Debt lies against the Successor for the Arrears at his Death. R. 1 Rol. 592. l. 20.

But by Common Law, Debt does not lie for the Arrears of a Rent or Annuity in Fee, in Tail, or for Life, so long as the Estate of Freehold has Continuance. 8 H. 6. 6. b. 1 Rol. 594. l. 55. (A. 7.) When it does not lie.

As, if the Lord aliens his Seignior in Fee; Debt does not lie for Rent of his very Tenant in Arrear before the Alienation. 19 H. 6. 42. b.

If a Lessor, after a Lease for Life, grants the Reversion; Debt does not lie for the Arrears before the Grant. 1 Rol. 595. l. 35.

If he enters upon the Lessee, and detains until Payment; he shall not, during his Seizure, have Debt for Arrears before. 1 Rol. 596. l. 25.

If a Lessee for Life leases to A. for Years, and then surrenders to his Lessor upon Condition, and A. surrenders to him and takes a new Lease, and after the Condition performed the Lessee for Life re-enters, and ousts the Lessee for Years, who re-enters; he shall not have Debt against A. for Rent upon the first Lease, for it was determined. R. Cro. El. 264.

So, if a Rent or Annuity in Fee, &c. be demised for Years; the Lessee shall not have Debt during the Term. R. 1 Rol. 595. l. 40. Semb. Cro. El. 895.

If a Lessee for Life of a Rent, &c. acknowledges a Statute, and afterwards releases to the Terre-tenant, and then the Conusee extends, the Conusee shall not have Debt for the Rent, tho' his Interest is but a Chattel; for, as to him, the Freehold, out of which it was derived, has Continuance. R. 1 Rol. 596. l. 5.

So an Executor or Administrator shall not have Debt upon the St. 32 H. 8. 37. for the Arrears of a Rent-charge against the Occupier; but it ought to be against the Tenant of the Land. Semb. Al. 62.

Nor, against the Issue in Tail for Arrears incurred in the Life of his Ancestor. R. 2 Ver. 613.

Nor, against the Lord by Escheat, or Tenant in Dower, or by the Curtesy; for they do not claim merely by the Party. 1 Leo. 302, 3.

[If an Annuity is devised to a *feme covert*, on Condition that she releases all Right and Title, &c. and she dies without releasing, Debt cannot be maintained for the Arrears of the Annuity. *Acherly v. Vernon*, T. 8 & 9 G. 2. C. B. Fort. 188.]

(A. 8.) Debt upon Contract.

So Debt lies upon every express Contract to pay a Sum certain: As, if a Man covenants or grants to pay. R. 1 Leo. 208. (A. 8.) Express.

So, if a Man retains Counsel for 40s. *per Ann'*; Debt lies for the 40s. 37 H. 6. 8. b.

If he retains an Attorney to prosecute a Suit for him, *capiendo* 3s. 4d. *per Term* for his Fee besides Expences; Debt lies for his Fee. R. 2 Rol. 76. *Vide Attorney*, (B. 18.)

So, if a Solicitor or a Stranger retains him for another. R. 1 Rol. 593. l. 51. 594. l. 10.

And it lies against him for whom he was retained, as well as against the Retainer. R. 1 Rol. 593. l. 45.

So it lies upon *Concessit Solvere*, according to the Custom of London, Bristol, &c. R. 4 Leo. 105.

So, if a Man pays the Debt of B. at his Request, to be repaid upon Request; Debt lies for it against B. for it is a manifest Contract between them. R. 1 Rol. 593. l. 25.

- Or, delivers Money to B. to be repaid at such a Day. 1 *Rol.* 597. l. 50.
 Or, to be safely kept. 1 *Rol.* 597. l. 51.
 Or, to be B.'s Money upon such a Condition, otherwise to be re-delivered.
 41 *Ed.* 3. 10.
 Or, to be paid to another; and he does not pay it. *Dy.* 20. b.
 Or, to be expended for his Use; and he does not expend it. *R. Cro. El.* 644.
 So, if Money be delivered to A. to be paid to B. Debt lies by B. *R.* 2
Rol. 441.
 So Debt lies tho' the Contract be by Way of a Promise executory upon a good
 Consideration; as, upon a Promise to pay 100*l.* upon the Marriage of B.
 1 *Rol.* 593. l. 10.
 A Promise to a Physician, Surgeon, &c. if he makes a Cure. 1 *Rol.* 593.
 l. 15, 17.
 Upon a Promise to a Carpenter, Labourer, &c. if he builds or repairs an
 House, Way, &c. 37 *H.* 6. 9. a. 17 *Ed.* 4. 5. a.
 So, tho' the Promise be for the Advantage of a Stranger: As, if a Man pro-
 mises to pay so much for the Education of the Child of another. *R. Al.* 6.
 If he retains a Taylor for 40*s.* to make a Garment for his own Daughter.
 2 *Rol.* 77.
 Or, for the Servant of his Daughter. *R. Cro. El.* 880.
 So it lies, if the Sum be not certain, if it may be ascertained: As, upon an
 Agreement to pay the Debt of A. *R.* 2 *Jon.* 184. *Dub. Cro. El.* 758:
 To pay a Taylor *Quantum meruit* for making Garments, and finding Necessa-
 ries for them.
 [It lies for that Defendant bought Goods for so much Money as they should
 be worth, with an Averment that they were worth so much. *Vaux v. Man-*
waring, M. 1 G. Fort. 197.]
 To pay his Proportion of the Charge of a Suit, with an Averment that his
 Proportion is so much. *R.* 3 *Lev.* 429.
 To pay so much for the Time his Son had dieted with him; where the Fa-
 ther promised 8*l.* *per Ann.* and died within the Year. *Cro. El.* 756.
 So, if a Man in a Tavern has Wine, Debt lies for it.
 (A. 5.)
 Implied. So Debt lies, tho' there be only an implied Contract: As, if a Man be found
 in Arrear upon Account. 1 *Rol.* 598. l. 47.
 Tho' the Account be made before Auditors.
 If a Bailiff pays more than he has received, Debt lies for the Surplus. *R.*
 1 *Rol.* 598. l. 51.
 So Debt lies for Money awarded by an Arbitrament. 2 *Sand.* 66. *Vide Ar-*
bitrament, (I. 1.)
 So, by B. for Money paid to A. for the Use of B. 1 *Rol.* 597. l. 55.
Yel. 23.
 Tho' paid there for his Use without his Command. *Semb. cont.* 1 *Rol.* 597.
 l. 25.
 So Debt lies for a *Nomine Penæ*. 1 *Leo.* 110.
 So Debt lies for the Penalty of a By-Law, tho' it be not said, by what Ac-
 tion it shall be recovered. *R.* 1 *Rol.* 599. l. 25.
 So if, by Custom in a Borough, the Burgessees prescribe to choose a Person to
 collect the Lord's Rents, and to pay 20*s.* *per Ann.* for the Profits of a Market;
 Debt lies by the Lord for the 20*s.* 1 *Rol.* 595. l. 20. 597. l. 5.
 So Debt lies for a Fine, due by Custom for a Pound-breach. 11 *H.* 7. 14. a.
Hard. 486.
 So, for Customs due for Merchandize, tho' the Goods are forfeited for Non-
 Payment. *R.* 1 *Rol.* 383.
 So, for Toll due by Custom. *Hard.* 486.
 So, for Bar-fees due to a Gaoler. *Ibid.*
 So, for every Duty created by the Common Law, or by Custom. *Per Hale,*
Hard. 486.

So Debt lies for a Pain or Amerciament in a Court-Baron. 2 *Sand.* 66. R.
1 *Leo.* 203. *Dub. Cartb.* 184.

So, for a Fine assessed by a Steward in a Court-Leet. R. *Cro. El.* 581. *Vide Leet*, (O. 11.)

So, for a Fine upon an Admittance to a Copyhold. 1 *Sid.* 58. 2 *Mod.* 230.
3 *Mod.* 240. *Adm. Hard.* 487. *Vide Copyhold*, (H. 6.)

So, for a Fine imposed for the Refusal of an Office. R. 3 *Lev.* 116.

So, for the Profits of Courts, reserved to the Lord upon a Grant of the Manor. *Mo.* 870.

So Debt lies against a Sheriff for Money levied by him upon a *Fieri facias*; for the Law creates a Contract for his paying. R. 1 *Rol.* 598. l. 10,

Tho' the Writ be not returned. R. 1 *Rol.* 598. l. 15.

So Debt lies upon any Statute, which gives an Advantage to another, for the Recovery of it: As, upon the *St.* 32 H. 8. 1. for Money devised to be paid out of Land. *Per Holt*, *Mod. Ca.* 26. *Vide Ante*, (A. 1.) *Vide Action upon Statute*, (E. 1, &c.)

For Fees given by Statute to a Sheriff. R. *Mo.* 853.

For Fees upon the Execution of an *Elegit*. 1 *Sal.* 209.

Vide By-Law, (D. 1.)

(B) When Debt does not lie.

BUT Debt does not regularly lie for a Thing fallen, of which there is an Estate of Inheritance or Freehold continuing: As, for Arrears of Rent, or Annuity in Fee, in Tail, or for Life. 4 *Co.* 49. *Vide Ante*, (A. 7.)

So Debt does not lie by the Lord, for a Relief. *Co. L.* 47. b.

Nor, for Escuage. *Ibid.*

Nor, for *Aide pur faire Fitz chivaler ou File marrier*. *Ibid.*

So Debt does not lie for the Arrears of a Rent in Fee, in Tail, &c. tho' the Estate be determined by Act in Law: As, if Rent be in Arrear, and then the Tenancy descends to the Lord. 4 *Co.* 49. a. *Vide Ante*, (A. 7.)

And it did not lie by an Executor or Administrator, where his Testator or Intestate could not have it, until the *St.* 32 H. 8. 37. 4 *Co.* 49. a.

So Debt does not lie upon a Judgment, Recognizance, &c. when the Party has chosen another Remedy. *Vide Ante*, (A. 2, 3.)

So Debt does not lie upon an Agreement by Way of Promise, where the Consideration was executed: As, to pay so much for Service done, &c. 1 *Rol.* 594. l. 25. *Vide Action upon the Case upon Assumpsit*, (F. 6.)

Tho' it was executed at his Request: As if, in Consideration of Goods sold to A. at his Request, he promises to pay if A. does not pay; Debt does not lie, but *Assumpsit*, for the Contract was by the Sale, to which he was not a Party; and his Request, without more, does not make him Debtor. R. 1 *Rol.* 594. l. 30. *Hard.* 486.

So, if he makes such Promise immediately after the Sale; for it sounds in Covenant. 1 *Rol.* 594. l. 35.

So, if he promises A. to pay him 10s. per Week, if he will serve his Aunt; Debt does not lie, for the Service was not to himself; and so there wants a *Quid pro quo*. *Dy.* 272. in *Marg.*

So, if a Man be at a common Inn, Debt does not lie for Diet of him, his Servants, or Horses, without some Price agreed, or some Contract. 3 *Leo.* 161.

So, if a Man undertakes, that if A. will release his Debt to B. he himself will be his Debtor; Debt does not lie. 9 *H.* 5. 14.

If a Man demises for Years, if a Life so long lives, (without saying what Life, which is uncertain and void,) at such a Rent; Debt does not lie for the Rent as a Sum certain due by Covenant. *Skin.* 570.

So, if the Property be not altered by the Bailment, Debt does not lie: As, if a Man delivers Money to B. in a Bag unsealed, he cannot have Debt for it. 1 *Rol.* 597. l. 20.

So Debt does not lie upon an Arbitrament for a collateral Thing awarded. *R. 1 Rol. 591. l. 32.*

So Debt does not lie for Arrearages found upon an Account, where Account does not lie for such Thing. *1 Rol. 599. l. 2, 5.*

So Debt does not lie for the Surplus, where a Receiver pays more than he received; for he shall not have Allowance as a Bailiff. *R. 1 Rol. 599. l. 20.*

So Debt does not lie for the Interest of Money, due upon a Loan; but he ought to have *Assumpsit*. *R. 1 Kent. 198.*

So Debt does not lie upon an Agreement to pay First-Fruits to the Bishop; for it is not within the Consuance of the Temporal Courts. *Co. L. 162. b.*

So Debt does not lie upon a Bill of Exchange against the Acceptor; for the Acceptance binds him by the Custom of Merchants, but does not raise a Duty *R. Hard. 485.*

So it does not lie upon a Note to pay, without a Consideration; tho' alledged that it binds by Custom. *R. Skin. 398.*

[But if a *Mutuatus* be laid with it, it lies. *Sed Q.* How to enter Judgment on it? *Welsh v. Craig, H. 12 G. M. Str. 680.*]

So Debt does not lie for Part of a Debt upon an intire Contract: As, if a Man by Deed promises to pay 100*l.* *per Ann.* to *A.* for collecting his Rents, and dies after three Quarters of a Year expired, and within the Year; Debt does not lie by *A.* for 75*l.* for his Salary for the three Quarters of a Year. *R. 1 Sal. 65. Vide Post, (C. 1.)*

Vide Ante, (A. 2, 3, 7.)

(C) By whom Debt lies.

By whom Co-
venant lies.
Vide Covenant,
(B. 1, &c.)

IN Cases where Debt lies, it is maintainable by the Party to the Contract, his Executor, or Administrator.

So, sometimes the Executor, or Administrator, may have Debt, where his Testator could not have it: As, by the *St. 32 H. 8. 37.* by the Executor, or Administrator, of a Man seised of a Rent, Fee-farm, &c. for Arrears due at his Death. *Vide Ante, (A. 5.)*

So, by the Executor or Administrator of the Lord, for a Relief due at his Death. *Co. L. 162. b. 11 H. 6. 15. a.*

Or, for Escuage; for it is a Fruit fallen, and goes to the Executor.

So, for *Aide*, due at his Death, *pur faire Fitz Chivaler ou File marrier. 1 Rol. 596. l. 50.*

So Debt lies by him, who is privy in Estate: As, upon a Lease for Years by *B.* Debt lies by his Heir for Rent due after the Death of his Ancestor. *1 Rol. 591. l. 47. 5 H. 7. 19. a.*

So Debt lies by an Assignee of a Reversion for Rent incurred after Attornment. *Co. L. 310. 1 Rol. 591. l. 45.* and this, by the Common Law, without the Aid of the *St. 32 H. 8. 34. 4 Mod. 81.*

So, by an Assignee of Part of the Reversion for his Proportion. *Adm. Cro. El. 637, 651.*

So, by a Grantee of Rent, if the Lessee attorns. *Semb. 1 Lev. 22.*

So, by the Devisee of a Reversion; for the Rent is incident to the Reversion. *R. 5 H. 7. 19. a. Skin. 367.*

So, if a Devise be of a Reversion of Lands *in Capite*, which is void for a third Part by the *St. 32 & 34 H. 8.* it lies by the Devisee for two third Parts of the Rent. *R. Cro. El. 851. Vide Ante, (B.)*

So, if a Devise be of a Moiety of a Rent, without the Reversion, to three Sons to be divided; Debt lies by each Son for his Share of the Rent. *Per 3 J. Poph. cont. Cro. El. 637, 651. Vide Suspension.*

So, by a Devisee of a Reversion against an Assignee of a Term, after Assignment of the Reversion, for Arrears due before Assignment. *R. Skin. 367.*

So, if Lessee for Years assigns all his Term to *B.* rendering Rent; Debt lies by the Lessee for the Rent, *as such*, for it is not a Sum in Gross, tho' no Reversion remains in the Lessee. *R. Carth. 161. Vide Post, (E.)*

So,

So, against the Assignee of B. *Carth. 162.*

So, if A. the Lessee, surrenders, rendering Rent, he shall have Debt for the Rent, *as such*, for it is not a Sum in Gross. *Carth. 162. in Marg.*

So Debt for Rent, reserved upon a Demise, lies by the Lord, who has the Reversion by Escheat. *Adm. 5 H. 7. 19. a. 3 Co. 22. b.*

So, if a Reversion be granted in *Mortmain*, Debt lies for the Rent by the Lord, who entered for the Alienation in *Mortmain*. *5 H. 7. 19. a.*

So, by the Lord, who claims the Reversion by the Purchase of his Villein. *Ibid.*

So Debt lies by the Assignee of a Reversion, after the Term expired, for Rent due at the End of the Term. *R. 2 Cro. 117.*

So, by an Executor of an Administrator, who being possessed of a Term for 100 Years, made a Lease for five Years, for Rent due before the Death of the Administrator; tho' the Interest in the Residue of the Term belongs to the Administrator *de Bonis non*, &c. *R. 2 Lev. 100.*

(D) By whom, not.

BUT if a Lessee assigns his Term, Debt does not lie by the Lessor, against the Executor of the Lessee, for Rent due after the Assignment. *R. 3 Co. 24. a. Cro. El. 556. Poph. 121. but R. cont. 1 Sid. 266. 2 Vent. 209. Vide Post, (E.)*

So, if the Lessor grants his Reversion to another, he shall not have Debt for Rent due after his Grant; for the Rent is incident to the Reversion. *3 Co. 22. b. 23. a. b.*

So a Grantee of a Reversion shall not have Debt against the Lessee for Rent due after Assignment of the Term to another. *R. Poph. 55.*

So, if the Grantee of a Rent, when the Rent is in Arrear, assigns his Rent, and dies; his Executor shall not have Debt for the Arrears by the *St. 32 H. 8. 37.* for by the Assignment, his Testator himself had lost his Arrears. *4 Co. 50. b.*

(E) Against whom Debt lies.

SO Debt is maintainable against the Party to a Contract, his Executor, or Administrator. *Dy. 4. b.*

As, if a Lessee assigns his Term, the Lessor himself may have Debt for Rent due after the Assignment, if he will; for the Privity of Contract continues, and the Lessor need not relinquish the Lessee, and resort to the Assignee *nolens volens*, when perhaps the Assignee is not responsible. *R. 3 Co. 23.*

So, if the Executor or Administrator of the Lessee assigns the Term, Debt lies against him for Rent due after the Assignment. *R. cont. 3 Co. 24. a. Cro. El. 555. Poph. 120. Semb. cont. Cro. El. 715. Mo. 600. Dub. Lat. 260. R. acc. 1 Sid. 266. R. acc. 2 Vent. 209. 3 Mod. 326. 1 Lev. 127.*

So, if the Lessee himself assigns, Debt lies against his Executor, or Administrator, if he has Assets. *Cont. 3 Co. 24. a. Dub. Lat. 260. R. acc. 1 Sid. 266. 2 Vent. 209.*

So, if the Lessee assigns Part of the Land, a Grantee of the Reversion shall have Debt against the Lessee for the whole Rent; for the Privity continues, where he has assigned only Part of the Land demised. *R. 3 Co. 24. a. Cro. El. 633.*

So, if the Executor of a Lessee assigns Part of the Land, the Lessor may have an Action against the Executor for the whole Rent due after the Assignment. *R. Lit. 53.*

If the Lessee assigns Part of the Land to A. who enfeoffs B. yet Debt lies against the Lessee. *Semb. Dy. 4. b.*

So, if the Lessee himself makes a Feoffment. *R. Dy. 4. b. in Marg.*

So, if the Lessee gives an Obligation with Condition for Payment of the Rent, Debt lies by the Lessor, upon the Obligation, after Assignment of the Term, and Acceptance of Rent from the Assignee. *Cro. Car.* 188.

So Debt lies against the Executor, or Administrator of the Assignee, tho' the Executor waives the Possession; for, if he be Executor, he cannot waive in Part. *R. 2 Rol.* 132.

So, if the Lessee assigns his Term, the Lessor, if he will, shall maintain Debt against the Assignee. *2 Dy.* 247, 8.

So, if the Lessee assigns a Moiety of the Land for the whole Term; the Lessor, if he will, may maintain Debt against the Assignee for a Moiety of the Rent. *R. 2 Lev.* 231.

Or a joint Action against the Lessee and Assignee. *D. 2 Cro.* 411.

So, if the Lessee assigns his Term, rendring Rent to him; tho' the whole of the Term be assigned, Debt lies by the Assignor upon the Contract, against the Assignee, his Executor or Administrator. *Adm. 2 Mod.* 175. *Vide Ante*, (C.) *Vide Chancery*, (2 Z.)

(F) Against whom, not.

BUT if a Lessee assigns his Term, and the Lessor accepts Rent from the Assignee; Debt does not lie afterwards against the Lessee, his Executor, or Administrator, for he may plead in Bar, such Assignment and Acceptance of Rent by the Lessor. *R. 3 Co.* 24. *b. Cro. El.* 715. *Mo.* 600. *R. 2 Cro.* 334. *2 Bul.* 151.

So, if an Executor, or Administrator of a Term assigns it, and the Lessor accepts the Rent from the Assignee. *3 Co.* 24. *Cro. El.* 715. *Mo.* 600.

So, tho' it does not appear that the Lessor had Notice of the Assignment, at the Time of the Acceptance of the Rent; for it shall be intended till it appears to the contrary. *R. 2 Cro.* 334.

So, if the Lessor accepts any Part of the Rent. *Semb. 1 Lev.* 308.

So, if a Lease be of Tithes, rendring Rent, and the Lessee assigns, and the Lessor accepts Rent from the Assignee; tho' Rent does not issue out of Tithes. *Dub. 1 Lev.* 308.

So, if the Assignee of a Term assigns over to another; Debt does not lie against the first Assignee, for Rent due after his Assignment, tho' no Notice of the Assignment or Acceptance of Rent be alledged; for the Privity is gone by his Assignment. *R. per 2 J. cont. but Powell acc. in C. B. but this Judgment was reversed in B. R. 3 Lev.* 295. *2 Vent.* 234. *1 Sal.* 81. *Carth.* 177. *4 Mod.* 71. *R. cont. per 2 J. Twissd. acc. 1 Sid.* 338, 9. *Ray.* 162.

[If the Assignee of a Term assigns it over to a Beggar, a Prisoner, it is not Fraud, and he is discharged of the Rent. *Lekeux v. Nash*, *H. 18 G. 2. Str.* 1221.]

So, if a Lessee assigns his whole Term to the Lessor, rendring Rent; Debt does not lie against the Executor of the Lessor, for the Assignment amounts to a Surrender, and therefore no Remedy after the Death of the Lessor, but in Equity. *R. 2 Mod.* 175.

(G) Debt to the King.

(G. 1.) By what Means accrued.

IF a Man gives an Obligation, Recognizance, &c. to the King, he becomes indebted to the King.

[A Bond taken in the Name of the Crown, by the Cashier of the Excise, from a Man as Security for the Banker with whom he intrusts the Crown's Money, is good. *Rex v. Yale*, in *Sc. H.* 1719. *Bunb.* 58.]

So every Person, who by any Means is chargeable to the King, shall be Debtor to the King; for it shall be taken *extensive*: As, where he is answerable to the King for Debt, Damage, Duty, Rent-Arrear, &c. *Godb.* 295.

[Land-tax Money in the Hands of the *Collector* is a Debt to the King. *Brassey v. Dawson*, T. 7 G. 2. *Str.* 978.]

So, if a Man gives an Obligation to the King, for Performance of Covenants; when those are broken, he is a Debtor to the King. *R. 7 Co. 20. b. Sir Tho. Cecil.*

Or, gives an Obligation to another, which is assigned to the King. *Vide Assignment*, (D.)

So, if a Man, indebted upon a Judgment in Debt, Trespass, &c. acknowledges a Recognizance to the King, without Cause, upon Covin to avoid the Imprisonment at the Suit of his Creditors, and to be turned over to the *Fleet*; tho' by the *St. 1 R. 2. 12.* he shall be remanded to his first Prison, till he has made Gree with his Creditors; yet after such Gree, he shall return to the *Fleet*, and there abide till he has satisfied his Recognizance confessed. *4 Inst. 111.*

So, before the *St. 33 H. 8. 39.* An Obligation to another, to the Use of the King, made the Obligor Debtor to the King.

But now, by that Act, All Obligations or Specialties made to the Use of the King or his Heirs, or for any Cause touching the King or his Heirs, shall be made to the King *Heredibus vel Executoribus suis*, and to no other to his Use: And if any take or make Obligation, &c. otherwise, he shall suffer Imprisonment at the Discretion of the King or his Council: And if not contented in the King's Life-time, they shall remain and be to the Heirs or Executors of the King at his free Disposition, Assignment, or Appointment.

And by the *St. 7 Jac. 15.* No Debt shall be assigned to the King, which was not originally due to his Debtor, or Accountant. *Vide Post*, (G. 15.)

By the Course of the *Exchequer*, confirmed by the *St. 8 & 9 W. 3. 28.* A Teller of Receipt in the *Exchequer*, into whose Office any Money by way of Loan, Advance, or for Tax, &c. shall be paid, shall without Delay weigh, and enter the Weight and Tale according to the antient Course, and throw down a Bill or Bills for the same, in Parchment signed by himself, into the Tally-Court, as soon as the Officers be there, whereby a Tally may be levied, &c. and the Teller plainly charged.

So Estreats [*Extracta*] are made out of *Chancery*, *B. R. C. B. Iters*, &c. of Fines, Amerciaments, &c. in those Courts; upon which Summonses of the *Exchequer* issue for levying those Debts. *Mad. 707, 8.*

So, if a Man takes the King's Goods, he is accountable for them to the King. *11 Co. 90. Vide Accompt*, (A. 1.)

So if he takes broken Ordnance, &c. by Colour of his Office, as Fees, claiming them to his own Use; he shall be accountable to the King. *11 Co. 90. 2 Rol. 161. l. 15.*

So, if he takes by Colour of a Warrant, for his Fees or Expences, when the Warrant is not lawful. *R. 11 Co. 92. 2 Rol. 161. l. 20. Cro. El. 545.*

Or the King may charge him, who made the illegal Warrant, at his Election. *11 Co. 92. b. 2 Rol. 161. l. 25.*

So, if an Officer has an Obligation to the King, and delivers it to his Servant, to be transmitted to him who has the Custody of the Obligations, and the Servant cancels, or embezzles it, his Master is liable. *Godb. 296. Dy. 161. 2 Rol. 156. l. 15.*

So, if he pays Money out of the *Exchequer*, without a Grant or Authority under the Great Seal, or Privy Seal, or by Virtue of an Act of Parliament. *By the St. 8 & 9 W. 3. 28. S. 6.*

So, if a Man enters by Wrong, and takes the Profits of the King's Land, he shall be accountable for the Profits. *2 Rol. 161. l. 12. Vide Accompt*, (A. 1.)

Or takes Goods devised to the King before they come to his Hands; for the Law does not put him to his Action of Trespass. *2 Rol. 161. l. 17.*

So, if several be Joint-Accountants to the King, each shall answer for the Whole to the King; and not only for so much as he has received. *Hard. 314.*

But if a Man receives the King's Money, not knowing it to be so, he shall not be chargeable: As, if an Officer purchases Land, and pays the King's Money

ney in his Hands for it; the Vendor, if he be not conusant of it, shall not be charged for it. *R. Cro. El.* 545.

So an Obligation to the King, if it be not to him, his Executors or Successors, is not within the *St.* 33 *H.* 8. 39. *Mo.* 193.

(G. 2.) By what Means satisfied.

(G. 2.) By the *St.* 33 *H.* 8. 39. Obligations, &c. concerning the King shall be of the same Force and Effect as a Statute-Staple.—So, by the *St.* 13 *El.* 4. Debts due by any Accountant, &c. *Vide Execution*, (B. 3.)

By the Body
of the Debtor.

By Common Law, the Body, Goods, and Lands of a Debtor, or Accountant to the King, were liable for the Debt. 3 *Co.* 12. b. 2 *Inst.* 19. *Godb.* 290. 2 *Rol.* 295.

(G. 3.)
By his Goods.

All the Goods and Chattles of the Debtor are liable to satisfy the King's Debt. And if his Debtor dies, the King may command the Goods of the Deceased to be seised till Satisfaction. 2 *Rol.* 158. l. 41. *Vide the St.* 9 *H.* 3. 18. *Mad.* 663. 665.

And he may take Security of the Executor for Payment, before he be allowed to administer. 2 *Rol.* 158. l. 45.

So he may seise *Bona Ecclesiastica*, if the Debtor be a Clerk. 2 *Rol.* 158. l. 40.

If the King's Debtor becomes *Felo de se*, the Debt shall be paid before the Goods be disposed of by the Almoner. *Sav.* 60.

But Things necessary *pro Victu* of him and his Family shall not be seised. 2 *Rol.* 160. l. 5.

Nor *Averia Carucae*, if there be other Chattles sufficient. 2 *Rol.* 160. l. 5. And this, by the *St. Art. sup. Chart.* 12. 2 *Inst.* 132, 565.

Nor, the Horses, or Arms of a Knight. 2 *Rol.* 160. l. 5.

(G. 4.)
Or Lands.

So all the Lands and Tenements of the Debtor are liable to be extended for the King's Debt, which he has, or of which he is seised. *Godb.* 294, 5. which he has at the Time of the Assignment, where the Debt is assigned to the King. *Hard.* 24. *Pl. Com.* 321.

Tho' the King afterwards releases all his Right to the Terre-tenant; for he is chargeable in respect of his Person. 2 *Rol.* 160. l. 40.

So, a Reversion, when it comes into Possession. *Sav.* 34, 5.

So all the Lands of a Conusor, &c. are chargeable upon a Debt assigned to the King; tho' only a Moiety was before. *Sav.* 133.

So, Lands purchased by Covin with the King's Money. 2 *Rol.* 160. l. 20.

And by the *St.* 13 *El.* 4. If any Accountant, who shall receive, or be chargeable with any Money of the Queen, shall be found in Arrear, and do not pay in six Months, the Queen by Letters Patent may make Sale of so much of his Lands as will satisfy the Debt. And this Act is intended by the *St.* 14 *El.* 7. to Under-Collectors, &c. and by the *St.* 1 *Jac.* 25. made perpetual.

And by the *St.* 27 *El.* 3. The Sale may be after the Death of an Accountant for the Receipt of Money, and if the Account be settled within eight Years after his Death, as well as if it was in his Life-time, if the Accountant had not a *Quietus* in his Life-time: Provided no Sale be made during the Nonage of the Heir.

So, Lands in Trust for him, or of which he has a Power of Revocation, tho' settled *bonâ fide*. *R. Godb.* 290. *Hard.* 24. 2 *Rol.* 295, &c.

Tho' the Settlement, with Power of Revocation, was made before he become Accountant to the King. *R. Godb.* 290.

(G. 5.)
In the Hands
of the Heir.

So the King may seise the Lands of his Debtor, upon his Death.

And may resort to the Heir, tho' the Executor has Assets. *Cont. Dy.* 67. b. in *Marg.*

And by the *St.* 33 *H.* 8. 39. All Lands, &c. which come by Descent to the Heir, in Fee, or in General or Special Tail, or by Gift of his Ancestor, shall be chargeable for a Debt to the King, by a Judgment, Recognizance, Obligation, or Specialty of his Ancestor.

And

And tho' the Word, *Heirs*, be not comprized in such Specialty.—Otherwise, where an Obligation is assigned to the King. *R. Sav. 2.*

And therefore, tho' Lands of the Issue in Tail, were not chargeable before, they are now chargeable, as well as Lands which descend in Fee, for the Debt of his Ancestor by Judgment, Recognizance, Obligation, or other Specialty. *R. 7 Co. 21.*

So Lands of the Heir, by the Gift of his Ancestor, before or after the Ancestor was bound to the King, shall be charged. *7 Co. 19. a.*

But Lands are not chargeable in the Hands of the Issue in Tail, for a Forfeiture or other Debt to the King, except by Judgment, Recognizance, Obligation, or Specialty. *R. 7 Co. 21. b.*

Nor, for a Debt to the King by Judgment, &c. if the Issue aliens *bonâ fide* before Extent or Process against him. *R. 7 Co. 21. b.*

Nor, for a Debt to the King by Judgment, Recognizance, &c. if it was originally made to a Subject, and afterwards came to the King by Attainder, Forfeiture, Assignment, &c. *R. 7 Co. 22. a.*

So by the *St. 33 H. 8. 39.* The King may, at his Liberty, recover his Debt against the Executor or Administrator, if he has Assets.

And by *St. M. Ch. 9 H. 3. 8.* and by the Process since the *St. 33 H. 8. 39.* if it appears to the Sheriff, that the Goods of the Debtor are sufficient for the King's Debt, the Sheriff ought not to extend the Lands. *2 Inst. 14, Mad. 667.*

[Wherever an Extent might have issued in a Man's Life, a *Diem clausit extremum* may issue against his Estate after his Death. *Rex v. Miebener, M. 1722. Bunb. 118.*]

[*Diem clausit extremum* may issue against the Estate of simple Contract Debtor on Commission, tho' he was not the King's Debtor by Record at his Death. *R. v. Curtis, P. 23 G. 2. Parker 95.*]

So, if the Debtor dies without Heir or Executor, Process shall go against the Terre-tenants. *2 Rol. 162. l. 15.*

So, if the Debtor aliens his Land, and then dies without Heir, Execution shall be against the Terre-tenants. *2 Rol. 156. l. 50. Godb. 292.*

So, if he aliens his Goods, and dies without Executor, Process shall be against the Possessors of the Goods. *2 Rol. 156. l. ult.*

If a Lord of a Manor forfeits his Issues for not serving upon a Jury, they may be levied upon the Lands of the Copyholders, Lessees for Life, or Years; for it is an inherent Charge upon the Land. *2 Rol. 157. l. 45. Vide Post, (G. 10.)*

So, if a Debtor to the King aliens his Lands after the Obligation, &c. made, or after he becomes an Officer in which Respect he is accountable; they are chargeable, for it relates to the Time of the Debt, Office, &c. *Vide Post, (G. 9.)*

[But Goods pawned or pledged before the Teste of an Extent are not liable. *R. v. Cotton, T. 24 & 25 G. 2. Parker 112.*]

So by the *St. 13 El. 4.* If any Accountant, or indebted, &c. purchases Lands in the Name of any other, for his own Use or Profit, the same shall be liable to such Debt, &c. in the same Manner, as if the Debtor himself was seised, &c.

So, if the Debtor takes a Term for Years to him and his Wife, it shall be taken in Execution in the Hands of the Wife after the Death of the Husband. *8 Co. 171.*

So a Purchaser of Lands, &c. after a Judgment, Obligation, or Specialty to the King, shall be charged for the King's Debt. *Sav. 60.*

So, a Purchaser after Assignment, where a Debt is assigned to the King.

But if, after a Recognizance to the King, the Conusor be attainted for Treason, a *Scire facias* does nor lie upon the Recognizance against the King's Patentee. *Sav. 60.*

By the Course of the *Exchequer*, Process does not go against a Purchaser, if the Executor, or Heir, has Assets. *Dy. 67. b. in Marg.*

And by the *St. 33 H. 8. 49.* Lands, &c. in the Seisin or Possession of divers, other than the Obligor, shall be intirely chargeable, and not severally.

[Postmaster appointed for three Years gives Bond for three Years, at the three Years End he is indebted 9*l.* afterwards he mortgages an Estate, and the Mortgagee has Possession on Ejectment; he is continued Postmaster without new

Appointment or Bond, and becomes indebted 72 l. His Bond shall extend to that, and the Estate mortgaged be liable to an Extent. *Williams v. Jones, M. 1729. Bunb. 275.*

(G. 7.) So, upon an Execution for the King's Debt, the Goods of a Stranger *levant* By the Goods and *couchant* upon the Land of the Debtor, may be taken. 2 *Rol. 159. l. 30.* of a Stranger.

So, the Cattle of a Stranger which the Debtor suffers to manure his Land. 2 *Rol. 159. l. 42.*

So, for Rent due to the King, the Goods of a Stranger may be distrained. *Godb. 295.*

So a Debt due to the King's Debtor shall be extended for the King's Debt. 21 *H. 7. 12. 16. Godb. 291.*

Tho' due upon simple Contract. *Godb. 296.*

[If on an Extent against *A.* the King's Debtor, the Inquisition finds that *B.* is indebted to him; on Return of Inquisition, and Affidavit that the Money in *B.*'s Hands is in Danger, an immediate Extent shall issue against *B.* (*Rex v. Gibbons, T. 1718. Bunb. 24.*) even tho' there is Reason to suppose that *A.* became so with Intent to strip the Rest of *B.*'s Creditors. *Rex v. Taylor, P. 1723. Bunb. 127.*]

[Upon an Extent in Aid, Debts without Specialty cannot be found without Motion. *Rex v. Packington, P. 1719. Bunb. 42.*]

[Simple Contract Debt may be found and seized to the third Degree, but not beyond it. *Ewins Case, M. 30. C. 2. Parker 259.*]

[If it be found by Inquisition against a Receiver-general, that he has paid over Money to *A.* an immediate Extent may issue against *A.* *Rex v. Taylor, P. 1723. Bunb. 127.*]

[So in the Case of an Under-treasurer of the Ordinance. *Rex v. Enderupp. M. 1723. Bunb. 134. Bradley v. Bowling, H. 1725.*]

(3.0) [An Extent in Aid being Prerogative Process is always under the Care of the Court of Exchequer, and they have a discretionary Power over their own Rules. *Per Cur. Ibid.*]

(10.0) [Where many small Debts are found on an Inquisition, on an Extent against the King's Debtor, instead of separate Extents against each separate Debtor, the Court may order a Receiver to collect them, and pay to the Deputy-remembrancer. *Rex v. Allen, M. 1730. Bunb. 293.*]

[Debts to the King's Debtor are not bound till the Teste of the Inquisition. *Attorney-General v. Elwell, T. 1725. Bunb. 199.*]

[Debts to the King's Debtor are not bound by the Teste of the Extent, but only from the Caption of the Inquisition. *Rex v. Green, P. 1729. Bunb. 265.*]

But the Goods of a Stranger taken for the King's Debt, cannot be sold as the Goods of the Debtor himself may. *Semb. 2 Rol. 159. l. 35. R. Cro. El. 431.*

So, if Land be extended upon a Recognizance to *A.* at 20 l. *per Ann.* which was of the real Value of 60 l. *per Ann.* and the Conusor is bound by Recognizance to *B.* who is outlawed; the King shall not take the Surplus above 20 l. *per Ann.* tho' it be found by Inquisition that the Land was of such Value. *R. per 2 B. Clrk cont. Cro. El. 266.*

So, if a Joint-tenant, or Tenant in Common, be a Debtor to the King; the Goods of his Companion cannot be taken, tho' they be *levant* and *couchant* upon the whole Land. 2 *Rol. 159. l. 40. Vide Post, (G. 10, 15.)*

[On Importation and Entry by one Partner only, if by Mistake the whole Duties are not paid, each of the Partners is liable in the whole Deficiency to the Crown; tho' ten Years afterwards, and five Years after the Importer was Bankrupt. *Attorney-General v. Stanyforth, H. 1721. Bunb. 97. Attorney-General v. Burges, M. 1726. Bunb. 223. Attorney-General v. Carbold, H. 1732. Ibid.*]

[So in Debt for Nonpayment of Duties. *Attorney-General v. Weeks, M. 1726. Bunb. 223.*]

Nor, the Goods of a Testator or Intestate, if the Debtor takes the Executrix or Administratrix to Wife. 2 *Rol. 159. l. 50.*

Or, if the Debtor be made Executor to another. *Godb. 296.*

So a Woman shall not be distrained for the King's Debt, in her Dower, if the Heir has sufficient. *Mad. 667.*

[A Debt due to a Man *jure uxoris* is considered as a Debt originally due to him, within the Meaning of 7 *J. 1. c. 15. R. v. Thornton, H. 7 Ann. Parker 271.*]

By the *St. 33 H. 8. 39.* In all Suits on Specialty to the King, he shall recover his Costs and Damages. *Vide Damages, (A. 3.)*

[If an Officer of the Revenue appoints another to act under him, who being in Arrear applies to the Principal for Money, who pays the whole Debt to the Crown, and takes a Bond for it from the Deputy to himself, he shall not have an Extent in Aid; tho' generally a Debtor of the Crown shall have Crown Process to reimburse himself, tho' the Crown Debt is paid. *Rex v. Clarke, M. 1726. Bunb. 221.*]

[Extent in Aid shall not issue, but for a Debt originally due to the Crown's Debtor; so if *A.* is indebted to *B.* who assigns to *C.* before the Extent issues against *C.* an Extent obtained against *A.* shall be discharged. *Rex v. Bowling, M. 1726. Bunb. 225.*]

[If an Extent finds a Debt due from a Merchant, and it does not appear that this was the Crown's Money; an Extent in Aid shall not go. *N. B.* The Affidavit did not go far enough, and was not in the old Form. *Rex v. Jans, P. 1731. Bunb. 300.*

[No *Diem clausit extremum* can issue against one who was not Debtor to the King, or found in his Life-time to be Debtor to the King's Debtor. *R. v. Boon, P. 16 G. 2. Parker 16.*]

(G. 8.) The King shall be preferred.

The King by his Prærogative shall be preferred before any other Creditor in an Execution for his Debt. 2 *Inst. 32. By M. Ch. 9 H. 3. 18. and the St. 33 H. 8. 39. Godb. 290. Hard. 24. Mad. 662.*

And therefore, if the King's Debtor be sued in *C. B.* it may be superseded by a Writ of Privilege, reciting that the King ought to be paid before other Creditors. 2 *Rol. 159. l. 10.*

So, if *A.* be taken upon a *Capias*, at the Suit of *B.* and afterwards (before the Return of the *Capias*) a Writ issues for the King's Debt, with a *Teste* before the Taking of *A.* he shall be in Execution at the Suit of the King, as well as for *B.* 2 *Rol. 158. l. 25.*

So, if the Goods of *A.* and his Lands are seised by Extent upon a Statute-Staple, at the Suit of *B.* and after the Day of the Return, but before an actual Return, and before a *Liberate*, a Writ issues to the Sheriff for the King's Debt, it shall be preferred. 2 *Rol. 158. l. 15. R. Dy. 67. b.*

[If Goods are levied by virtue of a *Fieri Facias*, three Days before the *Teste* of the Extent, yet that shall be no Bar to the Crown: and if the Sheriff makes that Return on the Extent, the Court will order him to amend it. *Rex v. Peck, T. 1716. in Sc. Bunb. 8. (Sed. Q. if the Goods were sold.)*]

[If a Commission of Bankrupt issues, and Assignment is made, and the Assignees seize Part of the Goods on the 31st, and an Extent for a Debt to the Crown on Bonds, some forfeited, some not, issues, tested the same Day; the Extent shall have the Preference, and the Court will not on Motion order an Account of what was due at that Time. *Rex v. Earl, H. 1718. Bunb. 33.*]

[If a Bankrupt, against whom there is an Extent for a Debt to the Crown, has promised that he will also pay a Debt of his Father deceased to the Crown; the Assignees shall pay both Debts, to have the Extent discharged. *Rex v. Lacy, P. 1734. Bunb. 337.*]

[Extent against the King's Debtor, tested after a Distress taken for Rent, with Notice to the Tenant, and Appraisement made, but before Sale, shall prevail against the Distress. *R. v. Cotton, T. 24 & 25 G. 2. Parker 112. 2 Vezey 288.*]

[But not if the Goods distrained had been sold before the *Teste.* *Ibid.*]

If

[If Corn is distrained for Rent, and Extent issues after, but tested before, it shall be preferred, for it binds from the *Teste*. *Rex v. Wynn*, P. 1719. *Bunb.* 39.]

[If after Extent Inquisition and Seizure of Goods, and Defendant's Bankruptcy, other Goods are discovered, the Court will quash the Extent, &c. and grant new Extent of the same. *Teste* with the former. *R. v. Buchanan*, T. 27 & 28 G. 2. *Parker* 176.]

[Or if a second Extent had issued after Assignment under the Bankruptcy, the Court would quash it and grant new Extent of same *Teste*. *R. v. Gibson*, H. 17 G. 2 *Parker* 35.]

So, by the Common Law, the King's Debtor had Protection, that he should not be sued by other Creditors until the King's Debt was paid; But now, by the *St.* 25 *Ed.* 3. 19. other Creditors may sue to Judgment, but Execution shall stay till Greece for the King's Debt; and then they shall have Execution for what is paid to the King, and their own Debt. *Godb.* 290.

But by the *St.* 33 *H.* 8. 39. Suit or Process for the King's Debt shall be preferred before other Persons, so always as that the King's Suit be commenced, or Process awarded, before Judgment for the said other Persons.

And therefore, if Execution be upon a Judgment against the King's Debtor, and before a *Venditioni exponas*, an Extent comes at the King's Suit, those Goods cannot be taken upon the Extent. *R.* 3 *Mod.* 236. *R.* *Hard.* 27.

[Precedent Judgment on Bond shall be preferred to the King's; subsequent, not. *R. v. Dickenson*. P. 4 *W. & M.* *Parker* 262.]

[If Executor pleads precedent Judgment and subsequent Judgment in one intire Plea, Judgment is against him. *Ibid.*]

So the King shall not be preferred, where a Debt is assigned to him after the Death of the Debtor. *R.* 2 *Rol.* 159. l. 15. 1 *Brow.* 37.

So, tho' a Man be in Execution for the King's Debt, he may be charged also in Execution at the Suit of a Common Person. 2 *Rol.* 158. l. 30. *Cro. Car.* 390.

And if he be first in Execution for the King's Debt, tho' he may be charged also in Execution by a Common Person, it does not take Effect till the King's Debt be satisfied. *Godb.* 298.

[On a Distress for Rent made six Days before the *Teste* of an Extent, the Court refused an Attachment, tho' the Goods were not sold. *Rex v. Dale*, P. 1719. *Bunb.* 42.]

[Simple Contract Debt seized into the King's Hands, is to be preferred to Bonds not paid before Seizure; but Payment of Bonds by Administrator before Seizure or Notice may be pleaded. *R. v. Allanson*, M. 3 & 4 *Jac.* 2. *Parker* 260.]

[Immediate Extent finding the same Goods shall be preferred and paid before former Extents in Aid. Immediate Extents take place according to the *Teste*. *R. v. Quash*, T. 12 *Ann.* *Parker* 281.]

[And this even if the Goods are sold, and Return that Sheriff has the Money, but not if delivered. *R. v. Bewdage*, M. 4 G. 1. *Parker* 282.]

(G. 9.) How Execution for the King relates.

[An Extent cannot be antedated. *Rex v. Mann*, P. 1724. *Rex v. Vanderplank*, T. 1726. *Bunb.* 164. *Str.* 749.]

If an Execution be sued upon Land, for the King's Debt, upon an Obligation, &c. this being in Nature of a Statute-Staple, the Execution upon it relates to the Time of the Obligation, &c. given, and all the Lands which the Party had at that Time shall be chargeable. 2 *Rol.* 156. l. 25.

Tho' he had aliened them before the Action commenced against him. 2 *Rol.* 156. l. 25.

So, if a Debt be assigned to the King, Execution upon it relates to the Time of the Assignment. *Hard.* 24. *R. Sav.* 11.

So by the *St. 13 El. 4.* Lands, &c. of any accountable, &c. shall be liable to Payment of a Debt to the Queen, as if he had the Day he first became an Officer stood bound by a Statute-Staple, &c.

And therefore, if an Officer purchases Land, and afterwards aliens, or demises *bonâ fide* for valuable Consideration; it shall be liable to the King's Debt, tho' the Money, &c. for which he is accountable was received several Years after the Alienation; for the Statute has Relation to the Time when he first becomes Officer. *R. 10 Co. 55. b.*

And by the *St. 13 El. 4.* Lands, &c. which any Treasurer or Receiver in the Court of *Exchequer*, Wards and Liveries, or Dutchy of *Lancaster*, Treasurer of the Chamber, Cofferer of the Household, Treasurer of War, or any Fort, &c. of the Admiralty, or Navy, Treasurer, or other Person accountable for any Office or Charge in the Mint, Treasurer or Receiver of Monies imprest for the Use of the Queen, &c. Customer, Farmer, or Collector of Customs or other Duties in any Port, &c. Collector of Tenths or any Subsidy, Receiver General of any County, shall have whilst he remains accountable, &c. shall be liable.

So, by Common Law, if the King obtains Judgment for a Debt of his Farmer, &c. his Land, which he had the Day of the Writ purchased, shall be liable. *2 Rol. 157. l. 2. Vide Execution, (D. 1, 2.)*

If a Plaintiff be amerced *pro falso Clamore*, it relates to the Day of Pledges found.

But Execution for the King, as to Chattels Real or Personal, relates only to the Award of Execution. *2 Rol. 157. l. 5. ad 25.*

And therefore, if the Debtor aliens a Term for Years, or other Goods, *bonâ fide*, after the Action commenced, or Judgment given, before Execution awarded, the Sale shall be good. *8 Co. 171.*

(G. 10.) Who are not liable for the King's Debt.

But if Tenant by the Curtesy be Debtor to the King; his Issue shall not be chargeable, tho' he has the Lands by Descent as Heir to his Mother. *2 Rol. 157. l. 37.*

Tho' the Debtor has no other Land. *2 Rol. 157. l. 40.*

If the King grants a Manor in Fee-farm; the Lands or Goods of the Copyholders are not liable for the Rent; for they are elder, being by Prescription. *R. 2 Rol. 157. l. 50.*

So, if the King has a Rent by Prescription, where there is no Usage to levy it upon them. *2 Rol. 157. l. ult.*

So, if a Joint-tenant be indebted to the King, the Moiety of his Companion shall not be charged. *2 Rol. 157. l. 37.*

Nor his Cattle, tho' they go upon the whole Land. *2 Rol. 159. l. 40.*

So, if a Man purchases Land to him and his Wife and to the Heirs of the Husband, for the Jointure of the Wife, having taken an Office, and afterwards becomes indebted to the King, and dies; the Estate is not liable during the Life of the Wife. *2 Rol. 156. l. 30. Dy. 225. a.*

So, if a Settlement be made in the same Manner for the Jointure of a Wife, by the Husband who afterwards had an Office. *2 Rol. 156. l. 35.*

So, if *A.* takes an Office, &c. and afterwards makes a Settlement upon a Son or Daughter in Marriage, and becomes indebted to the King, and afterwards takes another Office, in which he is indebted; the Son, &c. tho' subject to the Arrears of the first Office, shall not be subject to the Money due in the second Office. *R. Mo. 127.*

So, if the King's Debtor conveys to *A.* who conveys to the King, who re-grants to *A.* rendring Rent, these Lands are not now chargeable; for tho' the Land is chargeable only in respect of the Person of the Debtor, yet when it comes to the King, it cannot be charged, nor in the Hands of the Grantee of the King against his own Grant. *2 Rol. 160. l. 30.*

[Legacies charged on Land sold, with Notice, to the King's Debtor, shall be paid. *Poole v. Attorney General, H. 7 Ann. Parker 272.*]

(G. 11.) Suit for the King's Debt.

(G. 11.)
In what Court
it shall be.

By the *St. 33 H. 8. 39.* All Suits for Debts or Duties to the King, in the Offices or Courts of the *Exchequer*, *Duchy of Lancaster*, *Augmentation*, *Surveyor-General*, *Master of the Wards*, or *Court of First Fruits and Tenths*, shall be sued in such of the said Courts or Offices in which they first grew due, or in which the Recognizance, Obligation, or Specialty shall remain.

And the said Courts shall have full Authority to hear and determine the said Suits, and do Execution on the Body, Lands and Goods of the Party.

(G. 12.)
How he shall
sue.

(*Vide Action*,
(B. 1.)—
Prærogative:
(D. 85, 86.)

The King may charge him, who enters into his Lands, as Bailiff or Intruder. *Mo. 476.*

So he may charge him, who takes his Treasure without Warrant, as a Trespasser, or in Accompt, at his Election. *Mo. 476.*

If the King sues a personal Action, he may lay it in what County he pleases, by his *Prærogative*. *1 Sid. 412. 1 Vent. 17. Vide Prærogative, (D. 85.)*

So a *Scire facias* lies against an Heir, upon a Suggestion of the Death of his Ancestor, without finding his Death by Office. *R. Sav. 3.*

[A *Diem clausit extremum* may issue for a Simple-contract Debt to the King. *Rex v. Curtis, T. 1750, in Sc. 1 Versey 483.*]

(G. 13.)
When the Suit
shall be bar-
red.

By the *St. 33 H. 8. 39.* If any Person against whom Suit is for Debt or Duty to the King, can shew and prove Matter in Law, &c. in Bar or Discharge of such Debt or Duty, the Court shall acquit, &c. And this, by the *St. 5 R. 2. 9.* without Letter, or Command of the King.

And therefore, to every Suit or Process for the King's Debt, at Common Law or by that Act, the Defendant may alledge in Bar, any Matter for his Discharge. *7 Co. 19. b. R. Hard. 502.*

As to a *Scire facias* upon an Obligation to the King, against the Heir and Terre-tenants, they may plead, by Plea in *Latin*, equitable Matter for their Discharge: As, that the Obligation was given upon a Contract for Trees growing upon the Land of a Person attainted, which Attainder was after reversed by Act of Parliament, and the Trees were never felled. *R. 7 Ca. 20.*

And to a Bill in Equity, any Matter may be alledged or pleaded, which will be a Discharge in Law, or Equity. *Hard. 502.*

If the Defendant alledges Matter in Equity for his Discharge, and the Attorney-General demurs, it will be sufficient Proof of the Allegation. *Dub. Lane 51.*

The Defendant shall be allowed to defend, by Attorney, by the *St. 5 R. 2. 9. 4 Inst. 110.*

And no Accountant shall be charged, before he is summoned. *4 Inst. 110.*

[If an Accountant obtains his *Quietus*, it is pleadable to every Thing prior to it; tho' he continues an Accountant, and becomes indebted to the Crown afterwards. *Rex v. Wilkinfon, P. 1732. Bunb. 315.*]

And he shall be allowed Debts due by the King to himself. *4 Inst. 110.*

After Plea, Goods seised shall be delivered to the Defendant upon Sureties. *Sav. 3.*

But in an Information for Goods, which came to the Hands of B. and which he converted to his Use, *Not guilty* is no Plea; for it denies the Conversion only, and does not answer to the Account, which ought to be specially answered. *R. 2 Leo. 34.*

[On Bond to export and not reland, Defendant pleaded the Statute of Equity, and that the Goods were taken away by Force; but not allowed. *Attorney-general v. Paul, in Sc, H. 1718. Bunb. 37.*]

(G. 14.)
How the Trial
shall be.

By the *St. 33 H. 8. 39.* All Trials in Suits, Bills, Informations, &c. of Issues in the Court of *Exchequer*, shall be made by Examination of Witnesses, Writings,

ings, Proofs, and such other Means as the Court shall think expedient. *Vide* 4 *Inst.* 110.

Where Issue is joined upon a Suit in the Office of Pleas, the Trial shall be by a Jury.

And the Trial by a Jury may be at Bar, or by *Nisi prius*.

By the *St.* 5 *R.* 2. 16. Nothing but two Shillings shall be paid for the Record and Writ of *Nisi prius*.

After Issue upon *English Bill*, the Trial shall be by Examination of Witnesses in Court, or by Commission, and other Proofs. *Vide Chancery*.

After Issue joined in an Information of Intrusion, to be tried by the Country, the King may demand that the Trial be by Record. 4 *Inst.* 109.

So, if a Debt be assigned to the King, he shall have Execution against the Body, Lands, and Goods of the Debtor. 4 *Inst.* 115. (G. 15.)

If a Debt upon Obligation be assigned, and the Obligor dies, and his Executor is sued; he shall not plead a Judgment to another and no Assets *præter* assigned to the King. *Hard.* 25. How the Proceedings shall be for a Debt assigned to the King.

So, if an Obligation be assigned to the King, the Execution shall take all the Lands of the Debtor; tho' the Obligee himself could have had but a Moiety. *Hard.* 24. *Sav.* 133.

So, if a Man recovers 500 *l.* in an Action on the Case against *B.* and is afterwards outlawed; the King shall take all the Land of *B.* in Execution, tho' the Plaintiff could have had but a Moiety. *R.* 2 *Cro.* 513.

So, if *A.* be indebted to the King, and *B.* be indebted to *A.* the King shall have Process against *B.* for the Debt due by him to *A.* 8 *H.* 5. 4. *a.* 4 *Inst.* 111. *Mad.* 666, 668.

So, if *C.* be indebted to *B.* and *D.* be indebted to *C.* the King shall have Process against *C.* or *D.* and so against the Debtor of his Debtor *in infinitum*.

So, before a Privy Seal made 12 *Jac.* and after the Death of King *James*, until a Rule made 15 *Car.* 1. the King's Debtor might, by *English Bill* in the *Exchequer*, have an Extent against the Debtor of his Debtor. *Lane* 112. *Hard.* 403, 4.

So, if a Surety, or a Stranger, being distrained for the King's Debt, gives an Obligation for Payment; Process shall go against the Principal Debtor, and if it be recovered, the Obligation shall be re-delivered to the Surety. *R.* *Lane* 91.

But if a Joint-tenant of Goods be indebted to the King, he cannot assign all the Goods to the King; but his Part only. *Cro. El.* 265. *Vide Ante*, (G. 7, 10.)

So an Obligation, Recognizance, &c. for Performance of Covenants, to indemnify, or for other Cause, except for a Debt, cannot be assigned to the King. 4 *Inst.* 115. *Cont. Ow.* 46. 2 *Leo.* 55.

So, by the *St.* 7 *Jac.* 15. No Debt shall be assigned to the King, which was not originally due to his Debtor or Accountant.

So a Moiety, or Part of a Debt, cannot be assigned to the King. *Ow.* 2, 46.

So, if an Extent in Aid be procured by the King's Debtor, who has sufficient to answer to the King, he shall refund with Costs upon a Bill in Equity. 1 *Ver.* 469.

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